

WOMEN'S STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

The Club at Comanche Trace | Kerrville, TX | June 25 – 27, 2021



NOTICE TO PLAYERS

Play is governed by the 2019 Rules of Golf as approved by the United States Golf Association and R&A, its clarifications and interpretations, 2021 Texas Golf Association Local Rules and Terms of the Competition ('Hard Card') and where applicable, the following Local Rules. All Local Rules listed on The Club at Comanche Trace scorecards, notice boards or posted on the course are **not** in effect for this championship. Unless otherwise noted below, penalty for breach of a Local Rule is the general penalty (2 strokes).

1. **FORMAT:** The championship is scheduled for 54 holes of individual stroke play. The Flights Division will be split into additional flights after 36 holes.
2. **TEES:** Players in the Championship division will be playing from the TGA **White** rectangular tee markers. Players in the Flights division will be playing from the TGA **Red** rectangular tee markers.
3. **TRANSPORTATION:** Players may walk or ride in the championship at their discretion. Carts are limited to two (2) riders at a time and two (2) carts per group. Spectators must walk at all times.
4. **CADDIES:** Caddies are permitted during the championship but **must** walk at all times.
5. **PLAYOFF:** Ties for the winner of the overall championship will be broken by a sudden death hole-by-hole playoff. **All announcements pertaining to the playoff will be made at the scoring area.** All other ties in the Championship Division and all ties in the Flights Division for Merchandise Awards and TGA Player of the Year points will be split.
6. **SCORING:** Scores must be attested and verified verbally immediately after completing each round to the designated TGA scoring area, which is located adjacent to the scoreboard. The scorecard is considered returned when the player verbally approved what is online/tv.

SUPPLEMENTAL RULES OF PLAY

7. **OUT OF BOUNDS:** In addition to the items listed on the 2021 Texas Golf Association Hard Card, Out of Bounds is defined by
 - a.) the line between the course-side points at ground level of **white stakes, fence posts, white PVC pipes, and walls.**
 - b.) And the inside edge or curbing of residential paved roadways.
 - c.) Signified by dots in the tunnel between holes #1 and #2.

Note: A ball that crosses a public roadway defined as a boundary and comes to rest beyond that boundary is deemed to be out of bounds even if it lies on another part of the golf course.
8. **IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS:** **Include**, but are not limited to artificially surfaced paths, decorative stones (curbing) adjacent to cart paths, and restrooms. **Immovable obstructions adjacent to, within or abutting each other**, such as artificially surfaced paths, curbing, drains, drainage cut out runoffs adjacent to cart paths, permanent structures, etc., are considered a single obstruction.
9. **MOVEABLE OBSTRUCTIONS:** Natural wooden posts with green or red painted tops are movable obstructions. Also, red penalty area posts are movable obstructions. Relief is available under Rule 15.2.
10. **TURF NURSERY:** The turf nursery adjacent to the 18th putting green is deemed to be a **No Play Zone** from which play is **prohibited**. Relief must be taken under Rule 16.
11. **TEMPORARY IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS:** Tents, signage and other temporary structures installed for this championship are deemed to be temporary immovable obstructions. The Model Local Rule F-23 is in effect.

Note: As an additional relief option the player may take relief on either side of the TIO (Clause e of Model Local Rule F-23).
12. **INTERGAL OBJECTS:** The Integral Objects listed on the Local Rules and Terms of the Competition for 2021 TGA Championships (Hard Card) include **rock outcroppings**. Free relief is **not available** if the object is immovable. If movable, the object or part of the object meets the definition of a movable obstruction or a loose impediment, it is treated as such.
13. **DOUBT AS TO PROCEDURE:** If a competitor is in doubt as to a procedure under the rules and a referee is not readily available, to avoid delay she may play a second ball under Rule 20.1c(3). She **must** report the facts to the Committee before returning her scorecard, otherwise she is subject to **disqualification**.
14. **PACE OF PLAY:** The established Pace of Play for The Club at Comanche Trace is 4:35 hours for 18 holes.