



2024 Mass Open Championship Qualifying
Kernwood Country Club
May 6, 2024



Local Rules & Conditions of Competition

The Rules of Golf, Mass Golf Hard Card, and Terms of Competitions for Mass Golf Championships govern all play except as modified by the following local rules:

Scorecard: The Kernwood CC scorecard is unofficial and has no status.

Tees: Play will be from the **BLUE** tee markers.

Out of Bounds: Defined by the inside edge at ground level of white stakes, white lines, boundary fence post, split rail fence post, practice range net support post, public roads and the granite curbing/club driveway/stone planter (behind/left/right of Hole #18).

Hole #7 – Right (Range)

Hole #8 – Behind Green (Split Rail Fence)

Hole #9 – Left

Hole #10 – Left & Behind Green

Hole #11 – Left (Road) & Behind Green (Split Rail Fence)

Hole #13 – Left & Behind Green (Fence)

Hole #14 – Left (Road)

Hole #18 – Left of & Behind Green

Note: A ball that crosses a boundary/public road and comes to rest beyond that boundary/public road is **OUT OF BOUNDS**, even though it may lie on another part of the golf course.

Red Penalty Areas: Defined by red lines. In the absence of a line, the red stakes define the edge of the penalty area.

Hole #3 – Left

Hole #4 – Behind Green

Hole #5*** – Left & Behind Green

Hole #6 – Front of Tee & Left

Hole #7 – Left

Hole #12 – Left of Green

Hole #13 – Left of Tee

Hole #14 – Left of Green

Hole #15 – Left & Behind Green

Hole #16 – Left

*****Hole #5** - As an additional relief option for a ball crossing the edge of the penalty area (behind the green) between the **BLUE** stakes, a player may use the nearest drop zone provided.

****The Red Penalty Area by the 6th & 7th tee is defined by the inside edge of the concrete retaining wall/decorative fence****

Yellow Penalty Areas: Defined by yellow lines. In the absence of a line, the yellow stakes define the edge of the penalty area.

Hole #1 – Right

Hole #5 – Front of Tee

Hole #12 – Front of Green

Hole #16 – Front of Green

Abnormal Course Conditions: All cart paths (paved or unpaved), roads (paved or unpaved), their immediate extensions/adjacent worn areas and white lined areas tying into cart paths. Relief may be taken under Rule 16.1.

Ground Under Repair: Areas enclosed with white painted lines are considered GUR. Relief may be taken under Rule 16.1.

No Play Zone(s): All cultivated flower beds and turf nurseries are No Play Zone(s). Players **MUST** take relief under Rule 16.1f.

Holes #2 & #13: As an additional relief option for the flower bed(s) [NO PLAY ZONES] and/or clubhouse behind the green, a player may use the nearest drop zone provided.

Integral Objects: All stonewalls and rock outcroppings are integral objects. Relief without penalty is **NOT** permitted.

Pace of Play: Pace for this round is 4 hours and 30 minutes. Please ensure that you are keeping within a hole of the group in front of you and within the time par printed on your scorecard.

DECISIONS BY THE COMMITTEE IN ATTENDANCE ARE FINAL

Committee: Janet Griffin, Steve St. Amand, & Drew Rosen