

# RESTART

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GOLF COURSES UPDATE

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## SAFETY IS OUR FIRST PRIORITY

The safety of residents and staff is our first priority. The safety protocols described below were developed based on guidance from the Ohio Department of Health and in partnership with Columbus Public Health. We will update the protocols as things evolve; golfers are encouraged to pay attention to all signage at the courses for the most up-to-date information.

## PARTICIPANTS SAFETY

Please note that to ensure the safety of our guests and staff, anyone not following these protocols will be asked to leave the course and will not receive a refund.

Please visit [crpdgolf.com](http://crpdgolf.com) for the most up-to-date information about course rules.

### General Information:

- Golfers are strongly encouraged to wear face coverings while in the buildings, such as the pro shop.
- Follow social distancing protocols. Signage has been placed around the courses to mark safe distances.
- Clean your hands often using the hand sanitizer located throughout the course.
- Do not arrive earlier than needed before your tee time.
- Payment can be made inside the pro shop, or by calling the pro shop when you arrive. Please have one person pay for the group.
- Do not congregate around or sit in the clubhouse.
- No more than four guests can be in the pro shop at one time.

### Carts:

- Pull carts are available for rent and will be sanitized after each use. When done, do not put them back in the stack of unused carts.
- Golf carts are available for single riders and will be sanitized after each use. Exceptions to the single rider rule are for persons with disabilities accompanied by a caretaker and golfers from the same household.
- Empty carts of all trash when done.

## Course Rules:

- The practice green is accessible to those who are next to tee off, or “on deck.”
- During league play, there will be a designated putting area for those teeing off on the front nine and back nine. The on deck rule applies.
- Wait until you are called to the tee box by a staff member. If no staff member is present, wait until the group teeing off has left the tee box before approaching.
- Leave flagsticks in at all times.
- Do not touch anything that does not belong to you, including partners’ equipment.

## STAFF SAFETY

- All Columbus Recreation and Parks Department staff are required to self-monitor and report on their health status daily. Staff are prohibited from working if they show any symptoms of the coronavirus.
- All Columbus Recreation and Parks Department staff are required to have a face covering on their person at all times, and to wear the covering when working with guests or staff.
- Plexiglass dividers have been installed in the pro shop to create a barrier between guests and staff.
- Staff are limiting the handling of money and credit cards.
- Staff are regularly disinfecting commonly touched surfaces, including countertops, door handles, restrooms, pull carts and golf carts.

## FAQs

### **Do I have to wear a face covering (mask) on the course?**

No, you do not have to wear a face covering while on the golf course. However, the **wearing of face coverings indoors is recommended.**

### **How will you deal with golfers who don’t observe safety protocols?**

If you see someone who is not following the designated rules, please reach out to our staff so they can address the issue. The health and safety of our golfers and our staff is the top priority for our department, and we want to ensure that people can golf safely during this public health emergency.

## CONTACT US

Visit [crpdgolf.com](http://crpdgolf.com) for more information, or contact one of our golf courses:

- **Airport Golf Course** | 614-645-3127
- **Champions Golf Course** | 614-645-7111 (Currently closed due to construction)
- **Mentel Memorial Golf Course** | 614-645-3050
- **Raymond Memorial Golf Course** | 614-645-3276
- **Turnberry Golf Course** | 614-645-2582
- **Wilson Road Golf Course** | 614-645-3221

For latest information and updates on the Columbus Recreation and Parks Department's reopening plan, visit [Columbus.gov/RecParksCOVID19/](http://Columbus.gov/RecParksCOVID19/) or follow us on social media.

