



NikeGolf RookieTour Code of Conduct

For players and parents

- ✔ All parents will stay at least 25 metres away from the competitors at all times.
- ✔ Parents will not offer any advice or discussion with any player during the competition either on the course or at the end of the round back in the Club House until all cards have been signed, checked by the officials and entered into the scoring system. Ball spotting is acceptable.
- ✔ All handicap certificates must be presented on check in and they must be no older than 2 weeks.
- ✔ Players will be expected to be ready at the 1st tee ten minutes before tee off. Players who are late will be penalised two stableford points or may not be allowed to compete if the other players in their group have started to tee off.
- ✔ Players are expected to be suitably attired in appropriate golf clothing and also to take into account the conditions they might expect to encounter during the day.
- ✔ Players will be expected to arrive with pencils, tees, ball-markers, marked balls, plus food and refreshments to sustain them on the course during the competition.
- ✔ Any player seen to be club throwing, swearing, bag kicking or engaging in any other form of inappropriate behaviour will be first warned and then removed from the course and disqualified.
- ✔ Officials will be monitoring and spot checking score cards during play. If any evidence of irregular scoring is found then the player will be spoken to and may be disqualified from the competition. If the infringement happens again with the same player he/she will be removed from the rookie tour for the rest of the season.
- ✔ Players are expected to have at least a basic knowledge of the rules of golf. A rules handbook will be available for any player to pick up whilst booking in. If there any queries that cannot be resolved then please find an official who can make the ruling for you.
- ✔ All players will be expected to be able to score and mark an opponent's card clearly, fairly, and be able to present a neat and tidy card at the scoring desk at the end of the round.
- ✔ Golf is a game best enjoyed when the rules of good sportsmanship & etiquette are applied. Surrey County Golf and the RookieTour will not tolerate poor etiquette and behaviour before, during and after any of the rookie tour events from Player or Parents. If required the appropriate action will be taken.