

Lahinch Golf Club

Terms & Conditions 2024

Player Details

All player names, official handicaps and home clubs must be disclosed to the Club.

Maximum Handicap Index requirements are Ladies 36 / Men 24. (Handicap certificates maybe required on check in).

Junior Golfers must be between 14-18 years old, maximum playing handicap index of 16 and be accompanied by an adult golfer.

Playing Groups

Play on the Old Course will be in fourball groups.

Bookings less than 4 players will be paired with other golfers to make a fourball.

Payment

- 100% payment is required at time of booking to secure tee time.
- Tee times will not be reserved without receipt of full payment.

Payment can be made by Credit Card or Bank Transfer (account details available on request).

Confirmation & receipt of payment will be confirmed by email within 72 hours of payment.

Refund Policy

Cancellations or changes in numbers will incur the following penalties:

Cancellations

- Made 60 days or more in advance of date of play
- 50% of total payment will be refunded on request but 50% is non-refundable
- Made less than 60 days in advance of date of play
- no refund will be issued but the date can be transferred to a new date once, subject to availability.
If there are additional fees to be paid for the new tee time, they must be paid in full at the time of booking transfer. If you need to cancel that date again the full balance will be forfeited.

Reduction in Group Sizes

- Made 60 days or more in advance of date of play - 50% of total payment will be refunded on request.
- Made less than 60 days in advance of date of play - no refund will be issued.

All cancellations/changes must be confirmed in writing by email.

Cancellations/changes made by telephone will not occur until written confirmation is received by Lahinch Golf Club.

No Shows

Failure to keep an appointed reservation will result in full forfeiture of payment. Refunds will not be issued.

PGA Professionals

Golf Professionals may, on submission of PGA credentials to the Club Office in advance of play, may receive courtesy of the golf course. A maximum of one golf professional per group is allowed but additional golf professionals will receive preferential rates.

Course Closure

In the event of cancellation by the Club, due to weather conditions or other circumstances, an alternative date for golf will be offered (based on availability) or a voucher to the value of the total amount received will be issued.

Check-in

All golfers must check-in at the Golf Shop, located in the Clubhouse, at least 30 minutes before their allocated tee time. Tee times are drawn up to accommodate four players in each time slot. Due to pressure on the timesheet, it may be necessary to pair up golfers on the day (see Playing Groups above).

Practice Facilities

Complementary use of the Club's practice facilities is available to visiting golfers prior to their tee-time.

Dress Code

Players are expected to wear an acceptable standard of dress.

The following examples are considered unacceptable on the golf course:

- denim jeans & jackets
- sleeveless or collarless shirts (ladies can wear sleeveless tee shirts with collars)
- untailored shorts & cargo shorts
- tracksuits/leisure suits
- Trainer Shoes or Runners
- garments displaying slogans.

In the Clubhouse, dress should be smart casual, but we ask that headwear be removed.

Spikes

Soft or Metal Spikes must be worn.

Ride-on Golf Cart

The Old Course is designed as a walking course and is not suitable for ride-on golf carts.

Therefore, ride-on golf carts are not available for hire on the Old Course or Castle Course.

Pull Trolleys/Battery Operated Trolleys

Pull trolleys are available to hire at €5.00 each while a limited number of battery-operated trolleys are available at €25.00 each from the Golf Shop. Pre-booking is advisable.

Rental Clubs

Golf Clubs may be hired from the Golf Shop at €60.00 per set and must be booked in advance.

Tee Time Reservations

Lahinch Golf Club reserves the right to alter or amend tee time reservations.

Caddies

The Old Course at Lahinch is designed as a walking course and is not suitable for ride-on golf carts. Caddies will be allocated to all green fee visitors at the time of booking unless otherwise informed by the client. The Club will arrange for a minimum of one forecaddie to accompany each group. Our caddies are an integral part of the Club, and their deep knowledge is appreciated by many visitors who might otherwise find the links something of a mystery.

Caddies are independent contractors, so they are not employees of Lahinch Golf Club. Therefore, we cannot guarantee caddie availability.

We operate a single bag caddie system at Lahinch but, when required, we operate a double bag system.

Caddie fees and any gratuity should be paid directly to the caddie on completion of the round of golf. Payment of a gratuity is optional and is solely at the discretion of the golfer.

Senior Caddie: € 95.00	per bag per round
Senior Caddie: €140.00	per double bag
Junior Caddie: € 60.00	per bag per round (if assigned)
Fore Caddie: € 35.00	per group (minimum 2 golfers)

Insurance

It is strongly recommended that all visiting golfers have travel insurance to cover all eventualities including flight cancellations/delays, personal injury or illness and associated disruption to tee times.

Stay Locally & Enjoy the Lahinch Experience

While Lahinch is home to golf and surfing, the village also provides lots of other activities and entertainment and is the perfect location to explore the spectacular Cliffs of Moher and the uniquely protected landscape of the Burren UNESCO Global Geopark.

Enjoy the numerous restaurants and pubs that offer fresh local seafood and traditional Irish cuisine throughout the day followed by live Irish music in the local pubs.

Lahinch is a lively village with fabulous accommodation, wide choice of restaurants, pubs and shopping.

There is something for everyone in Lahinch and to see what's on offer, please click on the following link:
<https://www.discoverlahinch.ie/>