

Golf Course Regulations

GOLF COURSE REGULATIONS - LLAVANERAS GOLF CLUB (January 2018)

1. GENERAL RULES

1.1 Players must listen to and respect the indications they receive from the Club's employees since, in the performance of their duties, these individuals **represent the Management Bodies** with a mission to enforce the instructions issued by them.

1.2 Players must avoid all kinds of attitudes, gestures, words or tones of voice that are not respectful, and **must demonstrate courtesy and sportsmanship** at all times.

1.3 In order for players to go out onto the course, they will respect the dress code determined by the Club (see model on the boards in front of Reception and the changing rooms). If this item of the regulations is breached, the Club's staff may prohibit access to the facilities or require the player to leave them.

1.4 The Competition Committee may, in exceptional cases, and in response to specific situations, modify these rules.

2. COURSE MAINTENANCE

2.1 Players must comply with the rules of golf etiquette, such as **raking the bunkers, repairing divots, repairing ball marks on the green, marking balls on the green with coin-type markers without scraping the green, not removing the ball from the hole with the putter, etc.**

2.2 Players will collaborate to keep the facilities clean, using the toilets on the course and the existing litter bins, not abandoning objects such as cans, papers, cigarette butts, etc.

2.3 The existing signs on the course must be respected, such as exit points, stakes, marked-off areas, transit areas, informative signs or signs with prohibited activities, etc.

2.4 Manual or electric carts must not be taken onto the teeing grounds, the green or its surrounding area.

2.5 **Buggies with GPS control must drive on the designated paths** on the course. Buggies without GPS control and **scooters must drive on the paths**, being allowed to turn off the path only at 90 degrees to reach the player's ball and always returning to the path following the same rule.

3. SAFETY ON THE COURSE

3.1 Players should not play until the players before them are out of reach. They should warn the golf course employees when they are about to hit the ball in a way that could put them in danger. They should give a warning shout when a ball is played in a direction where there is danger of hitting someone. During the game, they should make use of the existing bell on the course by the 3rd hole, located beyond the path that crosses 200 metres from the green.

3.2 The game on the golf course can be suspended due to a dangerous situation or due to force majeure. The warning signal for the suspension of the game will be the detonation of a rocket. Players who have started their game will be forced to immediately comply with the warning and get off the course.

In the event the field is later re-opened to be played on, the order of departures for the 1st hole will be established as follows: first will be the group whose reserved tee time is right when the field is reopened; they are to be followed by the first group that could not go out onto the course, and so on and so forth.

3.3 The carts must be occupied by a maximum of two people and may be driven by persons over 18 years of age who have a driving license.

4. HOURS, TEE TIMES and PACE OF PLAY

4.1 The golf course's opening and closing hours established by the Club will be respected.

4.2 Strict **compliance with the tee time schedules** for each group will be ensured, which will be established daily according to the reservations made in advance at the Club Reception.

4.3 Those players who have not made an advanced reservation may be allowed to play, only if there is availability and **according to the Marshall's instructions**, after previously consulting the Club Reception.

4.4 In the event you have reserved a tee time and will not be able to use it, you must notify Reception as soon as possible in order to leave the time slot open for other players.

4.5 On **weekdays**, there will be tee times for the 1st and 10th holes. All groups can play 18 holes.

For hole 1, the first group will go out at 8:30 am, and the following groups will go out at 9-minute intervals.

For hole 10, the first group will go out at 9:00 am and the following groups at 9-minute intervals, for up to a maximum of 9 tee times, the being at 10:12 am. These groups will be reserved an exact time at which they must pass or cross the 1st hole, starting at 11:12 am for the first group and at 9-minute intervals for the following groups until 12:24 pm.

On an exceptional basis, on every Tuesday that is a workday, for the period between the months of October and June, the following tee times are reserved for the players participating in the Club's Female Pool: for the 1st hole, a maximum of five tee times from 9:51 am to 10:27 am, and for the 10th hole a maximum of two tee times from 9:54 am to 10:03 am. Those tee times that are not occupied will be available to any player.

4.6 On **Saturdays**, there will be tee times at the 1st and 10th holes. Groups that start from hole 1 can play 18 holes. The groups that start from hole 10 will be able to play only 9 holes, unless a prior reservation has been made to cross hole 1, which will depend on the availability as of 11:00 am the day before. The group will be allowed to pass hole 1 starting from 10:42 am on.

The first group to start from hole 1 will go out at 8:00 am and the following groups will go out at 9-minute intervals. The tee times between 8:09 and 9:03 am (7 tee times) are reserved for the Club's Male Pool. The first tee time on the course will be freely available to any other members or players.

The first group to start from hole 10 will go out at 8:30 am and the following groups at 9-minute intervals for up to a maximum of 10 tee times, with the last being at 9:51 am.

4.7 On **Sundays and holidays**, there will be tee times for the 1st and 10th holes. Groups that start from hole 1 can play 18 holes. The groups that start from hole 10 will be able to play only 9 holes, unless a prior reservation has been made to cross hole 1, depending on the availability as of 11:00 am of the day before. The group will be allowed to pass hole 1 starting from 10:42 am on.

The first group to start from hole 1 will go out at 8:00 am and the following groups will go out at 9-minute intervals.

From hole 10, the first group will go out at 8:30 am and the following groups at 9-minute intervals, for up to a maximum of 10 tee times, with the last being at 9:51 am.

4.8 For groups that start their game at the 1st hole, they will not have the right of passage when reaching the 10th hole with respect to the groups that have started their game at the 10th hole, provided that the latter has complied with the established timetable.

For groups that start their game at the 10th hole, they will not have the right of passage when reaching the 1st hole with respect to the groups that have started their game at the 1st hole, provided that the latter has complied with the established timetable.

4.9 Players must avoid slow play. The maximum playing time allowed for each group of players for an 18-hole round is 4hrs 15', establishing the following intermediate passage times:

Tee 5: 1 hr

Tee 10: 2 hrs 10'

Tee 14: 3 hrs 10'

4.10 The Marshall will act according to the situation, regulating the pace of play in accordance with the following criteria:

A group will have the right to pass the previous group provided this group has not complied with the maximum allowed times of passage or when their pace of play is noticeably slower and there is **free space on the course ahead of them**, which must be at least a full par-3 or the entire fairway of a par-4, or up to the area of the third stroke in a par.

5. All provisions regarding timetables and reservations, previously specified, may be modified or altered in the event of competitions or tournaments.
4.11 Depending on the condition of the course, in exceptional cases, the Marshall may authorise departures from teeing grounds other than those at hole 1 and hole 10.

5. DRIVING RANGE

5.1. Players must comply with the instructions of the staff that is in charge of the driving range, who act on behalf of the Competition Committee, in order to be able to take better advantage of the facilities and avoid unnecessary risks.

5.2. The use of woods is limited to the carpets indicated for this purpose. Players who are likely to go beyond the perimeter of the course may not use woods.

5.3. The opening and closing hours established by the Club must be respected.

5.4. These rules must also be respected in classes with golf pros, during which the pros are responsible for complying with them.

5.5. In the approach areas, it is not allowed to play with practice balls and the marked limits must be respected. The players who are practicing their putt will have preference on the putting green.

5.6 Both the staff and the pros will have the power to prohibit offenders from playing the game. They must inform Management of the committed infractions.

The breach of any item contained in these regulations may be communicated by the Club staff and will be included in the Marshall or the Manager's report. It may also be denounced in writing by the players.

Once communicated to the Competition Committee, and after deliberation, it may be subject to an "act of warning".

In the case of repeat offenders, the Competition Committee will inform the "Disciplinary Committee", which will act according to the provisions of the **Sports Discipline Regulations**.

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