

# WHAT TO DO WHEN LIGHTNING IS NEAR

## AVOID

- Solitary trees
- Small rain and sun shelters
- Large open areas
- Wet areas
- Elevated areas
- All metal objects including:  
golf clubs, buggies, fences  
and electric machinery

## SEEK

- Large, permanent buildings
- Fully enclosed metal  
vehicles such as cars
- Lowest elevation areas
- Dense areas of trees and  
bushes

IF SUDDEN, CLOSE  
LIGHTNING DOESN'T PERMIT  
EVACUATION TO A SAFER  
AREA, CROUCH

