

101st Massachusetts Mixed Four-Ball Championship Granite Links Golf Club (Milton/Quincy) April 23, 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 Granite Links Golf Club scorecard is unofficial and has no status.

<u>Tees:</u> MEN will play will be from the Mass Golf BLACK Tee Markers. WOMEN will play from the Mass Golf RED Tee Markers. Front 9 - Milton | Back 9 - Quincy.

Out of Bounds: Defined by the inside edge at ground level of all white skates, white lines, public roads and boundary fence posts.

Hole #10 - Inside edge of pavement (public road) on left, and chain link fence behind green.

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

Hole #1 - Milton 1 Right & Behind Green

Hole #2 - Milton 2 Front of Tee

Hole #3 - Milton 3 Right

Hole #7 - Milton 7 Right

Hole #8 - Milton 8 Front of Tee, Right & Behind Green

Hole #9 - Milton 9 Right*

Hole #10 - Quincy 1 Left

Hole #11 - Quincy 2 Front of & Behind Green*, Left* & Right

Hole #12 - Quincy 3 Left

Hole #13 - Quincy 4 Left of Green

Hole #15 - Quincy 6 Right of & Behind Green Hole #16 - Quincy 7 Left & Behind Green

Hole #17 - Quincy 8 Left of*, Right of & Behind Green*

Hole #18 - Quincy 9 Right of Tee & Left

Drop Zones:

<u>Hole 9 (Milton 9):</u> As an additional relief option (one penalty stroke) for a ball that crosses the edge of the red penalty (between the **BLUE** stakes) OR as an additional relief option (free relief) for the section of cart path (between the **BLUE** stakes), a player may use the nearest of three (3) drop zones provided.

Hole 11 (Quincy 2): As an additional relief option (one penalty stroke) for a ball that crosses the edge of the red penalty (between the BLUE stakes) OR as an additional relief option (free relief) for the section of cart path (between the BLUE stakes), a player may use the nearest of three (3) drop zones provided.

Hole 17 (Quincy 8): As an additional relief option for a ball that crosses the edge of the red penalty area (between the BLUE stakes), a player may use the nearest of three (3) drop zones provided.

<u>Abnormal Course Conditions:</u> 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.

Immovable Obstructions Close to Putting Greens: For a ball in the general area, relief may be taken under 16.1b when both the ball and obstruction lie in an area cut to fairway height or less. The obstruction must be located: i.) On or within two club-lengths of the putting green, ii.) On the player's line of play, and iii.) The ball must be within two club-lengths of the obstruction.

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

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

<u>Pace of Play:</u> Pace for this round is 4 hours and 52 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.

Playoff: Any tie for first place will be decided immediately by a hole-by-hole playoff at Granite Links Golf Club (Milton 9,9,8 & 9).

DECISIONS BY THE RULES COMMITTEE IN ATTENDANCE ARE FINAL.

Committee: Greg Howell, Matty Killeen, Drew Rosen, & Jamie Haufler (SIC)

Restrooms: Milton #3 and Crossing Nines Tavern