

**Far Corner Local Rules
9 Hole Ladies League
April 2026**

All Courses -

- All golfers are permitted, during league play, to move the ball within one scorecard length of where it lies, no closer to the hole, to obtain a "preferred lie" ONLY IF THE BALL IS IN THE FAIRWAY. If the ball is in the rough or on the green, you may not take a "preferred lie".
- Golfers may take a free lift from any mulched flower beds on the course.

Fox	
1	Red penalty area left side tee through green.
2	Out of Bounds left side marked with white stakes.
3	Drainage ditch in front of the tees is a yellow penalty area.
4	Back left of green (drainage area) IS a free lift (one club length, no closer to hole)
6	French drain on left – relief to fairway (stance and 1 club length)
7	a. Yellow penalty area in front of green b. Inlet in front of the penalty area IS a free lift. c. The right side of the hill (green side) is a red penalty area. d. Ball in water penalty area once – player can move to drop area in rough (past the green, near tree close to where carts park)
9	If the red water pipes impede or inhibit your swing, you may drop the ball up to 2 club lengths laterally with no penalty. Water to the left of the fairway path in front of green is a red penalty area. Water to the right is a yellow penalty area.
Heron	
1	White stakes on the right (driving range side) is Out of Bounds.
2	French drain half way down hill going across the fairway IS a free lift, no closer to the hole. Red penalty area left side and around the green.
3	Out of bounds left of stone wall.
4	Tree line left is red penalty area.
5	French drain (about 2-3 feet wide) on the right side IS a free lift, no closer to the hole. Relief to fairway (stance and 1 club length).
7	Red penalty area left side.

Additional Information

- **Red stakes** – 3 options: Stroke and Distance (replay from original spot); Back on the Line; Lateral Relief 2 club lengths. One stroke penalty.
- **Yellow stakes** – 2 options: stroke and distance; back on the line. One stroke penalty.
- **White stakes – Ball Out of Bounds:** 2 Options: Hit a provisional ball from where the last ball was played with **one stroke penalty**. As an alternative to playing a provisional ball in the event of a ball out of bounds, the player can take a drop in the nearest spot of the fairway (within two club-lengths of the edge of the fairway), no nearer the hole than where the ball crossed the OB line, with a **two stroke penalty**. If a player chooses to play a provisional ball, then this alternative has been forfeited.
- **Lost Ball** – Same Options as Ball Out of Bounds.
- **Unplayable Lie** – 3 Options: Stroke and Distance; Back on the Line; or Lateral Relief 2 club lengths. One stroke penalty.
- **Unplayable Lie in Sand Bunker** – Same options as unplayable lie but must stay within the bunker with one stroke penalty. **Or** Back on the Line & out of the bunker, **two stroke penalty**.
- **Abnormal Conditions-** temporary water, animal holes, ground under repair, immovable objects. Determine the nearest point of relief, no closer to the hole. Mark the spot and then drop the ball within one club length, no closer to the hole. **No** penalty.
- Play is governed by USGA rules.