

# Tsawwassen Springs Senior Men's Club Rules

**WINTER RULES** – Lift and Clean. **SUMMER RULES** - Play ball as it lies.

**OUT of BOUNDS**- Areas indicated by WHITE STAKES. OB is Staked left on #6, #7,#8 (left of water),left on #10,#14 (Partial) and#16,and #18 left of Fairway on Berms.

**NATURAL HABITAT AREAS** - No play is allowed, relief is provided in accordance to the drop rules of a Lateral Water Hazard. RELIEF from ALL STAKED TREES, PLANTING BEDS, WOOD RAIL FENCES, SAFETY NETTING and GUY WIRES and LINE OF SIGHT RELIEF from all protective screens including MAINTENANCE SHED #6, CEDAR HEDGES. NO PENALTY - take nearest relief for stance and swing, one club length ~ no closer to hole.

**EMBEDDED BALL** - When a ball is embedded in its own 'Mark' in any 'closely mown area' through the green it may be lifted and cleaned and dropped as close as possible to the spot not nearer the hole (Through the Green does not include Bunkers or Hazards) ~ **This will include a ball coming to rest in a FAIRWAY DIVOT.** NO PENALTY.

**OBSTRUCTIONS RULE** 24-2 from NEWLY PLANTED TREES - Perimeter of 'staked trees', 125 yd. markers, wrong greens \*\*\* including all pathways and planted areas \*\*\* take nearest relief for stance and swing no nearer the hole. NO PENALTY

**LATERAL WATER HAZARDS** - Marked by Red Stakes 2 OPTIONS ~ PENALTY ONE STROKE  
1. Drop Ball 2 club Lengths at point of entry no nearer to hole. .  
2. Drop ball on line on point of entry in line with the pin as far back along that line as the player wishes.

**BALL LOST or HIT OUT of BOUNDS** - If a ball is thought to be LOST or HIT OUT of BOUNDS The Player shall declare and hit a Provisional Ball. ~UNDER PENALTY of ONE STROKE. The PENALTY BALL shall be rehit from the original spot.

**TEE SHOT** - Re-Tee with a ONE STROKE PENALTY (Stroke and Distance) you will be hitting 3 off the Tee.

**IF PLAYED AT POINT OF ENTRY** to avoid returning to the original spot THERE IS A PENALTY OF TWO STROKES.

**ALL PUTTS SHOULD be PLAYED** 'NO GIMMIES' on MATCH PLAY or MONTHLY TOURNAMENTS On non - event days - 'gimmies' of 2 feet or less are at the discretion of the Players.

**HANDICAP CAP** - Actual Handicaps of more than 30 will be assigned a 30 handicap for all Club Events. New Members with no Handicaps at the beginning of the new season will be assigned a starting handicap after a discussion with the new member or after their first round. This may be adjusted by the Executive if it is obviously Inappropriate.

**TEMPORARY GREENS** or GREENS that have been AERATED - A 2 PUTT RULE will be in EFFECT for all Members that Day. **ALL PLAYERS** are RESPONSIBLE to know their handicap for the SCORE CARDS.

## Tournament Rules:

**ALL SCORE CARDS** are to be SIGNED by the SCORER and VERIFIED and DATED and handed in to the Tsawwassen Springs Pro Shop or given to an Executive Member within 2 hours of the golf round completion.

In tournaments there are no gimmies.

Maximum strokes on par 3 is 6 and on par 4 and 5's the maximum score is 8.

In the event of multiple low net scores, the tiebreaker is:

1)The lowest score on 18

2) If the scores on 18 are the same, the lowest score on 17.

3) If the scores on 17 are the same, the lowest score on the back nine holes wins.

COURSE ETIQUETTE and DRESS CODE: Please refer to back of Tsawwassen Springs score card.

Thank you for your Cooperation,

Club Executive – Harvey Bowman – George McCarter