



JUNIOR TOUR

PINE MEADOW JUNIOR TOUR RULES TEST

Directions: Please circle the letter of the correct answer for the questions below. Where there is space provided for a written answer, please confine your response to the space provided.

1. A player's tee time is 8:30am. The player was stuck in traffic and arrives on the first tee at 8:36am. What is the correct action?
 - a. There is no penalty, the player may tee off and catch up with his/her group.
 - b. There is a two stroke penalty and the player may tee off.
 - c. The player is disqualified.

2. A player is set to hit a drive from the teeing ground. While placing the club behind the ball, the ball falls off the tee. What is the ruling?
 - a. There is no penalty, place the golf ball back on the tee.
 - b. There is a one stroke penalty, play the ball from where it lies.
 - c. There is a two stroke penalty, place the ball back on the tee.

3. A ball is considered out of bounds, if any part of the ball is located out of bounds?
 - a. True
 - b. False

4. What options are available if your ball comes to rest in a lateral water hazard (red stake)?
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____

5. What options are available if your ball comes to rest in a water hazard (yellow stake)?
 - a. _____
 - b. _____

6. The ball comes to rest on a golf cart path, what are your relief options?
 - a. Drop a ball within two club lengths from the nearest point of relief (no nearer the hole).
 - b. Drop a ball within one club length from the nearest point of relief (no nearer the hole).
 - c. Drop a ball within stance and one club length from the nearest point of relief (no nearer the hole).

7. When declaring a ball unplayable, under a one stroke penalty, you can:
- Play a ball from the location of the previous shot.
 - Drop a ball within two club-lengths current location of the ball (no nearer the hole).
 - Drop a ball behind the point where the ball lay, keeping a line with the hole and location of the ball, with no limit to how far behind the ball may be dropped.
 - All of the above.
8. A player hits his/her drive down the middle of the fairway. When the player approaches the ball, it is resting in a puddle (casual water). What are the player's options?
- Play the ball as it lies.
 - Find the nearest point of full relief (no closer to the hole) and drop within one club length.
 - Under the penalty of one stroke, find the nearest point of full relief, no closer to the hole, and drop within one club length.
 - Both a & b.
9. According to the guidelines of the Pine Meadow Junior Tour a player is out of position and subject to penalty if:
- the player and his group fall one hole behind the group in front..
 - the player and his group is taking more than the allotted time per hole to complete.
 - the player and his group take 18 minutes to play a par 5.
 - Answers a & b only
10. A ball is deemed lost if:
- It is not found or identified as by the player within five minutes after the player's side has begun to search for it.
 - The player declares it lost and plays a ball from where the original ball was last played.
 - The player has made a stroke at a provisional ball from the place where the original ball is likely to be or from a point nearer the hole than that place.
 - All of the above.
11. A player grounds his/her golf club while in a sand bunker (hazard). What is the ruling?
- There is no penalty.
 - There is a one stroke penalty.
 - There is a two stroke penalty.
12. A branch from a small tree interferes with the player's swing. In taking a stance, the player breaks the branch. What is the ruling?
- There is no penalty.
 - There is a one stroke penalty.
 - There is a two stroke penalty.
13. Which answer is correct regarding the Pine Meadow Junior Tour recommendations for the time allocated for the play of a hole?.
- par 3- 9 minutes, par 4-12 minutes, par 5- 18 minutes
 - par 3- 11 minutes, par 4-13 minutes, par 5- 19 minutes
14. A player's ball lies on a putting green. As he/she approaches the ball, the wind blows it into a nearby sand bunker. What is the ruling?
- The ball must be played from its current position in the sand bunker.
 - The ball must be replaced to its previous position on the putting green.

15. A player hits a shot and the golf ball contacts a fellow competitor's golf bag. What is the ruling?
- There is no penalty, play the ball where it lies.
 - There is a one stroke penalty, play the ball where it lies.
 - There is a two stroke penalty, play the ball where it lies.
 - Cancel the stroke and return to the location of the previous stroke.
16. A player hits a golf ball onto the putting green. When preparing to mark the ball, the player notices the markings on his/her golf balls are incorrect and realizes he/she had accidentally played the wrong golf ball. What is the ruling?
- There is two stroke penalty, play the ball where it lies.
 - There is two stroke penalty. The player will cancel the shot(s) played with the wrong ball and return for the "correct" golf ball. If the ball is found, play the ball. If the ball is lost, continue under the "lost ball" rule and return to the location of the previous shot.
17. A player gets to their ball in the middle of the fairway and sees the ball is embedded. The player is allowed to clean the ball and drop as near as possible to the spot where the ball lay, no nearer to the hole.
- True
 - False.
18. A player's ball marker is in the way of a competitor's putting line. The competitor asks the player to move the mark a putter head to the left. He/she then putts the ball. The player then steps up and holes out without moving the coin back to its original position. He/she realizes the error while walking off the putting green. What is the ruling?
- The player is disqualified.
 - There is a one stroke penalty.
 - There is a two stroke penalty.
 - The player must go back and under the penalty of two strokes, putt out from a point as close to the correct spot as possible.
19. A ball is located on the fringe. The player chips the ball and the ball contacts the flagstick. What is the ruling?
- There is no penalty.
 - There is a two stroke penalty.
20. Upon completing the round of golf, a competitor incorrectly adds up the player's scorecard to be "76." The player signs the scorecard and turns it in. The scorekeeper correctly adds up the scorecard to be "75." What is the ruling?
75. The player is not responsible for the addition of the scorecard, only the hole by hole scores.
 76. The player is responsible for the addition of the scorecard and the hole by hole scores.
 - DQ. The player signed for an incorrect score.

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