

Stinchcombe Hill Golf Club – Society guidance.



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Introduction

We look forward to welcoming you to Stinchcombe Hill Golf Club.

Stinchcombe Hill Golf Club is located on the southern edge of the Cotswold escarpment above the Severn Valley. With breathtaking views, the course was described by the late Henry Longhurst as one of the most scenic courses in Europe.

The original layout of 9 holes opened in 1889 with a further 9 being completed in 1906. The course was redesigned by Fred Hawtree in 1922 with further changes being made between 1929 and 1936 on the advice of James Braid.

The Course and Slope Rating table can be found using the following link:

<https://stinchcombehillgolfclub.com/uploads/document/slope-rating.pdf>

Etiquette

All visitors must observe the rules and etiquette of golf.

When playing it is important to maintain a reasonable pace of play. If the group playing behind you can play faster, you should invite that group to play through. This is irrespective of the number of players in that group and regardless of the position of the groups in front of you. This helps to ensure that the pace of play for all is not determined by one or two groups.

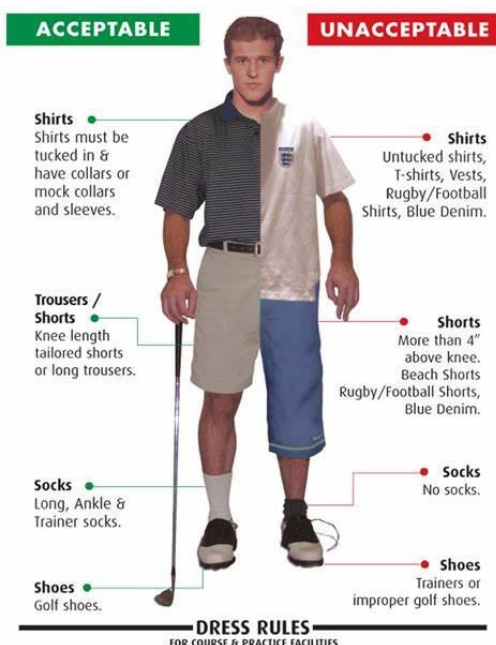
Dress Code

On The Course

Recognised golf clothing and golf shoes to be worn at all times.

Denim jeans, track suits, collarless shirts, camouflage shorts and trainers are not permitted.

MOBILE TELEPHONES. No voice calls within the clubhouse, data use permitted. Calls to be taken outside or the changing rooms.



Buggies

There are 5 double seater buggies, and 2 single seaters available to hire.

To assist the safe employment of ride-on buggies all users shall comply with the following conditions:

1. Buggies must be operated with the utmost courtesy, care and consideration for the safety and convenience of pedestrians. Pedestrians must always be afforded the right-of-way.
2. Any signs and instructions employed on the course, or supplied in writing or verbally by staff, to warn buggy riders of potential danger areas or areas prohibited because of potential unacceptable wear and tear to the course must always be followed.
3. Buggies must be operated and parked in such a manner that they do not impede or interfere with normal pedestrian or vehicular flow on roadways or footpaths.
4. No buggy will be operated at more than 15km per hour. Under Amber conditions speed must be reduced and turns widened.
5. Buggies shall only be used between dawn and dusk.
6. Buggies must be operated in compliance with the common rules on the road regardless of where they are operated.
7. The law that applies to driving on the public highway with respect to alcohol and drugs must be followed when using a buggy.

Adherence to this guide

It is the responsibility of the society group organiser/leader to ensure that the information on etiquette, dress code and buggy use is disseminated to all members of the group before arrival at the course. Any queries, clarifications, or questions on this should also be addressed to the General Manager prior to arrival at the course.

All instructions or requests made by either the course starter or the course marshal shall be followed. Failure to follow pace of play instructions could result in your society to not be welcomed back to Stinchcombe Hill. Noncompliance of any of our rules may lead to you being asked to leave the course with immediate effect.