



2026 U.S. Kids Paris Invitational

Golf Val D'Europe – Local Rules

The following Local Rules all refer to the Rules of Golf effective January 2023. See the Official Guide to the Rules of Golf for references to Model local Rules.

OUT OF BOUNDS (Rule 18)

Defined by:

- White lines and/or white stakes, and all fences.
- On both sides, white markings at the entry of the tunnels. The Tunnels are Out of bounds.
- The maintenance area on the left of the green on hole 4 of the red course

ABNORMAL COURSE CONDITIONS, EMBEDDED BALL (Rule 16)

A. Ground Under Repair.

- Gullies/Ravines in bunkers
- All areas bounded by white/or blue lines
- Bird holes on putting greens.
- Cracks in the ground on greens or in parts of the general area cut to fairway height or less, but relief is not allowed if the crack only interferes with the player's stance.
- Goose droppings may be treated as loose impediment (Rule 15.1).
- Interference does not exist if a hole made by an animal only interferes with the player's stance. Relief will be denied.

B. Immovable Obstructions.

- All paved car path
- Railway sleepers in the bunkers, and in front of any wooden bridge.

Marking, lifting, cleaning and replacing the ball without penalty is permitted only when the ball lies in the general area cut to fairway height on Holes 1 and 9 of the Red and Blue Course and Hole 9 of the White course (Local rule E-2).

INTEGRAL OBJECTS

Artificial retaining walls and/or pilings when located within penalty areas
The rocks anywhere on the course.

WRONG GREENS

The putting green in front of the club-house and the chipping green on the left of hole 9 of the blue course are wrong greens from which play is forbidden.
But these wrong greens are designed as practice areas on the course.

STRONGLY RECOMMENDED and could be considered as slow play if not applied.

Playing a PROVISIONAL BALL if a ball may be lost or out of bounds

And applying READY PLAY

UNSIGNED SCORECARDS (MLR L1): In the event a player returns their scorecard without player or marker certification, the penalty will be two strokes.

SCORING AREA: Scoring Areas for Red/Blue/White Course will be inside the club-house

REFEREES: Anke Sutter, Godefroy Bresard.