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The Rules of Golf at a Glance

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THE RULES OF GOLF AT A GLANCE . . . SAND TRAPS

Balls within club length. Lift ball nearer hole until farther is played, then replace. If original lie is at level, choose nearest similar lie. If ball which has not been lifted is moved by opponent, he loses hole.

You must play from casual water in hazard, or take one stroke penalty for dropping either in or outside hazard. Obey Rule 27 (f) which see. If ball came from tee, you may lie up on tee.

Branch A may be removed because it does not touch the hazard, but after your ball is in the trap, branch B (ouching trap), may not be lifted.

If steps interfere, move them if movable; if not, place ball in nearest similar lie.

Grass-covered slopes are not part of a sand trap—only the exposed sand or sand.

Impurities may be removed. If ball is moved in so doing, replace.

Ball completely covered with sand. Okay to scrape away sand, but only until you can see top of ball, no more.

You may "worm" foot into sand to obtain assistance, but don't build a stance by scraping up sand.

If ball moves after taking stance, add one penalty stroke.

Don't touch or remove stones, leaves or natural objects. "Man-made" objects may be lifted.

Footprints, etc., may be smoothed out before stroke, if lie of ball is not improved or subsequent stroke assisted. Smart caddies wait until they've shot.

WARNING: This chart deals only with sand-traps. There are other types of hazards, to which some of the statements here do not apply.

An island of grass is not a part of a sand trap. The usual "fair way" rules apply.

No penalty for touching leaves, etc., while searching for ball, but no more touching after you find it.

Slides of bunker, or anything growing may be touched anytime during address or swing.

Illegal to touch sand with club prior to down-swing.

The careful club does not scrape into sand on the backswing.

GOOD PRACTICE

- Enter and leave trap where back is lowest
- Disturb sand surface as little as possible
- Smooth out your footprints and sand "divots"
- Do not permit your caddy to enter the trap.

PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS Unless Otherwise Noted

- Match Play . . . Loss of Hole
- Stroke Play . . . Two Strokes

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