

GUIDANCE - PLEASE PLAY READY GOLF (UNLESS IN A MATCH)

Play your shot when safe to do so if a player farther away faces a challenging shot and is taking time to assess their options.

Shorter hitters should play first from the tee or fairway if longer hitters have to wait.

Play your tee shot if the person with the honour is delayed in being ready to play.

Leave your bag/trolley/buggy to the side of the green in readiness to move promptly to the next hole.

Play your shot before helping someone to look for a lost ball.

Mark scores upon immediate arrival at the next tee, except that the first player to tee off marks their card immediately after teeing off.

Play your shot if a person who has just played from a green side bunker is still farthest away from the hole but is delayed due to raking the bunker.

When a player's ball has gone over the back of the green, any player closer to the hole but chipping from the front of the green should play while the other player is having to walk to their ball to assess their shot.