

ORLGA LOCAL RULES SUMMARY

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| Topic | Rule | Page # |
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| Abnormal Ground Conditions | Relief is allowed anywhere on course except when ball is in penalty area. Relief from interference by abnormal course conditions is allowed only when both the abnormal course condition is on the course (not out of bounds) and the ball is anywhere on the course except in a penalty area. | 10 |
| Aeration Holes | In the general area, a ball that comes to rest in or on an aeration hole may be lifted without penalty, cleaned and dropped as near as possible to the spot where it lay but not nearer the hole. The ball when dropped must first strike a part of the course in the general area. | 1 |
| Aeration Holes | On the putting green, a ball that comes to rest in or on an aeration hole may be placed at the nearest spot not nearer the hole that avoids the situation. | 1 |
| Alternative to Stroke and Distance for Lost Ball or Ball Out of Bounds | When a player's ball has not been found or is known or virtually certain to be out of bounds, the player may proceed as follows rather than proceeding under stroke and distance. For two penalty strokes , the player may take relief by dropping the original ball or another ball in the relief area. Note: The original ball that was lost or out of bounds is no longer in play and must not be played. Also, the player may not use this option to take relief for the original ball when the ball is known or visually certain to have come to rest a penalty area or the player has played another ball provisionally under penalty of stroke and distance. | 3 |
| Animal Dung | At the player's option, dung from geese and/or dogs may be treated either as: a loose impediment that may be removed or as ground under repair and take relief. | 2 |
| Animal Hoof Damage | Damage that is clearly identifiable as having been caused by animal hoofs is ground under repair from which free relief is allowed. This does not apply on the putting green as such damage may be repaired. | 2 |
| Ball at Rest on Bridges | All bridges are part of the penalty area which they cross. If a ball comes to rest on a bridge, your options are: play ball as it lies and you may ground your club or to take relief appropriate for (water) penalty area. | 10 |
| Discrepancy or Doubt as to Procedure | If a rules discrepancy arises or there is doubt as to the procedure to be followed in the play of a hole, play two balls for the remainder of that hole. Write down both scores. At the end of play, get a determination on which ball should be scored from the Head Pro, his designated representative or that day's play director before signing your scorecard. | 11 |
| Drainage Structures in Fairway | The drainage structures in the fairway of hole #14 of Lion's Paw after the dog leg are declared to be immovable obstructions and relief may be taken. | 1 |

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| Use of Dropping Zones | If a ball is in or it is known or virtually certain that a ball that has not been found is in a penalty area, the player may proceed as outlined (see page 6) or as an additional option, drop a ball for one penalty stroke , in the dropping zone. | 5-6 |
| Drop Zones: Lion's Paw | Hole #3: Left of the Penalty area approximately 60 yards from the center of the green. Hole #6: Closely mown area left of and in front of the red tees. | 6 |
| Drop Zones: Panther's Run | Hole #18: Closely mown "mound area" left of and in front of the green, just past the bridge. | 6 |
| Drop Zones: Tiger's Eye | Hole #11: Left of the green on the opposite side of the cart path. | 7 |
| Drop Zones: Leopard's Chase | Hole # 4: Area in front right of the green between the green and the penalty area. Hole #13: Right of the cart path just past the penalty area. Hole #16: Right of the cart path on the hill just past the penalty area | 7 |
| Landscapes and Beauty Areas | Ocean Ridge Golf (ORG) has defined "landscapes and beauty areas", which are areas having a defined boundary in which flowering plants, small trees, and shrubs are planted. (Tiger's Eye holes # 1, # 11, #12 containing low-lying junipers and elsewhere throughout the courses), the landscaped and flowering areas to the left of the cart path on Lion's Paw #9 and the area of grasses on the front left side of the green on Leopard's Chase #2. All such landscapes and beauty areas must be played as ground under repair. | 2-3 |
| Out of Bounds (OB) Markings | ORG has modified its method for marking out of bounds limits. ORG has used white 4"x4" posts to delineate the OB boundaries and in some cases supplemented those posts with white wooden 1"x2" stakes between the 4"x4" posts to identify OB where sight lines between OB posts may be obscured. White circular PVC pipes or other stakes that are used to designate lot lines and such have no relevance to OB boundaries. Some homeowner lots, especially in Leopard's Chase, are not marked by OB stakes. If this is the case and your ball is in a homeowner's lot, the ball is deemed to be out of bounds and the player is to proceed under penalty of stroke and distance. | 5 |
| Pampas Grass | A ball hit into the Pampas Grass on hole #1 of Panther's Run or on several holes on Leopard's Chase, can only be declared an unplayable lie if the ball is found and identified. If the ball is not found, it is considered lost and the player must proceed under penalty of stroke and distance or under local rule: Alternative to Stroke and Distance for Lost/Out Of Bounds Ball (see above). | 3 |
| Sandy Areas | The term " Sandy Areas " is new in 2019 and refers to any portion within the general area that contains sand, and is not a bunker. This can be a "waste bunker" (waste bunker is not a golf term) or an area of the course where sand has collected. | 8 |

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| Sandy Areas: Lion's Paw | Sandy Areas: Hole #1: Large sandy area to right of fairway near woods near 100 yard marker. Hole #5: Sandy area on right side of fairway. Hole #7: Sandy areas to left and right of 100 yard marker. Hole #16: Sandy areas on right side of fairway near water but not bunkers near green. | 8-9 |
| Sandy Areas: Panther's Run | Sandy Areas: Hole #2 All sandy areas. Hole #3 Sandy areas on the right side of the fairway near cart path and green. Hole #5 All sandy areas on right side of fairway. Hole #11 All sandy areas. Hole #16 Sandy areas on left of fairway up to approximately 150 yard mark but not including greenside bunkers. | 8 |
| Sandy Areas: Tiger's Eye | Sandy areas: The following areas of Tiger's Eye are considered sandy areas/waste bunkers: Hole #3: Sandy area down entire right side of fairway and green. Hole #4: All sandy areas. Hole #5: Sandy area on the right side of the fairway. | 7 |
| Sandy Areas: Leopard's Chase | Sandy Areas: Hole #3: On the right side of closely mown general area. Hole #4: On the back of the green. Hole #5: Surrounding the approach to and around the green. Hole #10: On the right side to the green. Hole #15: Left side of closely mown general area. Hole #18: On the right side of the closely mown general area. | 10 |
| Seams in Cut Turf | Hole #6: All sandy areas. Hole #18: Sandy area adjacent to the right side of fairway and the green. | 2 |
| Stones Around Drains Not in a Penalty Area | Several drains such as on the left side of the cart path and right of the fairway on hole #12 of Panther's Run have large stones to prevent erosion in the area of the drain. These stone structures are declared to be immovable obstructions and relief may be taken. | 10 |
| Roots | If a player's ball is at rest in a portion of the general area and there is interference from exposed tree roots that are part of the general area cut to fairway height or less, or in the rough within 16 club-lengths (approximately 20 yards) of the edge of the ground cut to fairway height or less , the roots are treated as ground under repair. The player may take relief. Roots must be on a part of the course on the fairway side of cart path and inside the tree line or penalty area line on the other side of the fairway. (In other words cannot be in a penalty area or in the woods). But interference does not exist if the tree roots only interfere with the player's stance. | 2 |
| Unmarked Yellow and Red Penalty Areas | If the boundaries of yellow or red penalty area are not marked, the boundary is defined as two club lengths from the penalty area's natural edge. | 5 |
| Washed Out Bunker | When there is significant washout damage to a bunker, player may take relief from interference. If player has doubts as to whether or not a washout constitutes significant damage - in stroke play, player should play out hole with two balls. | 2 |
| Mud in Bunkers | There is no relief from mud in a bunker unless the ball is in casual water. If a ball is in temporary water, the player may take relief. | 11 |

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| Wooden Ties | Wooden ties at the edge of penalty area and bridges are considered part of the penalty area. Play ball as it lies or take relief under the appropriate rule. Wooden ties that line the edge of cart paths are considered part of the cart path and relief is afforded without penalty. | 5 |
| Local Guidance: Lion's Paw | Hole #1: The woods on the right side of fairway from tee to green is a red penalty area. Hole #2: If ball lands in creek to left of fairway, play it as a red penalty area. The rocks are considered part of the penalty area. If ball is in oyster shells to right of green, play it as a red penalty area. The wooded area on the right side of the fairway from tee to green is a red penalty area. Hole #16: A ball hit over water to right of fairway must be played as a red penalty area. | 8-9 |
| Local Guidance: Panther's Run | Hole #4: For a ball hit into the (water) penalty area before the bridge or a ball hit on land over (water) penalty area before the bridge that is in bounds, play as a red penalty area. The pond between the fairway and the green to the right of the bridge is a (water) yellow penalty area. Hole #12: All of the pond on the left side of the fairway is part of the red penalty area. Hole #13: The water behind the 13th green is part of the (water) penalty area. Hole #16: The water behind the 16 th green is part of the (water) penalty area. | 7-8 |
| Local Guidance: Tiger's Eye | Hole #14: The water behind the 14 th green must be played as red penalty area. | 7 |
| Local Guidance: Leopard's Chase | Water or marsh areas in direct line of flight to the hole are yellow penalty areas (Holes #4, #11, #12, #13, #14 #16, #17 and #18 (directly in front of the tee boxes). Hole #3: The drainage ditch behind the green is a red penalty area. The area beyond the ditch is out of bounds. Hole #4: Water lines on the left side of the green, right of the sand traps and behind the hole are red penalty areas. Hole #5: Right side of cart path on the right is a red penalty area. Hole #6: Right side of cart path on the right is a red penalty area. Hole #7: Far right side is a red penalty area at the water's edge. Tree line right of the cart path to the right of the green is a red penalty area. Hole #8: Left side of cart path to the green is a red penalty area. Hole #9: Swampy area on the left side of the fairway and right side of cart path from the tee general area are red penalty areas. Hole #10: Right side tree line to the green is a red penalty area. Hole #11: Tree line left side of fairway to the green is a red penalty area; right side of cart path to the green is a red penalty area except for the private property to the right of the 150 yard mark which is out of bounds. Hole #12: On the right from the bridge to the end of the tree line of the swampy area is a red penalty area. The tree line to the left of the fairway from the bridge general area is a red penalty area. Hole #13: The tree line past the marsh on the right side to the green is a red penalty area. Hole #14: Left side tree line from mid-point of the closely mown general area is a red penalty area including the low lying area left of the left fairway sand traps. Tree line to the right of the green is a red penalty area. Hole #15: Left side tree line and water line to the green is a red penalty area. Hole #16: Left side of cart path general area is a red penalty area. Hole #17: Left side of cart path general area is a red penalty area. | 9-10 |