



# SKIPTON GOLF CLUB

## COURSE SAFETY



**LIGHTNING:** In the event of an electrical storm, suspend play immediately and take appropriate action.

**POOR VISIBILITY:** Do not commence or continue play in fog/poor visibility, when you cannot see the clear distance of your intended shot.



**GREENS STAFF:** Have priority at all times.

Players are expected to wait for staff to acknowledge them and move out of range, **BEFORE** playing a shot that might endanger them.

*DO NOT* assume a greenkeeper will be able to hear or react to a shout of "FORE!"



**THE COURSE, IT'S STEPS AND SURFACES** may be slippery when damp or wet. Golfers must ensure to wear appropriate footwear to meet the prevailing conditions. Wherever possible, keep to footpaths and steps.

Care should be taken when entering and leaving deep-sided bunkers and on steeper slopes around the course.



**BUGGIES:** To ensure the safety of all golf course users, buggy drivers are required to comply with the Club's Buggy Policy and follow designated buggy routes at all times. Take particular care on slopes and around ditches and deep-sided bunkers.



**PUBLIC FOOTPATH:** A public footpath crosses the golf course. Priority must be given to path users at all times.

**Players must not play shots until the way ahead is clear.**



**FIRST AID:** Assistance is available in the Clubhouse.

**ALL ACCIDENTS MUST BE REPORTED TO THE OFFICE**

**PLAYERS ARE REMINDED OF THE NEED TO SHOUT "FORE!" IF YOU CANNOT SEE THE FULL RANGE OF ANY WAYWARD SHOT**



- Players should not play until the players in front are out of range.
- Players should ensure that no one is standing close by or in a position to be hit by the club, the ball or any stones, pebbles, twigs or the like when they make a stroke or practice swing.
- If a player plays a ball in a direction where there is a danger of hitting someone, they should immediately shout "FORE!"
- On hearing "FORE!" - Crouch, cover your head with your arms and count to 10.

**You are advised to carry a mobile phone to summon assistance in an emergency.**

**RING 999 FOR AN AMBULANCE**

**POSTCODE: BD23 3LF**

**AMBULANCE ACCESS POINTS: Main Car Park**

**What3Words: mount.chairs.mural**