

# 555 GOLF EDITORIALS

**'PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE'**

## PLAYING BY THE RULES

Good morning to you!

Society is a real living organism. It has all the variety of its millions of inhabitants. 'Mother Nature' also has rules. If you violate them, there may be repercussions or consequences. There may not! She is reasonably flexible too!

When one plays in the Sunday NFL, there are strictly followed rules. The Monday Night 'Flag Football' has its own local variety. That does not make the 'Monday' activity 'Wrong' or non-existent. The participating players have to agree to their own flavour and have FUN.

Golf calls this the 'Local Rules' as may be prescribed by the 'Pro Shop' or by the actual 'Four Some' ... or 'One Some'!

If one or four cannot accommodate their 'FUN' event with commonsensical compromise, the golf equipment sales and green fees shall drop even farther.

We generally respect the 'Rules Of Golf' ... noting that there are also boldly 'Two' cooperating sets of these world guidelines! If we are closed-minded, as some of the comments herein, the 'R&A' must not really exist? Or would that mean the extinction of the USGA? Wondering?

I think we all really do get 'IT' ... even the die-hard purists!

We have heard about the 18" cup to speed up play! Greens keepers shall NEVER do that so give up the idea! You, however, can still do the 'Gimmie' or play the ball as holed if it is 'Within The Rubber'. ('Standard Putter!')

Enough said! I have to now earn a living before my buddy and I go play a quick 6 holes according to the Frisco rules.

Our wives have their own Friday afternoon rules that also govern our golf! BTW ... they trump ("Over-Rule") the USGA and the R&A!

Have fun!

**"Welcome Aboard!"**

**"Enjoy The Ride!"**

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