



FORMBY HALL

GOLF RESORT & SPA

## YOUR ESSENTIAL FORMBY HALL GOLF GUIDE

### ON ARRIVAL

As you drive into the main resort courtyard car park the entrance to the Golf shop, driving range, PGA Golf academy and Leisure and Spa reception are located on the left hand side. The hotel reception, 19th hole, L37 restaurant, Ambassador and Diplomat suites are situated on the right hand side.

### CAR PARKING

In addition to the main central courtyard car park, extra parking spaces are available in the overflow car park located to the left hand side as you drive into the main car park. Further spaces are located under the archway situated in the far right corner of the main car park.

### GOLF SHOP RECEPTION

Please check the Golf Shop for all golf tee time reservations and enquiries, lesson bookings, equipment requirements, range balls, buggy and trolley hire.

### GREEN FEES

All green fees must be paid at the Golf Shop before going to the first tee. Green fee bag tags must be displayed on your golf bag and shown to the starter before teeing off.

### 1ST TEE

Located on the right hand side as you enter the main car park, the conservatory is the starters hut and is a good reference landmark. The main putting green is located in front of the starters hut.

### STARTING TIMES

All golfers must arrive on the 1st tee at least 10 minutes before their tee off time. Tee times run at 8 minute intervals. Each group must commence as soon as the group in front are out of hitting range.

### COURSE INFORMATION

Measuring 6,266 yards off the yellow tees and stretching to over 7,000 yards off the blue tees, the Old Course sits on flat terrain. The course is well guarded by natural water hazards and pot bunkers. Pete based turf provides unique and consist playing surface all year round. 150 yard posts and yardages on sprinkler heads are all measured to the centre of the greens. Yardage charts are also available from the Golf Shop. Pin positions are located on your scorecard.



### HANDICAPS

Although we are flexible on handicap ability we do request that you are able to complete 18 holes in under 4 hours and have a good knowledge of golf rules and etiquette.



### DEPOSITS

All golf bookings must be paid in full prior to the commencement of play. Payment can be made in the golf shop or sales office, debit and credit cards are accepted.

Please note that we operate a 48 hour cancellation policy on all tee-time bookings. Group bookings (12 or more) are subject to a 7 day cancellation policy.



### DRESS CODE

Formby Hall operates a smart casual dress in the bar and restaurant areas. On the golf courses we only allow smart golfing attire.

We ask all visitors and golf members to respect our dress code and club etiquettes when playing on our courses or using the club house. Please read our dress code and make sure mobile phones are switched off or turned to silent/vibrate both in the club house and on the course.

**TROUSERS** - Denim jeans, tracksuits and military style attire (combats) are not considered appropriate on the golf course.

**SHORTS** - In the summer months Bermuda length tailored shorts, knee length or short sports socks (not football socks) may be worn by male members and guests. Ladies may wear ankle length socks.

**SHIRTS** - Only collared shirts / roll necks / turtle neck tops can be worn and must be tucked into trousers or shorts at all times. Football or Rugby style shirts and tracksuit & hooded tops are strictly NOT permitted.

**SHOES** - Golf shoes only are allowed on the Old Course but suitable training shoes may be worn on The PGA PAR 3 course.

**CAPS** - Caps should not be worn the wrong way round (i.e. peak at the back or side) and must not be worn in the clubhouse.

**MOBILE PHONES** - Mobile phones must be switched off or turned to silent / vibrate both on the course and in the clubhouse.

### CHANGING ROOM FACILITIES

Gents & Ladies changing rooms are available adjacent to the Golf Shop entrance. Showers and lockers are available. Lockers require a £1 coin which is returned after use. Changing in the car park is not permitted.

### HIRE EQUIPMENT

Buggies, trolleys and rental clubs are available for hire upon request, Buggies are £45 per round, electric trolleys are £15, pull trolley hire is £5 and rental clubs are £75 per round, to reserve please make your requirements known at the time of booking or call the Golf Shop Team on 01704 875699.

## BUGGIES & TROLLEYS

Buggies and trolleys must be kept on pathways where provided and **MUST NOT** be taken onto a putting green or teeing area. Buggies **MUST** be kept at least 8 metres from the edge of all greens and kept away from bunkers and water hazards. Local notices regulating the movement of golf carts should be strictly observed.

## CLUB STORAGE

Clubs can be stored in our locker room. Clubs are left at their owner's own risk.

## PRACTICE FACILITIES

Our academy practice facilities include 2 putting greens, short game area and driving range. Putting greens are available for all golfers to use within the cost of their green fee.

Our driving range has 16 floodlit covered bays with 6 power-tee hoppers. Driving range balls are purchased from the Golf Shop. The range ball machine is barcode operated.

## CATERING

All visitors are welcome to use the 19th hole, cocktail bar and L37 restaurant. Food for before and after your round can be pre-arranged or ordered on the day. Soft drinks and snacks for your round are available from the Golf Shop. We do have an on course catering buggy, this is only operated on selected days, please check with the Golf Shop before teeing off.

## COURSE ETIQUETTE

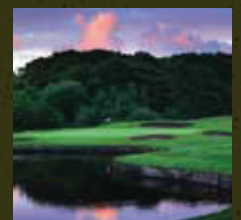
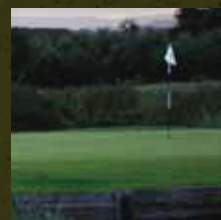
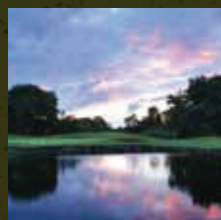
Golf is played, for the most part, without the supervision of a referee or umpire. The game relies on the integrity of the individual to show consideration for other players and to abide by the rules. All players should conduct themselves in a disciplined manner, demonstrating courtesy and sportsmanship at all times, irrespective of how competitive they may be. This is the spirit of the game of golf.

## PLAY AT GOOD PACE AND KEEP UP

Players should play at a good pace. It is a group's responsibility to keep up with the group in front. If it loses a clear hole and it is delaying the group behind, it should invite the group behind to play through, irrespective of the number of players in that group. Where a group has not lost a clear hole, but it is apparent that the group behind can play faster, it should invite the faster moving group to play through.

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Players should be ready to play as soon as it is their turn to play. When playing on or near the putting green, they should leave their bags or carts in such a position as will enable quick movement off the green and towards the next tee. When the play of a hole has been completed, players should immediately leave the putting green.



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Members are reminded that the Committee are bound by Rule 6-7- Undue Delay: Slow Play

### LOCAL RULES

A list of all local rules is printed on the reverse of the scorecard. Any temporary local rules will be posted on the 1st tee notice board.



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