

Rules of etiquette

Requirements

1. *Players are required to be in possession of a current license issued by the Royal Spanish Golf Federation or its equivalent in their country of origin. Maximum handicaps for Gentlemen are 28 and 36 for Ladies.*
2. *Players are to be present on the tee 10 minutes prior to their allocated tee-off time. Failure to do so will forfeit their right to tee-off, and require them to apply for a new tee-off time.*
3. *Any player who through slow game obstruct the overall pace of the game on the course may be prompted by the Marshall to allow following groups to play through.*
4. *Groups are to be made up of four-balls. In the event that a reservation should be made for a lesser number of players, the Club reserves the right to incorporate players to the group so as to make up a four-ball.*
5. *Players are required to keep the green fee receipt throughout their round. The Marshall is within his right to ask for it. If it is not in the player possession, he should be invited to leave the game and pay the appropriate green fee.*

Forbidden

1. *The use of mobile phones, both on the course and in practice areas.*
2. *No practice allowed on playing area.*
3. *Three or more people in one buggy. Any persons accompanying the players should not drive the buggy and in the event that they do so it is under their sole responsibility. A maximum of two players and two golf bags per buggy.*
4. *Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by an adult and fulfil the minimum handicap requirements. Under no circumstance they are allowed to drive the buggies.*
5. *Removing the ball from the cup with the putter.*

We kindly ask all players

1. *Please mark the ball on par 3s and allow the following group to play.*
2. *In the event of slow game to allow the group following to play through.*
3. *Replace the divots, smooth the bunkers and repair the pitches in the green.*
4. *Use of the buggy: it is allowed to use the buggy on the fairway, unless indicated otherwise due to the special conditions of the course.*

In the event of non-compliance to these rules, the Management of Río Real Golf Club reserves the right to ask the players to leave the premises.

Code of etiquette

1. Jeans, swimming shorts, sleeveless and collarless tee shirts and polo shirts are not allowed and any inappropriate attire at the discretion of the Club.
2. Appropriate footwear is required and the use of street shoes or trainers is not allowed.
3. The Club reserves the right to refuse admission if any of the above are not fulfilled or as a result of poor behavior under normal courtesy rules.

Local rules

- ▶ Out of bounds: White stakes and metal fences.
- ▶ Moveable obstructions: Stones in bunkers (Rule 24-1)
- ▶ Immovable obstructions: Fixed sprinkler heads, benches, cement paths, litter bins (Rule 24-2b)

Distances

- ▶ White marker: 200m. to the entrance of the green.
- ▶ Yellow marker: 150m. to the entrance of the green.
- ▶ Red marker: 100m. to the entrance of the green.

Access

- ▶ From Malaga, please drive direction Algeciras & Marbella on the coast road A-7 and after passing the Costa del Sol Hospital exit at "Torre Real" and follow the signs up towards Rio Real Golf & Hotel.
- ▶ If you take AP-7 (toll road), exit at the shopping center "La Cañada", turn to Malaga and after passing Marbella and Funny Beach exit at "Torre Real" and follow signs up towards Rio Real Golf & Hotel.

GPS

Latitude; 36.513048, -4.844274

Longitude; +36° 30' 46.97", -4° 50' 39.39"

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