

NELSON BAY GOLF CLUB
LOCAL RULES – as from 28th October 2019

To be read in conjunction with the Rules of Golf 2019.

The club's **Code of Conduct** applies to all players.

OUR CODE OF CONDUCT ON THE GOLF COURSE
REFER TO RULE 1.2b

**Under the authority of the
MATCH COMMITTEE**

1. Failure to take care of the course, for example not raking bunkers, abusive use of clubs, not filling divots or not replacing them and repeatedly not repairing pitch marks on the greens are all unacceptable behaviour.
2. Damaging the top edge of holes by not taking care when retrieving a ball is unacceptable.
3. Repeatedly using foul or offensive language around the course is unacceptable.
4. Ready Golf is considered the preferred approach here.
5. Persistent slow play is unacceptable. Four and a half hours is considered reasonable for 4 ball round of golf.
6. Altering the set-up of the course by moving tee markers or boundary stakes for example, is unacceptable.
7. Throwing a club towards another player or spectator is unacceptable.
8. All players must comply with any reasonable direction of a Match Committee member or staff.
9. Reports of breaches of the above and penalties imposed by the player's marker must be made in writing to the Match Committee so that follow up action can be taken.

Consequences

- 1st breach – a warning, later confirmed by the Match Committee
- 2nd breach – one stroke penalty
- 3rd breach – general penalty (2 strokes)
- 4th breach – disqualification.

Warning

- It is a condition of entry to this course that you understand that you do not rely on the Club to ensure your safety from lightning
- Many species of wild life that inhabit this course can be dangerous. Do not approach, touch or feed any wildlife.
- Any damage caused to an NBGC golf cart must be paid for at the set rates.