

Thirlstane Golf Club Inc.

Policy on use of Motorised Golf Carts

It is the policy of the Thirlstane Golf Club that motorised golf Carts may be used on the course subject to the conditions approved by the Committee for the use of Carts on the course.

In this policy

“Committee” includes the general committee and / or the Match Committee.

“Course” means the Thirlstane Golf Course.

Conditions for use of Carts

- The type of cart used on the course must be specifically designed for use as a golf cart.
- Any golf cart used on the course must be of a type approved by the committee.
- A medical certificate is no longer required to use a cart except for Pennant and Club Championship events as well as any other major competition as specifically determined by the committee.
- Any person using a cart must be over the age of 17 years and must hold a current drives licence.
- Carts designed to carry two persons and two sets of equipment may be used by up to two persons.
- Carts must not be driven within 5 metres of greens and bunkers or within 5 metres of tee beds where no defined path exists and must be used in such a way that they do not damage the course.
- Always use paths where provided.
- Never drive a cart through a hazard.
- Avoid all wet areas.
- Carts must not be driven in areas marked as G.U.R.
- All motorised cart and buggy users shall observe the Rules of Golf Etiquette as well as conditions stipulated by the committee.
- The Committee reserves the right, at its absolute discretion, to disqualify a player using a cart from any competition, and to suspend or cancel or otherwise limit the use of a cart if it becomes aware of any breach of these conditions by a member or visitor using a cart on the course.
- The Committee may suspend the use of carts or restrict the areas they can be used when the course conditions may be considered to be unsuitable for the use of carts.

This policy takes effect from April 2nd. 2016 (and replaces the policy dated 1 May 2015)

President

Thirlstane Golf Club Inc.