

TOP 10 TIPS TO SPEED UP PLAY

- 1 When waiting on a tee or the fairway let a shorter hitter go out of order if they can't reach the group in front. **Play ready golf.**
- 2 As soon as it's your turn to play you should be ready to step up and make the shot. Offer to play out of turn if your partner is delayed by having to rake a bunker etc. **Play ready golf.**
- 3 Use the time spent getting to your ball to think about the next shot, club, yardage, shape etc.
- 4 Start to read the green as you approach it, don't wait till it's your turn.
- 5 Leave your trolley and bag where you will exit the green to the next tee not in front of it
- 6 Putt out rather than marking the ball when it is close to the hole
- 7 Mark your scorecards on the next tee NOT on the green. But tee off before marking your card if the fairway is clear.
- 8 Keep a good watch on your partner's ball to help them if they lose it. If you are unsure play a provisional ball.
- 9 Walk at a good pace between shots, but don't run.
- 10 If you **can't score** on a hole in a stableford, **pick up**

Generally:

- 1 Keep up with the group in front
- 2 If you find you are holding up a quicker group behind please invite them to play through.