

Handicap Flag Policy

Your patronage at Medford Lakes Country Club is truly appreciated.

Please understand that golf cart traffic is likely to adversely affect turf and soil, as well as playability. We appreciate your cooperation in using care and exercising good judgement.

It is course policy to restrict motorized cart traffic to the front of the greens during normal conditions or when weather or turf conditions warrant. This policy ensures that we can continue to provide the best possible playing conditions in the long term.

However, we also recognize the needs of the golfer who suffers from permanent walking impairments or other conditions that would make it impossible for him or her to enjoy the golf course with restrictions on golf car use.

Management will provide golfers with an identifying flag. This will allow the golfer only to leave and return to the cart path at designated points on each hole (when cart path only is in place). Please address any questions or concerns to the golf course management. On normal conditions of play, golfers may go past the designated 30 yards up to the front of the green.

Any use of cars off the designated areas is at your own risk, and any problems or injuries resulting from such use are the golfer's responsibility. For safety reasons we strongly discourage the use of the golf car on severe slopes or through tall grass areas. Natural, un-mowed areas may be designated as environmentally sensitive and present a fire hazard; please avoid these areas with the car.

Course management reserves the right to restrict all golf car traffic in rare instances when excessive heat, moisture stress, new turf, other weather-related or maintenance-related conditions create extreme safety issues or would result in any cart traffic causing excessive turf damage. This means even with a handicap flag all roped off areas are restricted. Please do not go past or cross roped off areas. If at any time it is apparent these conditions might exist, we suggest calling ahead.

Example areas to avoid:

- Roped off areas (blocked to all golfers)
- Back side of greens
- By any bunker edging
- Between water on 14 and 14 green (exit left)
- Near water areas edge
- Tee Boxes (please stay on paths)

Any violation of this policy may result in suspension of golf privileges.

We encourage your suggestions and ask for your cooperation in providing accessibility and making Medford Lakes Country Club a quality golf experience. If you have any questions, please contact the Head Golf Professional or General Manager.

Thank You for your cooperation,

Medford Lakes Country Club Board & Greens Committee