

Overview of Differences in conducting PATs during **Phase 2** of **Back2Golf**

- Hosts/Examiners will email target score, local rules, compliance form, pace of play policy and links to acceptable ball and driver list as there will be no on site registration. Players must confirm receipt by sending a scanned image of their photo ID. If they do not email back a copy of ID, **they will not be able to play.**
- Carts Must be sanitized
- No caddies permitted during these altered events
- One person per cart
- Starter is to give scorecard to the competitor that they will be the marker for
- No rakes in bunkers, player to foot rake or carry own rake, no free relief of bunker, irregularity in surface is part of the game
- Scorer should wear a mask and gloves while scoring. After verbally going hole by hole including total, player must say "I agree, those Scores are correct" In lieu of a signature
- Competitors should be prepared to bring own snacks/refreshments in personal coolers as amenities at clubs may be limited
- Score posting electronically, emailed to all participants after each round. A list of emails is provided before the event begins that can be used to send out these scores. No congregation around a scoring area is to be allowed
- Must partially fill hole to ensure easy ball retrieval. How this is done is at the discretion of the club and section hosting the event
- Competitors should not touch flagstick for any reason
- If a ball goes into the hole but bounces out due to the noodle or plastic pipe close to the surface, A ball is considered to have been holed if it is known or virtually certain that the only reason it did not remain in the hole is because the noodle or pipe caused the ball not to be holed. If there is no such certainty, then the ball must be played where it came to rest
- Remove broken tees from tee box
- Range time and practice areas limited to 30 minutes
- Sections may choose to have the Section fee paid up front alongside the National registration fee. The Section/on-site fee will then be sent to the Section after the events have been processed by Finance for those who take advantage of this option.

DISCLAIMER: These are an overview of the changes made to PAT events during the Back2Golf stages for the ongoing pandemic. For full details of all changes please review the updated Rules and Regulations manual found [here](#).