



Northwest District Boys Division I Golf Tournament

SHAWNEE CC

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

1. **USGA Rules of Golf and Local Rules govern all play. All OHSAA rules and guidelines are in effect.**
2. **LOST BALL:** Only *three-minutes* allowed for search.
3. **OBSTRUCTIONS:** Cart paths, shelter houses, pump houses on holes #9 and 14, and fans on holes #10 and 11. Fence on hole #15 and #16 (swing and stance relief only). Swing and stance relief from all staked trees.
4. **GROUND UNDER REPAIR:** Free relief given from all newly seeded/sodded areas, flower beds, and any areas that have cart tire damage.
5. **OUT OF BOUNDS:** Marked by boundary fences and white stakes or lines on holes # 2, 3, 4, 9, 11, 12, and 18. The course-side edge of Shawnee Road and the drive leading to Shawnee Country Club defines the boundary of the course on hole #13.
6. **PENALTY AREAS:** Marked by red stakes or lines on holes #2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12. The player may use the drop zone areas provided to the right of #8 (short of pond) and on hole #9 (right of the lower tee). All fescue and native grass areas are treated as Penalty Areas, and the edge of the Penalty Area is where this long grass and the mown grass (or any cart path) meet.
7. **SCOREBOARD:** Immediately after you complete your round, turn your scorecard in to the Scoring Tent. As an additional option, you **will** keep your score on the iWanamaker/OHSAA Golf app.

TEES: (as indicated on your scorecard)

Black

FORMAT:

Stroke Play: Teams will score their 4 best of 5 scores. One team and one individual not a qualifying team will advance to the State Tournament. Ties that affect the number of qualifiers shall be resolved by playing additional hole(s).

Have a great day!

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Play is governed by the Rules of Golf and by the following Local Rules for Shawnee Country Club

Local Rule E-1.1: If a ball is in the *penalty area* on holes number 8 or number 9, including when it is *known or virtually certain* that a ball has not been found came to rest in the *penalty area*, the player has these relief options, each for **one penalty stroke**:

- Take relief under Rule 17.1, or
- As an extra option, *drop* the original ball or another ball in the dropping zone right of the tee on holes number 8 or number 9. The dropping zone is a *relief area* under Rule 14.3

Local Rule E-3 (only when specified on the Rules Sheet): When a player's ball lies in a part of the *general area* cut to fairway height or less, the player may take free relief once by placing the original ball or another ball in and playing it from this *relief area*:

- **Reference Point:** Spot of the original ball.
- **Size of Relief Area Measured from Reference Point:** One club-length from the reference point, but with these limits
- **Limits on Location of Relief Area:**
 - Must not be nearer the *hole* than the reference point, and
 - Must be in the *general area*.

In proceeding under this Local Rule, the player must choose a spot to place the ball and use the procedures for *replacing* a ball under Rules 14.2b(2) and 14.2e.

Local Rule E-10: The young trees identified by tile or stakes are *no play zones*:

- If a player's ball lies anywhere on the course other than in a *penalty area* and it lies on or touches a tree or such a tree interferes with the player's stance or area of intended swing, the player must take relief under Rule 16.1f.
- If the ball lies in a *penalty area*, and interference to the player's stance or area of intended swing exists from such a tree, the player must take relief either with penalty under Rule 17.1e or with free relief under Rule 17.1e(2).

Local Rule E-11: If it is *known or virtually certain* that a player's ball hit a power line or pole supporting a power line during the play of hole number 13, the stroke does not count. The player must play a ball without penalty from where the previous *stroke* was made (Rule 14.6).

Local Rule F-5: Relief from interference by an immovable obstruction may be taken under Rule 16.1 on holes number 10 and number 11.

The player also has these extra options to take relief when such immovable obstructions are close to the putting green and on the line of play.

Ball in General Area. The player may take relief under Rule 16.1 if an immovable obstruction is:

- On the line of play, and is:
 - Within two club-lengths of the putting green, and
 - Within two club-lengths of the ball

Local Rule F-7: If a player's ball lies in or touches a seam of cut turf or a seam interferes with the player's area of intended swing:

- (a) **Ball in General Area.** The player may take relief under Rule 16.1b.
- (b) **Ball on Putting Green.** The player may take relief under Rule 16.1d.

But interference does not exist if the seam only interferes with the player's stance.