# 'Play Safe, Stay Safe'



# RETURN TO PLAYING GOLF FRAMEWORK

# (UPDATED 1<sup>ST</sup> June 2020)

#### The Car Park

- Players can use either car park
- Where possible please leave a space between your car and the next one

## The Course Set Up

- All benches and bins have been covered or removed from the course
  - We have decommissioned all ball washers and drinking fountains
    - All bunker rakes have been removed
    - All ball scoops have been removed
- We have inserted a modification to the hole to stop the ball going to the bottom of the hole
  - Hand sanitisers have been placed close to both the 1<sup>st</sup> tee and the 18<sup>th</sup> green
- Signage reminding players of the social distancing rules, not to touch or remove the flagstick, to rake bunkers with club or feet will be placed around the course
- Signage from the car park notifying golfers of the procedures regarding teeing off. Be ready
  to stand on the path leading to 1<sup>st</sup> tee 5 minutes before your tee time. Access the tee on
  your tee time as long as the group in front have left the teeing area

## **Booking Procedure**

- Booking of tee times will be made online.
- Any combination of 1,2,3 and 4 balls can be booked.
  - Tee times will be set at 10 minute intervals.
- There will be no turn up and play golf, tee times MUST be booked in advance.
  - Tee times will be available to book up to 7 days in advance.
  - The maximum times a player can play through a week is unlimited.
  - Golf will be social golf only. No competitive golf until further notice.

- All procedures will be under constant review.
- Some members who have partners that are vulnerable or are either key workers, or their
  partners are key workers, will be given the option of playing on their own with prior
  permission from the Director of Golf.

# **During the Round**

• All golfers are reminded to ensure they maintain social distancing and that they keep at least two metres apart during the round.

#### **Teeing Areas**

- Golfers are reminded to keep two metres apart at teeing areas due to the normal proximity of golfers to one another when tee shots are being played
  - Golfers should remove their own broken tees from the course

#### General

- Golfers must stay more than two metres apart when walking to the ball, searching for a ball and playing shots
- Golfers are not to touch stray golf balls. There should be no sharing of equipment such as clubs, tee pegs, towels etc

#### **Bunkers**

• With no rakes allowed on the course, golfers are reminded to make their very best efforts to smooth the sand using their club and/or their feet

# **Putting Green**

- Golfers must keep two metres apart on the putting greens and must not touch the flagstick
  - Please repair any pitch marks

### \*GOLFERS MUST TAKE ALL OF THEIR OWN RUBBISH HOME WITH THEM\*

Social distancing is as important after a round as it is during the round, so when the round is over all golfers must leave the course and the club/facility immediately so that there are no gatherings around the clubhouse area.

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