

**2025 GOLF NS MEN'S SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP**

**AMHERST GOLF CLUB**

**6-8 August 2025**

**NOTICE TO COMPETITORS & SUPPLEMENTARY LOCAL RULES**

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**IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY:**

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**REFEREES:** John Lothian (Head Referee), Blehr MacKinley, Brian Murphy, Lynn Bourgeios; Mike McKenzie

*Golf Canada Rules of Golf (effective January 2023) and the Golf Nova Scotia 2025 Local Rules and Terms of the Competition, the following Supplementary Local Rules and any daily amendments published govern play. **NOTE: Local rules published by the Host Club will NOT apply. The penalty for breach of a Local Rule is 2 strokes in Stroke Play and may result in disqualification for any subsequent offence.***

*Players are reminded that conduct considered detrimental to the best interests of the game or unbecoming a competitor, either on or off the course, and coming to the attention of the Tournament Committee, will be strictly dealt with and **may result in disqualification** of the offending person(s).*

1. **Tees:** The championship will be contested from the WHITE GOLF NS TEE MARKERS
2. **Forecaddies:** Positioned on Holes #1,12,18 - PLEASE HEED THEIR SIGNALS
3. **Course Yardage Markers:** Sprinkler Heads and Granite fairway Markers state the distance to centre of greens. These markers are deemed Immovable Obstructions, Free Relief under rule 16.1.
4. **Designated Practice Areas:** Driving Range and Practice putting greens. See Golf Nova Scotia 2025 Local Rules & Terms of the Competition.
5. **Out Of Bounds:** Defined by white line on left side of holes 6, 8, 9, 11,12,13, and behind the greens on holes 5 and 10. A provisional ball is recommended if unsure if ball may be lost in fescue. There is no relief from fescue unless marked as a Penalty Area.
6. **Penalty Areas:** Identified by Yellow Stakes and defined by Yellow lines on holes 4, 10 and 15.
7. **Drop Zones:** Hole #4 and #15 have a DZ provided on forward tee
8. **Lateral Penalty Areas:** identified by Red Stakes and defined by Red lines on holes. 1,2,3,6, 16,17, and 18. Note 1: Penalty relief available is one stroke under Rule 17.1. Note 2: When a lateral penalty area is defined on only one side, it is deemed to extend to infinity.
9. **Abnormal Course Conditions:** See Golf Nova Scotia Local Rules & Terms of the Competition. Note 1; They will only be designated in fairway areas and identified by enclosed white line. Note 2: Worn out areas adjacent or on extension to cart paths are considered an extension of the cart path. Free Relief available under Rule 16.1.
10. **Obstructions:** The yardage markers on all holes are deemed to be Immovable Obstructions.
11. **Breaking Ties - Playoff Format:** If a playoff is required to decide the Championship, playoff will be sudden victory hole-by-hole format commencing on the # 1, continue (if necessary) on #8 and then #9, repeated, as necessary, until a winner is decided.