

2021 Arizona Interscholastic Association Division II Girls High School State Championship Tucson National Golf Club – Sonoran Course, October 25th, 26th, 2021

NOTICE TO PLAYERS

Play is governed by: The USGA Rules of Golf effective January 2019, The Arizona Rules Committee (AzRC) Hard Card, the supplemental Local Rules & Terms Sheet given to the Coaches and by this Notice to Players. Disregard any rules noted on Tucson National scorecards or posted in the clubhouse. The AIA Constitution, Bylaws and Policies are in effect.

Format: This is a 36-hole individual stroke play competition. The four low individual scores per team from each day count. The team with the lowest two-day team total will be the AIA Champion. Individual Medalist will be the player with the lowest two-day stroke total. A tie for the stroke play Champion will be decided by an on-course playoff, if possible. The holes to be played will be determined by the Committee. Otherwise, the Committee will use an approved USGA method to determine the Champion.

Teeing Area: Girls will be playing from the RED AIA tee markers. For purposes of Rule 5.3a a player will have arrived at the Teeing Area when they have entered the roped off area at their starting tee.

Scoring: Scoring will be entirely electronic. Scores will be inputted by players after every hole. There will be a roped area beside Hole #10 and #18 where players will verbally verify their scores after completing their rounds. Once the player leaves that roped scoring area, their score will be considered final.

Out of Bounds (OB): In addition to the items listed on the AzRC Hard Card, OB also includes:

- Perimeter Barbed Wire Fences
- Hole #6 – OB Defined by the tall White Stakes and the White Line painted on the curbing of the cart path. The cart path behind the putting green with the white line is OB. The small white stakes in front of the cart path indicate OB but do not define it. Any curbing on the course side of the white line is an obstruction from which free relief is available.
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Dropping Zones (These are relief areas under Rule 14.3):

- **Hole #3-** As an extra option under Rule 16.1 for a ball known or virtually certain to be in bounds right of the cart path between the blue stakes, a dropping zone is available for free relief. The DZ is on the left side of the cart path as indicated by the DZ sign.
- **Hole #6 –** As an extra option under R17.1d for a ball known or virtually certain to be in the yellow penalty area, a dropping zone is available for 1 penalty stroke, **to the left of the Putting Green** as indicated by the DZ sign.
- **Hole #10 –** As an extra option under R17.1d for a ball known or virtually certain to be in the red penalty area (the entire desert area defined by the left edge of the bridge and cart path and the edge of the turf), as an extra option under Rule 17.1d, a dropping zone is available for 1 penalty stroke, to the front right of the putting green as indicated by the DZ sign.

Penalty Areas: Penalty Areas are identified by red or yellow stakes and defined by red or yellow lines. In the absence of lines, the stakes both identify and define the edge of the penalty area.

Obstructions: Concrete/Asphalt cart paths are obstructions and relief is available under Rule 16.1. All other paths are integral objects with no free relief.

Rules Committee: Roger Waterer (ROIC), Tim Hulscher, Sally Larson, Steve Tomlinson and Lexi Sobieski.

Committee in Charge of Competition: Roger Waterer, Tim Hulscher, Steve Tomlinson, Lexi Sobieski, Dean Visser, Shelley Dinges.