

**SOUTHERN CAPE
GOLF**

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Dear Players / Affiliated Clubs,

RE: League Rule Notice

We would hereby like to draw your attention to the following rule and explanation thereof.

Handicaps League Rules: 10.9

Players Responsibility (Singles Match Play Only)

A player is expected to:

- Act with integrity by following the Rules of Handicapping and to refrain from using, or circumventing, the Rules of Handicapping for the purpose of gaining an unfair advantage,
- Attempt to make the best score possible at each hole,
- Submit acceptable scores for handicap purposes as soon as possible after the round is completed and before midnight local time,
- Submit acceptable scores to provide reasonable evidence of their demonstrated ability,
- Play by the Rules of Golf, and
- Certify the scores of fellow players.

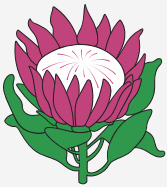
When a Hole is Not Played

There are various circumstances that may result in a round not being completed and some holes not being played. For example, due to:

- Fading light or bad weather,
- Player injury or illness,
- A match finishing before the final hole,
- A hole being declared out of play by the Committee for maintenance or reconstruction purposes.

Minimum Number of Holes Valid in Order to Submit Score for Handicap Purposes

Where the minimum number of holes has been completed and the reason for a player not playing a hole is valid, the player must use the following table to produce an 18-hole score:



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<u>Number of holes played</u>	<u>Scaling up</u>	<u>What score(s) to record for holes not played</u>
At least 10 holes	Scale up to 18-hole score	Add net par plus one additional stroke for the first hole not played (or equivalent Stableford points).
At least 14 holes	Scale up to 18-hole score	Add net par (or equivalent Stableford points).

If the outcome of a competition has been decided before all holes have been completed and the player decides to play any of the remaining holes, the actual scores for those remaining holes must be recorded.

Penalty Imposed for Not Entering Scores and Responsibilities of Players

Players

- Players are responsible for entering their own scores.

Captains

- Captains of league teams take responsibility on behalf of their club to ensure all paperwork is completed and scores of their players are entered into HNA.

Player Penalty:

- 1st Offense - First and Final Warning
- 2nd Offense - Disqualified from league season.

Club Offense

- 1st Offense - First Warning
- 2nd Offense - Final Warning (If it is the same player)
- 3rd Offense - Team disqualified from league.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind Regards,

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