



2026 Ben Davis City of Detroit Open Championship

USGA Rules Govern All Play Except Where Modified by Local Rules.

Local Rules

Format: 36 Hole Stroke Play

Tees (Day 1): Championship Division Blue Tees
First Flight Blue Tees
Senior Division Silver Tees
Super Senior Division Silver Tees

Out of Bounds: Defined by perimeter fencing

All naturalized or native grass complexes are penalty areas: Identify the point of entry, measure one club length no closer to the hole and take a drop with a one-stroke penalty. You may not search for or play a shot from these penalty areas.

Ground Under Repair: Bare areas void of turf in the fairway will be considered GUR. The player may drop within one club length, no closer to the hole without penalty. (Free Relief)

GPS and Rangefinders: In this competition, a player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance ONLY. If during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance measuring device that is designed to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g., gradient, wind speed, temperature, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3, for which the penalty is disqualification.

Pace of Play: Expected pace = 4 hours 30 minutes