

**2014 CENTRAL DISTRICT
DIVISION II GIRLS SECTIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT
BLACKLICK WOODS METROPOLITAN GOLF COURSE
SEPTEMBER 22 AND 24, 2014**

RULES SHEET

- 1. We will play "summer rules" - Play the ball as it lies.**
- 2. All players play from the RED tees.**
- 3. Scores will be posted after finishing Hole #9 and at the conclusion of the round.**
- 4. Out of bounds is defined by white stakes, white lines, or course boundaries.
NOTE: O.B. = stroke + distance penalty.**
- 5. Red stakes, red lines, or where high grass starts (as designated) defines lateral hazards. Yellow stakes, yellow lines, where the high grass starts, or where the drop-off begins define regular hazards.**
- 6. USGA RULES govern all play except where modified by LOCAL RULES.**

LOCAL RULES are below:

- 7. There are six DROP ZONE areas - On holes # 4, 5, 9, 12, 13, and 14 if a golfer hits into the "regular (yellow) hazard" they can use their 3 options or have an additional option to drop within 2 club lengths of the DROP ZONE SIGN and ADD A PENALTY STROKE.**
- 8. IMPORTANT NOTE: Blacklick Woods Metropolitan Golf Course is connected with the Franklin County Metro Parks and has special environmentally sensitive areas on the golf course. These natural areas are the high grass (weeds, golden rod, fescue, etc.) areas throughout the course. These areas are bird & habitat sanctuaries, protected by the "Audubon International Society". These areas are not marked but the line where the grass changes to a high weedy area is what is used as the line of entry. Should a ball go into these areas, the golfer is not allowed to enter and must play the ball as entering a lateral (red) hazard with the first option (playing it as it lies without grounding the club) prohibited. The golfer may use any of the 4 remaining options and proceed according to the rules with one stroke penalty. If the golfer's stance is interfered with in these areas, the golfer MUST take free relief by dropping within one club length at the nearest point of relief that is no closer to the hole.**