

Minthis Golf Club

Local Rule – Irrigation Pond

With reference to R&A Rules of Golf - Committee Procedures

Section 2c (6) - Penalty area as a No Play Zone

Section 2G – No Play Zones

Section 2I – Dropping Zones

Section 5b – Marking the Course

Irrigation Pond

Purpose: The irrigation pond is to the right of the 9th fairway and the left of the 18th fairway. The pond itself is a Red Penalty Area and a No Play Zone (red stake with green top) surrounding the pond has been created to remove the risk and potential danger to players attempting to retrieve a ball.

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For simplicity, pace of play and consistency, the area has been designated a No Play Zone, this means a player **must not** retrieve their ball from within the No Play Zone.

Drop Zones have been established to both sides and when a ball enters the area, **another ball must be dropped** under penalty of one stroke, in the nearest of the 9th/18th Drop Zones.

No other relief options are available.

Any player in breach of the above, incurs the General Penalty (2 strokes) for infringement of a Local Rule.

Note: this local rule does not affect the course rating under Section 5b (2).

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