



UCC Golf Course and Practice Facilities

LOCAL RULES

Welcome to our facilities and enjoy your golfing experience!

1. OUT OF BOUNDS

- Beyond any residential property and boundary fences/electric fence.
- Areas defined by white stakes, including tarred road leading to the main gate.
- The bowling greens, car park & tennis courts.
- Stroke and Distance relief option where the ball last crossed the out of bounds line, does not apply. If a ball is hit out of bounds, the shot is to be replayed from its last position with a one stroke penalty.

2. PREFERRED LIES

- Placing is not allowed. The ball is to be played as it lies.

3. PENALTY AREAS

- Yellow Penalty Areas are defined by yellow stakes.
- Red Penalty Areas are defined by red stakes.

4. ROADS & OTHER OBSTRUCTIONS

- A ball coming to rest on any roadway, track, pathway, or in any tractor tyre marks may be lifted and dropped without penalty within the relief area from the nearest reference point, not nearer the hole.
- Any stone wall and bridges, which lie outside the margin of the penalty area which they cross, are immovable obstructions.
- If a player's ball lies on the course and the electric boundary fence interferes with the player's stroke, a player may, without penalty, get free relief using a reference point that is two club-lengths from the fence and an equal distance from the hole.

5. GROUND UNDER REPAIR

- All areas under repair will be demarcated with white paint.

6. GENERAL

- Please repair all divots and pitch marks.
- Free relief is allowed when a ball is embedded in the general area.
- Carts to be parked on cart paths and not driven or parked next to the green or fringe.
- It is your responsibility to keep up with the players ahead of you at all times.
- A maximum of 10 minutes is allowed for halfway house.
- Consult the notice board for additional local rules.
- The use of a SAND BAG is compulsory.

7. DISTANCES

- All distances are measured in metres. Distance markers on the tees are measured to the centre of the green (incl. par 3's). Fairway markers are measured to the front of the green. Add/subtract distance to the flag from the pin sheet provided.

8. ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION

- As per the Kwazulu-Natal Liquor Licensing Act, 2010 (Act No. 06 of 2010), the consumption of alcohol on the golf course is prohibited.

9. PROCEDURES FOR BAD WEATHER

- A suspension of play for a dangerous situation will be at the player's own discretion.

The Spirit of the Game

Unlike many sports, golf is played, for the most part, without the supervision of a referee or umpire. The game relies on the integrity of the individual to show consideration for other players and to abide by the Rules. All players should conduct themselves in a disciplined manner, demonstrating courtesy and sportsmanship at all times, irrespective of how competitive they may be. This is the spirit of the game of golf.





UCC DRESS CODE

It is the intention of the dress code to maintain the relaxed culture and atmosphere that has been the hallmark of Umhlali Country Club since its inception. Members and the Club both have a responsibility to maintain standards of conduct and dress of individuals while on the club premises. The Golf Committee, along with all other club officials has the right and responsibility to ensure that standards are maintained and may approach any person who fails to comply with these standards. It is the duty of each member to ensure that their guests comply with our standards and values. We ask that all players, organizers and guests adhere to acceptable dress regulations and code of personal conduct while on Club premises. Management reserves the right to decide whether dress is appropriate.

The following dress regulations apply to both on the Golf Course as well as Driving Range/Practice Facilities for members and visitors:

GENTLEMEN		
	ON COURSE	MAIN BAR
HEADWEAR	Traditional golf hats or peak caps. Caps to be worn with peak forward	Hats, caps and peaks may not be worn in the bar.
SHIRTS	Traditional collared or crew neck golf shirts. No T-shirts allowed.	Regular collared shirts or crew neck golf shirts. Tailored shirts may be worn over trousers. T-shirts are permitted but no vests/sleeveless shirts.
TROUSERS	Traditional long or short golf trousers.	Long or short tailored trousers. No swimwear allowed.
SOCKS	Socks must be worn. Long and short socks may be worn.	
SHOES	Only closed heel golf shoes with soft spikes are permitted. (sandal type also allowed)	Formal or casual shoes and sandals are permitted. Foot-ware is compulsory.

LADIES		
	ON COURSE	MAIN BAR
HEADWEAR	Traditional golf hats or peak caps. Caps to be worn with peak forward	Hats, caps and peaks may not be worn in the bar.
SHIRTS	Traditional collared or crew neck golf shirts. Sleeveless golf shirts may also be worn. No T-shirts allowed.	Regular collared golf shirts or crew neck golf shirts. Blouses may be worn over trousers or skirts.
TROUSERS	Traditional long or short golf trousers.	Long or short tailored.
SKIRTS	Appropriate length golf skirts	Skirts and dresses are permitted.
SOCKS	Short socks and anklets must be worn and should be colour coordinated with a golf outfit.	Socks dependant on attire.
SHOES	Only closed heel golf shoes (sandal type also allowed) with soft spikes are permitted.	Formal or casual shoes and sandals are permitted. Foot-ware is compulsory

CHILDREN

In the Main Bar, young children must be accompanied by an adult, dressed appropriately, not permitted to wear swimwear, and must wear shoes at all times. Children under the age of 18 are not permitted to sit at the bar counter.

Thanking you

COMMITTEE & MANAGEMENT UMHLALI COUNTRY CLUB