

# Lahinch Golf Club

## 2027 Terms & Conditions

### 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, within the same calendar year, 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 for reduced numbers 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, receive preferential rates. A maximum of one golf professional per group of eight or more will receive courtesy of the golf course but any 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**

Complimentary 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 €30.00 each from the Golf Shop. Pre-booking is advisable.

### **Rental Clubs**

Golf Clubs may be hired from the Golf Shop at €75.00 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, and are therefore, unavailable.

Visitors playing the Old Course are required to take at least one caddie in their group.

The Club will automatically reserve caddies for each golfer, unless otherwise instructed.

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, a double bag system will be implemented.

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.

<b>Senior Caddie: €100.00</b>	per bag per round
<b>Senior Caddie: €160.00</b>	per double bag
<b>Fore Caddie: €40.00</b>	per golfer (minimum 3 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.

### **Dining**

To secure your spot, we suggest booking our bar or restaurant ahead of your visit.

Feel free to email directly to book your spot [aoife@wildcatering.info](mailto:aoife@wildcatering.info)

### **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.discoverireland.ie/lahinch>