

BRIARWOOD AARP GOLF RULES

All play will generally be in accordance with USGA Rules of Golf, except the following rules adopted by our group.

1. Men play from the gold tees. Women play from the red tees.
2. All holes must be finished out, no gimme putts.
3. No Mulligans.
4. "Winter Rules" will apply in the fairway and rough. The ball may be lifted, cleaned, and placed within one club length of it's original lie, but not closer to the hole.
5. If a ball comes to rest in a footprint in a sand trap, it may be lifted, the footprint smoothed, and the ball replaced at the same spot.
6. Out of bounds - stroke and distance penalty. A ball coming to rest off club property, or inside driving range is out of bounds.
7. Water Hazard - One stroke penalty, ball should be dropped, keeping point of entry and flag pin in line.
8. Lost Ball - No more than five minutes shall be allowed to locate a ball. Another ball may be dropped, with one stroke penalty, at the spot where it was deemed to have been lost, provided it was in bounds.
9. A two club relief may be taken from the following:
 1. Fence around driving range; over the fence is out of bounds.
 2. Staked Trees
10. The 2 club-length relief cannot be used to move a ball from the rough to the fairway. If a ball comes to rest in the rough it must remain there.
11. One score card for each group is to be handed in, designate a scorer at the start of play.
12. No fivesomes.
13. Closest-To-Pin Competition:

On hole # 3 of the red nine, #14 of the white nine, #5 of the blue nine, #14 and #17 of the gold nine, the C.P.T. competition is for both ladies and men. One flag will be placed at these holes and the prize is awarded to the person who is closest to pin after ONE shot. On hole #8 of the red nine, #12 of the white nine and #9 of the blue nine there will be two flags for C.T.P. competition. One flag for the men, and one for the women. The C.T.P. prize for the men is awarded to the man who is closest to pin after ONE shot. The C.T.P. prize for the women is awarded to the woman who is closest after TWO shots.