



## **Private Golf Cart Policy**

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of the Private Golf Cart policy is to articulate Shoalhaven Heads Golf Club (the Club)'s terms and conditions for use of a private cart on the golf course, including the adjoining grounds and carpark.

The Club has complete discretion to either allow or refuse the operation and/or use of privately owned golf carts on its course.

### **DEFINITION**

For the purposes of this policy a cart is any motorised conveyance designed to carry golfer(s) and their clubs. It includes any conveyance device that is assisted by petroleum, battery or any form of electric device including e-bikes excluding devices referred to as walk behind electric buggies.

### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

The Club will allow the use of privately owned golf carts subject to the conditions set out below:

- (i) The operator must be affiliated with Golf Australia and aged over 18.
- (ii) The operator must abide by the Club's playing and general policies.
- (iii) Prior to commencing play the operator must register at the Pro Shop and identify any person accompanying him or her in the cart and pay any applicable green or competition fees.
- (iv) The cart will be operated on the golf course only for the purpose of participating in golf.
- (v) The cart must only be driven on designated cart paths, wherever possible, and must not be driven within 10 metres of a tee or hazard or within 15 metres of a green, and specifically any area delineated by blue markings that highlight cart exclusion zones from a green or as otherwise directed by the Captain or greens staff.
- (vi) The cart may only be parked at the side or rear of a green.
- (vii) The cart must carry sufficient sand for divot repair.
- (viii) No more than the number of people for which the cart is designed shall ride in the cart.
- (ix) Each person in the cart to have their own set of clubs.

The operator is personally responsible to ensure that he or she complies with the Terms and Conditions set out above and be compliant with all club policies.

## **INSURANCE, INDEMNIFICATION AND RELEASE PROVISION**

- (i) The Club shall assume no responsibility for the cart at any time. The operator is responsible for the cart and warrants that it is kept in good condition and repair.
- (ii) The operator is responsible for insuring against personal injury and personal property damage arising from use of the cart.
- (iii) The operator hereby expressly indemnifies and agrees to defend and hold harmless the Club, its officers, directors and employees, from any, and all, damage, whether direct or consequential, arising from or related to the operation of the cart.
- (iv) The operator releases the Club, its officers, directors and employees from any liability with respect to any cause of action for bodily injury, property damage or death resulting from the use of the cart.

Shoalhaven Heads Golf Club  
Board of Directors