

## H&S Risk Assessment - Appendix D

### Motorised Buggies - Winter Period Safety Policy

(For the purpose of this document the winter period is generally regarded as being from October until March)

- The use of motorised buggies on wet, muddy, or icy ground considerably increases risk. This risk is borne by the user/s.
- Motorised buggy users must ensure that they drive the vehicle at the appropriate speed commensurate to the terrain and having regard for other relevant safety consideration. In wet or muddy conditions, the maximum recommended speed is slow walking pace.
- The topography of certain areas of the course is such that caution, and forethought must be demonstrated by motorised buggy users.
- The Winter Buggy Route Map (see below) details the recommended route around the course and the location of steep and very steep slopes that must be treated with caution or extreme caution.
- When navigating steep and very steep slopes to avoid tipping motorised buggies over, they should only be driven straight up and/or down these slopes and not across the slope.
- The golf holes where steep and very steep gradients exist are holes 2, 3, 4, 10 and 12. The recommended Winter Buggy Route around the course as well as enlarged maps of the golf holes identified are included below.

### CGC Winter Buggy Route Map



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## Hole 2

Buggies are required to use the uphill gravel path/ramp located adjacent to the small trees on the left-hand side at the entrance to the 2nd green.

The uphill gravel path/ramp leads to an upper level that overlooks the 2nd green.



## Hole 3

From the tee box after passing to the left of the 2nd green the 3rd fairway slopes down severely.

Buggy users must ensure that they drive the vehicle with caution and at an appropriate slow speed.

In wet or muddy conditions, the maximum recommended speed is walking pace.

Exit the 3rd fairway to the left before the bunker.



## Hole 4

After passing the Ladies red tee box the fairway gradient slopes up.

To avoid tipping a buggy it should be driven straight up the slope at an appropriate speed.

Exit the 4th fairway via the gravel path to the left of the fairway before the left-hand greenside bunker that leads to the 5th tee box.



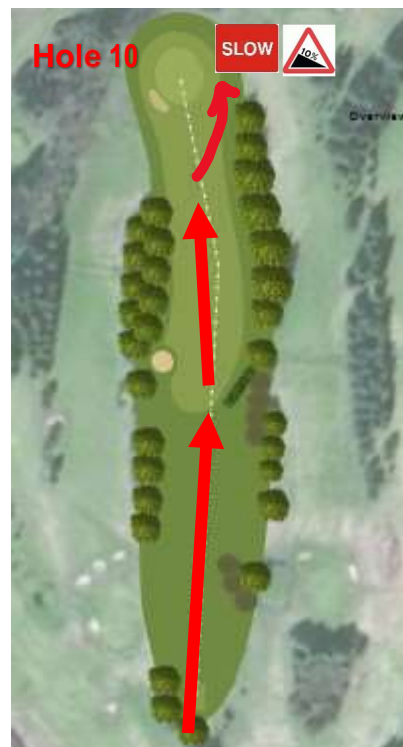
## Hole 10

From the 10th green the terrain to the 11th tee slopes down severely.

Buggy users are required to travel to the 11th tee via a route to the right of the 10th green that leads onto a gravel path.

Buggy users must ensure that they drive the vehicle with caution and at an appropriate slow speed.

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## Hole 12

The 12th fairway slopes from left to right with the slope being significantly steeper from the left-hand side as you approach the green.

Buggy users are required to travel in the semi rough or rough on the left-hand side of the 12th fairway which leads directly onto a gravel path leading to the 13th tee.

Under no circumstance should buggy users attempt to travel down or across the very severe slopes. Players will need to walk to any ball that is on the fairway or in the rough or semi rough beneath them.

Buggy users must ensure that they drive the vehicle with caution and at an appropriate slow speed.

In wet or muddy conditions, the maximum recommended speed is slow walking pace.

