

R.G.C. Pace of Play Rules Change:

The USGA Rules of Golf shall govern all play except as modified by these Local Rules.

SLOW PLAY:

Playing time for a group on Diamond Oaks Golf Course shall be 4 hours 30 minutes. Each member of a group will be subject to a **2-stroke penalty** for slow play if the group does not complete their round within 4 hours 30 minutes and within 15 minutes of the group in front of them. (A breach of both conditions must exist for a penalty to be assessed.)

Official clocks may be positioned at the teeing ground of the starting hole and the putting green of the finishing hole of the stipulated round. When clocks are present, each competitor **MUST** record on **their individual scorecard** the time the first member of their group tees off on the starting hole and the time that the flagstick is replaced after all members of the group have holed out on the finishing hole. **Failure to do so will result in a two-stroke penalty.**

Any two stroke penalty assessed will be applied to the score of the 18th hole and will become the official score for that hole. This official score will be used for posting and for calculating any tournament awards, including skins.

Maximum penalty for a violation of the Slow Play Policy will be 2 strokes.

Any imposed penalty may be appealed to the Rules Committee.
(Rule 6-7, Note 2)