

Course Risk Assessment

All golfers, members and visitors alike should read the following information before playing the course:

It is the responsibility of all players to ensure that they are adequately insured to cover whatever may arise. All players should have public liability insurance. For Lundin Ladies GC members, this is included in their subscriptions.

In the event of an emergency call the starter on 07899 270 774 or the emergency services on 999 (the post code is KY8 6AR).

There is a defibrillator located on the outside of the starter's box.

Players are expected to be aware at all times of danger to others and to themselves. All accidents must be reported.

All accidents must be reported as soon as possible to the starter and entered into the accident book.

This golf course risk assessment is carried out on a hole by hole basis. As a general rule, players should not strike a golf ball if there is the risk of endangering player, member of the green staff or a member of the public.

Hole 1

Players should be aware of houses on the left hand side, and a nursery school on the left hand side just before the approach to the 1st green.

Hole 6

Players should be aware of players playing up the 7th before teeing off.

Hole 7

Players should be aware of players teeing off from the 6th tee.

Hole 9

Players should ensure the green is clear before teeing off, either by hearing the bell, or checking the green is clear. Players should ring the bell on leaving the green.

Footwear

All players must wear appropriate footwear when playing the course, especially during the winter period with the increased risk of frost and ice.

Players

(Rules of golf section 1 - etiquette) players should ensure that no one is standing close by or in a position to be hit by the club or the ball. Players should not play until players in front are out of range.

Players should always alert green staff nearby or in front when they are about to make a shot that might endanger them. If a player plays a ball in the direction where there is a danger of hitting someone they should immediately shout a warning, the traditional word of warning in such a situation is "FORE".

Course

If insecticides and fertilizer have been used on the ground, please do not lick balls or fingers. A notice on the 1st tee will advise when spraying is in progress.

Suspension of play

Players must protect themselves in H&S matters especially where there is a danger from lightening when play must be stopped immediately. Rule 6.8 of the rules of golf make it quite clear that a player is entitled to discontinue play if the player believes there is a danger from lightening. Mark your ball position if you are in a medal.

Where there is not sufficient time to evacuate the course players should comply with the following procedures:

- Mark the position of your golf ball.
- Leave your golf equipment where it is and stand away from it.
- Avoid standing near your clubs
- Keep as low as possible and ideally crouch down in the nearest bunker.
- Do not shelter under trees
- Avoid walking under trees.
- Do not put up an umbrella in any circumstances.

Inclement weather

During inclement weather the fact that the course has not been officially closed does not warrant that it is fit for play. Therefore, visitors and members should themselves determine whether they consider it safe to play.

Players have a duty of care to behave in such a way that others may not be injured by their actions.

They also have a duty of care to ensure they do not injure themselves.

All players play at their own risk and should do nothing to jeopardise the safety of themselves or others.