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## ***Golf courses***

*You can only exercise access rights to cross over a golf course and in doing so; **you must keep off golf greens** at all times and not interfere with any golf games or damage the playing surface. Golf courses are intensively used and managed, and there can be hazards such as where golfers are playing 'blind' shots.*

*In exercising access rights:*

- ***allow players to play their shot before crossing a fairway;***
- ***be still when close to a player about to play;***
- ***follow paths where they exist; and***
- ***Keep your dog on a short lead.***

*To avoid damaging the playing surface, cyclists and horse-riders need to keep to paths at all times and not on any other part of a golf course. When fertilizers or pesticides have been used, the duration of any hazard depends on the material used but should not normally extend more than a few days. Golf course managers can ask you to avoid using particular routes at these times. Following such advice can greatly help to minimize risks to safety.*

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