

RLPCC Women's Club Temporary Local Rules updated January 31st, 2025

Preferred Lies in the GENERAL AREA. The General area covers the whole course except for specific areas as defined under rule 2.2. It does not cover the Teeing area, Penalty areas, All Bunkers, Putting Green or trees. If there is a bare patch on the putting green you may take a preferred lie.

How to take relief: Mark, lift, clean and place your ball within one club length, no closer to the hole. If there is no grass then the same applies within one club length. **Always let your fellow players know you are taking relief and get their agreement where you are taking relief.**

1. Holes 1,5,6 and 7 North - The ball is in ground under repair, (The Wash), You may either play your ball as it lies from the ground under repair or take free relief. To take relief, use the crest of the ditch as your marking point for one club length not nearer the hole. **Always let your fellow players know you are taking relief and get their agreement where you are taking relief.**

2. All Sand Bunkers - If a player's ball lies in a bunker on or near a mound of sand that is caused by the machine raking equipment, the player may take relief from this abnormal course condition. Find the nearest point of relief in the bunker where the golfer can play their next stroke without interference from the abnormal condition and place the ball for the next shot. **Always let your fellow players know you are taking relief and get their agreement where you are taking relief.**

3. Note the ditch on North 9 and South 1 are penalty areas. If your ball goes into the ditch it is considered a red staked area and one stroke penalty will apply.