

SM Match by Upfront

The National 8 – 10 July 2026

THE COMPETITION IS PLAYED ACCORDING TO THE CURRENT EDITIONS OF THE FOLLOWING:

Rules of Golf, Official Guide and Clarifications. NGL Terms and Regulations and NGL Rules Card, Additional Local Rules and any additional terms of competition

These Local Rules and Terms of Competition supersede all other local rules.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL RULES

1. Preferred Lies

When any part of a player's ball touches part of the *general area* cut to fairway height or less, the player may take free relief once by placing the original ball or another ball in and playing it from this *relief area*:

Reference Point: Spot of the original ball.

Size of Relief Area Measured from Reference Point: **ONE SCORECARD** length (15 cm) from the reference point, but with these limits:

Limits on Location of Relief Area:

Must not be nearer the *hole* than the reference point, and

Must be in the *general area*.

In proceeding under this Local Rule, the player must choose a spot to place the ball and use the procedures for *replacing* a ball under Rules 14.2b(2) and 14.2e. But, for the purposes of applying Rule 14.2e, the player has only chosen the spot on which to place the ball once the ball has been set down, and the player has let the ball go with the intent for that ball to be in play. After a ball has been placed and is in play under this Local Rule, if the player then proceeds under another Rule that provides relief, this Local Rule may be used again.

2. Internal Out of Bounds (Rule 18)

During play of the hole 16, the left-hand side defined by white stakes, is out of bounds. These stakes are boundary objects during the play of hole 16. For all other holes they are immovable obstructions.

3. Penalty areas (Rule 17)

- a. Red Penalty Areas with same distance opposite side lateral relief: **NONE** this week.
- b. The red penalty areas on the right-hand side of hole 10, 16 and part of 11 defined on only one side extends to infinity.

4. Abnormal Course Conditions (including immovable obstruction (Rule 16.1))

- a. Earthscrews for banners are immovable obstructions
- b. Staked trees
- c. Ground under repair includes exposed rocks in areas cut to fairway height or less

5. Movable obstructions (Rule 15.2)

All banners placed in Earthscrews are movable

6. Practise during round

Practise during round is allowed as stated in Rule 5.5b.

NGL local rule 13 (b) (restricting practise between holes) is not in effect.

TERMS OF COMPETITION

The Committee

Tournament Director and Rules Official: Tommy Schill

Rules Official: Ola Welander

Rules Official: Mats Tallnäs

Tournament Coordinator: Sara Hägglund

If you need a Rules Official, call +46 736768674

Match result sheet: Return the sheet to a member of the committee or to the Tournament Coordinator.

The result is final when it is reported to a Rules Official or Tournament Coordinator.

Evacuation

In case of evacuation return to the clubhouse.