

Lurgan Golf Club - Ready Golf Guide



What is ready Golf?

Ready golf is an approach to help improve the pace of play and your enjoyment of the game. It can be used for stroke play but NOT for match play!

Ready Golf will improve everyone's enjoyment of the game

Tee off when **READY**

If you are first at the tee box go ahead and tee off first. Do not wait for the player with the honour.

Approach when **READY**

On your approach to the green, if you are at your ball first, do not wait for the other players further from the hole if they are not ready. Simply tell them you are playing your shot out of turn and take your shot.

Putt when **READY**

On the green, often you will be waiting for other players to chip on. Prepare for your putt, mark your ball and get your line. When all players are on the green take your putt if you are ready even if you are not furthest from the pin. Avoid marking your ball for short putts. If you miss your first putt, continue to putt out rather than marking. The first player to hole out should replace the flagstick.

Play when **READY**

If another player is looking for a lost ball, play your shot first before assisting in the search for lost balls.

Be **READY** for the next green

Before putting leave your clubs at the side of the green nearest the next tee so that you can pick them up on the way to the next tee box.

Mark your card when **READY**

Don't mark your card on or in front of the green. Mark it at the next tee box when other players are teeing.

If all else fails and you lose ground on the group in front here are a couple of steps you can take.....

After two of your fourball hole out, these players can move to the next tee and tee off when the other two finish putting. If you lose a hole call the fourball behind through. In Stableford competitions pick up your ball if you have no score at a hole.

Play **READY golf and enjoy your game**

Match and Handicap