## Pace of Play

## The Pace of Play suggestions below Can help eliminate slow play.

- Plan your shot while walking to your ball or while others are playing.
- Line up your putt when others are putting and be ready to play when it is your turn.
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- Walk briskly between shots.
- Walk directly to your golf ball; don't follow others unless assisting in a search.
- If riding take several clubs with you to your ball so you won't have to walk back to the cart
- Don't step off or measure yardage for every single golf shot, develop an 'eye" for distance.
- Be efficient with pre-shot routine.
- Take only one practice swing.
- Play a provisional ball if you think the original might be lost outside a water hazard or out of bounds.
- Leave your clubs on the side of the putting green towards the next tee.
- Exit putting green promptly after holing out. Record scores at next tee or, at least a safe distance away from completed green. Park at the back of the green/ where you will walk off. If possible, walk off AWAY from the oncoming foursome so they are free to hit up
- Unless experienced, play the standard tees, not the championship tees.
- When confronted with 'cart paths only', assist the other twosome with moving their cart forward along the path.
- When riding in a cart, hold onto the club you just used, or carry the one you plan on using for the next shot.

- When your group falls behind more than one and one half holes of the group in front of yours, invite the group following your group to "Play Through"
- Play ready Golf If you get to the tee & you're ready to hit, HIT. No Honors
- Putt Out Whomever is furthest, putt out until you've holed out. Respect other players lines of putting.
- Write the scores AT THE NEXT TEE BOX
- KNOW YOUR GAME/BE REALISTIC if you are 230 out on a side hill lie in deep rough, you can probably hit up.
- Don't forget, highest score on a hole is double par. If you hit OB or lose a ball, drive up & drop where you go out.
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