

## Executive Meeting March 26, 2024

### Rules and Handicap Report

On February 19, 2024 the Rules Committee sent out a survey to all the Club Captains to see if there was sufficient interest in pursuing a Rules Seminar.

We asked if there were areas that clubs would like to review and requested that we have a reply from the Clubs by March 15, 2024. To date we have not received any feedback from the Clubs.

I have downloaded 2 PowerPoint presentations. One from the R&A and one from the USGA website. These are presentations that clubs can present to their own members.

These links are available at

[Rules Toolkit for Clubs and Facilities \(usga.org\)](https://www.usga.org/rulestoolkit)

[2023 Rules of Golf Resources - Dropbox](#) You will need to download.

Both offer demonstrations and videos of the Rules of Golf.

The World Handicap System WHS has been updated effective January 1, 2024.

Inclusion of Shorter-Length Golf Courses Within the Course Rating System:

Use of an Expected Score for a Hole Not Played

Playing Conditions Calculation Adjustments Made More Frequent:

Enhanced Guidance on Conducting a Handicap Review:

[Home | The World Handicap System - World Handicap System: USGA | R&A \(whs.com\)World Handicap System™ Revisions Announced for 2024 \(randa.org\)](#)

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