



North from the Las Vegas Strip is a hard-baked flatland of desert that can only be described as a wasteland. This hard-barren expanse of desert seems well suited for the auto salvage yards, steel scrap iron graveyards, and assorted industrial complexes that dot this unwanted land. What is hard to believe is that out on this godforsaken stretch is the most ambitious, most exclusive, most expensive, and most improbable golf course in the country, Shadow Creek.

This 18-hole track is the brainchild of Steve Wynn, the flamboyant casino developer who, over the last 20 years, has brought volcanoes, white tigers, dolphins, pirate ships, multi-million dollar water fountains, international art collections, and a drive to create the unimaginable to The Vegas Strip. Wynn's vision, drive, arrogance, and creativity have transformed this city forever. When he turned his attention to golf, he once again broke the mold to build his dream course.

He chose a 350-acre site out in the desert, under the air space of nearby Nellis Air Force Base for added privacy. He hired golf course architect **Tom Fazio** to help create the layout. He then told Fazio that he wanted this course to have lakes, waterfalls, rolling hillsides, exotic birds, and hundreds of varieties of trees. From here, the story of this course drifts into myths, rumors, and tall tales that have helped to give this 15-year-old golf course as much history as some of the most venerable private clubs in the country.

Let's start first with what can be told about Shadow Creek. You aren't going to drive up and see this course. The only signage is a gold plaque next to the intercom where security will check you out before you are allowed entrance. The golf course was dug into the desert and the earth was piled up along the edge of the fencing so that you can't see in. You can play Shadow Creek but the only way to do this is to stay at the MGM Mirage Casino, or one of their other casino properties, in order to earn the privilege of paying the \$500 greens fee to play at this absolutely unbelievable facility. Not even ex-presidents can call up for a tee time without staying at the Mirage and goodness knows they have tried.

What do you get for this fee? You will find yourself transported to the greatest golf course created by man. Every hillside, creek, lake, and waterfall was carefully and meticulously built by hand. This lush forest of over 200 varieties of trees forms an exotic reprieve from the glitz and clamor of the Vegas Strip, and the players who come here know from the moment they arrive at the subtle colonial style clubhouse, that this is a special place.

















WELCOME TO CELEBRATION GOLF CLUB - ORLANDO GOLF

Since opening for play in 1996, **Orlando golf** hasn't been the same. Everything about the course is based on the premise that there is a difference between "playing" a golf course and "experiencing" the game of golf on a course that was inspired by its Old World legacy. Welcome to Celebration Golf Club, one of Orlando's premier golf facilities.

It's here that you'll do more than play a course—you'll feel what it's like to play the final course co-designed by the renowned masters of golf course architecture, **Robert Trent Jones Senior and Junior**. In designing Celebration Golf Club an Orlando golf course, their combined talents created a course unlike any other in the nation. It's lush, almost like a natural park with undulating swells and topography, a course reflective of the very best of every course they have created around the world.











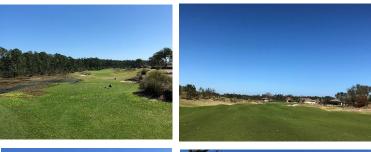




























This breathtaking course is highlighted by waterfalls, babbling brooks and veneered field stone work. To the 140 sand and coquina bunkers, architect **Tom Watson** also added three sod-faced bunkers, a nod to his affinity for British links-style golf. Golf Digest, in its January 2008 issue, ranked The Conservatory third on its elite list of America's Best New Public Courses.

ABOUT TOM WATSON

As one of professional golf's most prolific champions with eight major championship titles including five British Opens, Tom Watson is universally lauded for his passionate play, exceptional course strategy skills and attention to detail. As a golf course architect, Watson brings a similar focus and dedication to each of his designs. Since Watson designs only one or two courses each year, his commitment to excellence in golf course architecture is unquestioned. Each design exemplifies Watson's fundamental requirements of an outstanding course - beauty, variety and challenge.

COURSE ACCOLADES:

GOLF DIGEST

Editors' Choice, Best Golf Resorts in Florida (2016) (2015)

America's Best New Courses: Best New Public Course over \$76 - No.3 (2008)







From the initial idea by former PGA TOUR Commissioner Deane R. Beman, the Stadium Course at TPC Sawgrass was built in 1982 to host THE PLAYERS Championship and be the permanent Home of THE PLAYERS Championship. As the first true "Stadium Course," it was designed to improve the overall on-site fan experience. Finally, the Stadium Course would be a championship-caliber course accessible to all golf fans.

Working with renowned golf course architect **Pete Dye**, Beman created a course design that favored no particular player or

style of play. The result is a truly balanced course. Players find a selection of short, medium and long holes within the categories of par-3s, par-4s and par-5s; both right and left doglegs; and a course routing laid out so no two consecutive holes ever play in the same direction. With its signature island green on the par-3, 17th hole being one of the most recognized in golf, this legendary track has captured the imagination of golf fans all over the world and is consistently named among the top golf courses worldwide.







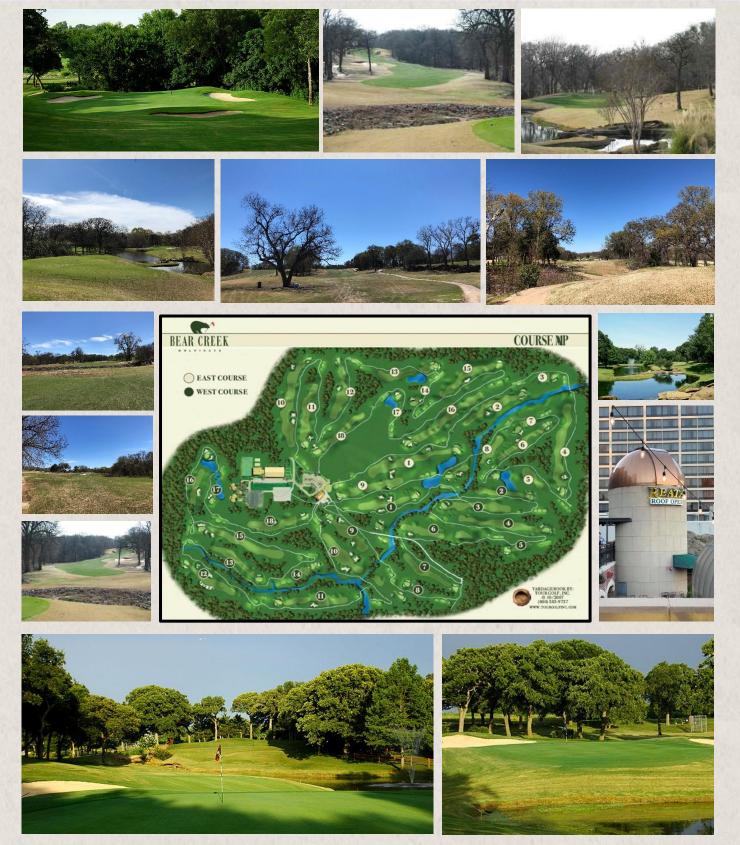












Inspiring Golf in a Beautiful Resort Setting

Bear Creek Club's two spectacular championship layouts - the West and East Courses - were designed by noted golf course architect **Ted Robinson** in the old style, leaving the terrain completely natural. Lush stands of mature oak trees frame undulating Bermuda fairways and manicured greens, in perfect balance with nature – with deep roughs, expansive bunkers, and an abundance of sparkling water features creating both strategic diversity and a picturesque backdrop for golf. Dramatic views add to the tranquil ambience of the courses, both of which offer multiple tees on each hole to accommodate golfers of all abilities. The Wall Street Journal named Bear Creek as one of the "10 Great Places to Golf." The club has also played host to numerous amateur and professional golf events, including PGA TOUR Qualifiers, the Texas State Open, the AJGA National Tournament, the PGA National Golf Series, and NTPGA Sectional tournaments.

Featuring beautifully rolling hills, densely-wooded fairways and large, subtle greens the West Course is a challenging yet fair layout. Both the signature #17 and spectacular #7 have been recognized as two of the best golf holes in Texas.





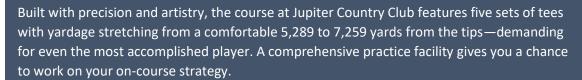








The Golf Course at Jupiter Country Club is a spectacular 18-hole **Greg Norman** Signature Golf Course. The surrounding greens, palm trees and magnificent estates of Palm Beach County, Florida, make it a place you will never want to leave after your game.







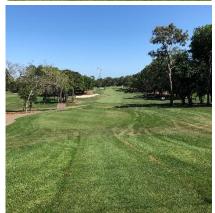




























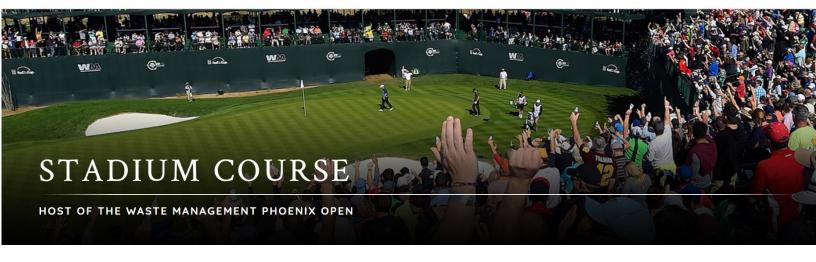


A favorite among PGA TOUR professionals, the Copperhead Course, designed by Larry Packard, is the most recognizable of Innisbrook's four Tampa, Florida courses. After all, it plays host to the world's greatest golfers during the PGA TOUR's annual visit to the resort for the Valspar Championship. Pine tree-lined fairways and rolling terrain define the course – a lengthy challenge for even the longest hitters at more than 7,200 yards.

Striking in beauty and challenge, the surrounding lakes and ponds are home to abundant wildlife, including fox squirrels, bald eagles, alligators, blue herons, and many other types of waterfowl. Copperhead provides the opportunity to enjoy golf the way nature intended.







As the PGA TOUR stop with the largest crowds of any golf event in the world, The Waste Management Phoenix Open brings immeasurable attention and respect to the Stadium Course, designed by the team of **Tom Weiskopf** and **Jay Morrish**. The course, which was renovated in 2014, is most famous for its par-3, 16th hole that transforms into "The Coliseum" during the tournaments and provides fans with one of the most exciting

settings in professional sports.

During the 51 weeks of the year when fans are not watching the sport's top names make history, they can test their own skills on the same pristine fairways – maintained to PGA TOUR-quality standards year-round – as their favorite professionals.

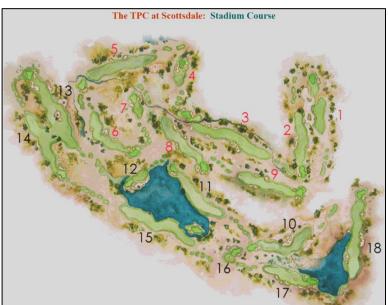
























Since the only way to successfully establish bentgrass tees, fairways and greens in hot, humid Richmond was to create expansive corridors to allow plenty of sunlight and air to the turf, Kinloch Golf Club designed by Lester George & Vinny Giles has more double fairways posing options and alternate routes than nearly every other course on the 100 Greatest, except perhaps No. 8 National Golf Links. In 2016, George began a longrange master plan of adjustments, including expansion of the alternate fairways on nine and 11, for improved visibility and playability, and removal of thick rough between bunkers and fairway edges. Enhancements will continue in the future.



























The Tournament Course hosts the Houston Open, where the world's top players vie for excellence on the **Rees Jones/David Toms**-designed course. As enjoyable to play as it is beautiful, this course has abundant native plants and wildlife. There is a sense of serenity and solitude unique for a course that is mere minutes from downtown Houston.

Amid the finely groomed fairways, the well-engineered greens and the challenging bunkers, you can almost hear the echoes of the PGA TOUR Professionals inviting you to

have fun, encouraging you to compete and inspiring you to improve your game.

Step onto the tee box with Singh or Couples. Face Scott or Appleby and enjoy the rare combination of professional quality and beauty of this course.

With Golf Club of Houston being Houston's only PGA TOUR stop, as your backdrop, your tournament takes on an increased aura of significance and the rewards and enjoyment will be immeasurable.

















UNC Finley Golf Course

UNC Finley is currently ranked as one of the "Top 10 Golf Courses You Can Play" in the state of North Carolina by the NC Golf Panel. Given a rating of 4.5 Stars by Golf Digest, **Tom Fazio's** 11th golf course designed in North Carolina proves to be one of, if not his best work yet. From tee to green, each shot proves to be a challenge yet positive experience from touring pro to even the most amateur of golfer.



























Pumpkin Ridge Golf Club's par-71, 6,839-yard Ghost Creek layout was crafted by **Bob Cupp** in the "old" style, leaving the Portland wetlands terrain completely natural. This Portland public golf course is subtle and cunning, featuring a variety of distinct and equally memorable holes framed by lush stands of trees, dramatic mountain vistas and ragged wetlands. The phantom Ghost Creek materializes throughout the golf course, adding to the layout's stunning beauty.

Just one year after its unveiling, Ghost Creek's formidable golf tournament capabilities were put to the test when the golf course served as home to the 1993 NIKE TOUR Championship, where David Duval came back from a double bogey on the par-4 ninth hole to win the golf tournament. The event was a catalyst for an exceptional run of professional and amateur championships that have taken place at Ghost Creek.









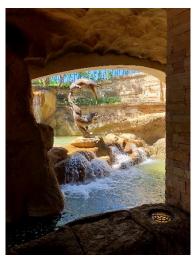




Capping 350 expansive, hilltop acres, The Golf Club at Newcastle is the premier Pacific
Northwest golf course and event destination. The property features 36 holes of championship golf, framed by stunning, panoramic views of Lake Washington, Mt. Rainier, the Olympic and Cascade Mountains, and the Seattle skyline. When playing golf in Seattle, no venue offers a more picturesque Pacific Northwest view.

Designed by renowned golf course architect **Robert E. Cupp** in consultation with Master's Champion **Fred Couples**, the golf course combines characteristics of some of the game's legendary courses to provide an exceptional playing experience round after round.

Golfers will be treated to breathtaking scenery, well-conditioned greens, and first-class amenities, designed for the utmost comfort and enjoyment of our guests. This challenging layout features well bunkered landing areas, rolling fairways, undulating green complexes and elevation changes making proper club selection paramount.





















Sanctuary is the brainchild of Re/Max International's Dave Liniger who had the course built mainly as a venue for hosting charity events. The extreme terrain featuring dramatic elevation changes and panoramic views, originally planned to serve as a horse ranch, was sculped into a beautiful course by one of the only architects that could handle such a project, **Jim Engh**. The course features several elevated tee boxes that play down to tree lined fairways and undulated greens. The opening hole sets the mood for the entire round by driving through a "cave" like tunnel before embarking on the

opening tee box that features a 185-foot drop to the fairway below. There are also three waterfall features (9th green, 14th green, and 18th green) found throughout the round that add to the beauty of the surroundings. Wildlife frequents the course at this non-residential track that is surrounded by nearly 13,000 acres of dedicated open space and offers a feeling of complete seclusion, hence the name Sanctuary. With a visit to Sanctuary you can expect to take your golf ball on a wild ride through some gorgeous terrain at one of the country's finest golf courses.

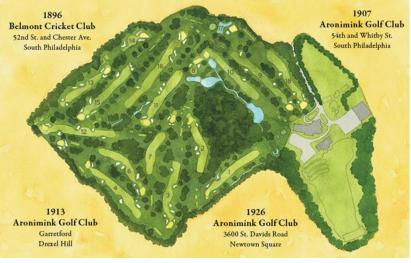


The Charm & the Challenge, you'll find it serenely nestled in the rolling hills of Newtown Square-a welcome escape from the clamorous, fast paced suburbs...300 scenic acres full of fresh air and relaxation...a distinguished retreat sought out for the singularity of its charm and the exhilaration of its challenge. Welcome to Aronimink Golf, world-class course one-of-a-kind character.

In designing what has become its present-day course, Aronimink entrusted the best -- Scottish professional **Donald Ross**. One of America's foremost golf course architects, Ross pledged to create a course that could not be equaled. That course opened at Aronimink Golf Club in 1928.

Ross designed Aronimink to put even the best golfers to "The Supreme Test," that of exceptional long-iron play. At first the picturesque evergreens and hardwoods that line the fairways may be deceiving, but Aronimink's course is far from an easy stroll in the woods. Over 100 bunkers, slopes, valleys, doglegs and a Par 70, 7106-yard course present a definite challenge to the best professionals in the world.

Aronimink has hosted a number of championships including the 1962 PGA Championship won by Gary Player, the 1977 U.S. Amateur and the 1997 U.S. Junior Championship. The US Open will come to Aronimink in 2026.













Wyoming Valley Country Club

The Wyoming Valley Country Club located minutes from downtown Wilkes-Barre was officially chartered on June 16, 1896 and is the fifth oldest golf club in Pennsylvania and forty-fifth in the United States. The original course was nine-holes, which was replaced by the current course, designed by A.W. Tillinghast and opened for play in 1925. Although most of the holes have been lengthened, trees have been planted, and ponds added or enlarged over the years, the course is true to the Tillinghast original. Narrow, undulating fairways and small, sloping greens more than make up for Wyoming Valley's lack of overall length.































The essence of great Leesburg golf is what you'll find at River Creek Club. Here you'll find a challenging 18-hole **Ault-Clark** championship golf course with seven holes overlooking the scenic Potomac River. Elevated tees, groomed fairways and greens, as well as a fair number of hazards, traps and woods help characterize one of Northern Virginia's most award-winning golf course communities.

Combining quality, design and unparalleled services, River Creek is sure to become a favorite golf getaway or member club. Designed in the spirit and tradition of the finest private country club courses, River Creek plays 5,241 to 7,036 yards from four sets of tees and is sure to please golfers of all kinds.















estwood Country Club, established in 1954, is conveniently located in Northern Virginia. They offer members and guests a full range of dining and recreational facilities. Situated on 157 acres just minutes from Tysons Corner in Vienna, Westwood appeals to families and business people alike.

The focal points of the club are a beautiful 58,000 square foot club house and an **Arthur Tull** designed premiere championship 18-hole golf course which has been newly renovated by **Gene Bates**. Westwood is a unique, special place where members and their families can relax in a friendly atmosphere.













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THE SNEAD COURSE

Golf Course Architect - Tom Fazio

Exclusive to members of The Greenbrier Sporting Club, The Snead course was voted #3 "Best New Private Golf Courses in America" when it opened in 2004. Named after the legendary Sam Snead (1912 - 2002), The Snead was once the location of a landing strip adjacent to The Greenbrier's golf courses and was part of the early evacuation plan during the Cold War. Today, this Members-only golf course has five sets of tees. The practice range can accommodate up to 30 golfers at once - featuring target greens, simulated holes as well as a short game section including fairway, green and bunker shots.



























THE OLD WHITE TPC COURSE

Golf Course Architect - Charles Blair Macdonald (1914)

The Old White TPC, the first 18-hole golf course at The Greenbrier, was designed by Charles Blair Macdonald and opened for play in 1914. A legend of golf history at The Greenbrier, the course was named for the well-known Old White Hotel, which stood on the grounds from 1858 through 1922.

Macdonald, the father of American golf course architecture, modeled several holes from some of the most famous throughout Europe. The 8th Hole was styled after the "Redan" at North Berwick, the 13th after the "Alps" at Prestwick and the 15th after the "Eden" at St. Andrews. His associate, Seth Raynor, assisted in the course construction and returned in the 1920s to oversee updates to the golf course.

President Woodrow Wilson was one of the first golfers to play The Old White TPC in April of 1914. This historic course features generous fairways and challenging, undulated greens. Every hole is memorable and has a well-defined strategy for success.

Since 2010 The Old White TPC has been the host of A Military Tribute at The Greenbrier, formerly The Greenbrier Classic, an annual PGA TOUR FedEx Cup Event. Past Champions include:

Stuart Appleby (2010)
Scott Stalling (2011)
Ted Potter Jr. (2012)
Jonas Blixt (2013)
Angel Cabrera (2014)
Danny Lee (2015)
Xander Schauffele (2017)
Kevin Na (2018)

After sustaining substantial damage during the flood of 2016, which forced the cancellation of The Greenbrier Classic, The Old White TPC reopened in July of 2017, fully restored by noted golf course architect Keith Foster. By fully embracing the original Macdonald/Raynor elements, the course has been overwhelmingly embraced by PGA TOUR players and guests alike.



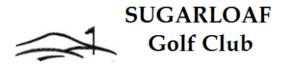






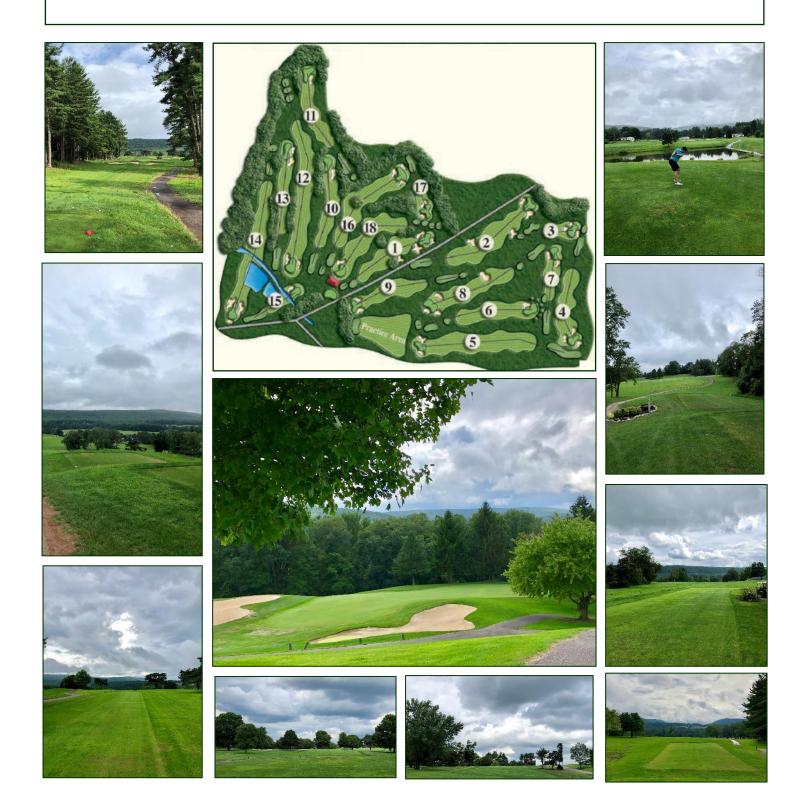






Established in 1967, Sugarloaf Golf Club has long been recognized as one of the area's premiere public golf courses. The design of world-renowned golf course architect **Geoffrey Cornish** has matured over the past 50 years into a course that offers stunning views, beautiful naturalized areas, lush rolling fairways, and greens that are often considered the best in Northeast Pennsylvania.

From the forward tees measuring 5577 yards to the championship tees that play at just over 7005 yards, Sugarloaf offers a well-balanced selection of challenges for golfers of all abilities.





Across the Hudson River from Manhattan, the Bayonne Golf Club is home to a waterfront golf course that is unlike anything this side of the Atlantic. Designed by **Eric Bergstol** to rival the look and feel of the legendary links courses of Scotland and Ireland, this awe-inspiring course is the centerpiece of an exclusive club that has garnered countless accolades since its unveiling in 2006. By any measure, Bayonne Golf Club is a once in a lifetime opportunity to enjoy golf at its very best, just minutes from America's greatest metropolis.





















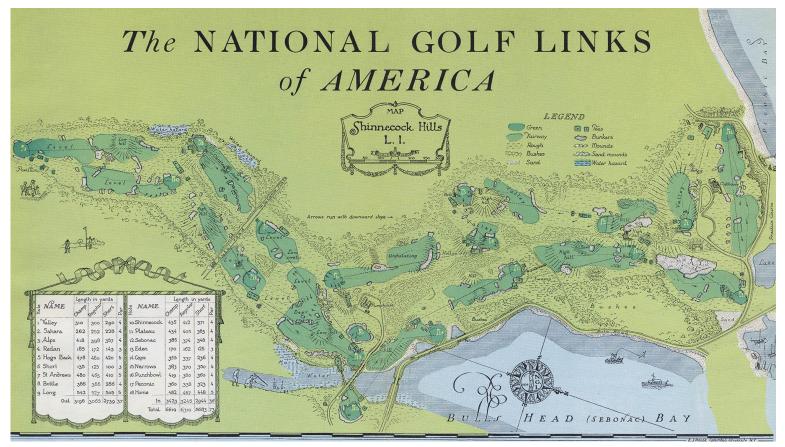




Designed by **Tripp Davis** and 12-time PGA TOUR winner **Justin Leonard**, Old American Golf Club began with the natural beauty of prime landscape along the shores of Lake Lewisville.

In keeping with the authenticity of the land, Davis and Leonard crafted a course design that is representative of classic American golf. From naturally formed bunkers and native grasses, to strategically designed holes that leverage varying wind conditions, the architects endeavored to create a course with exquisite balance.

Old American possesses substance – a true golfer's course. Where strategic play is necessary, it is a course that intrigues the golfer with ever changing elements that create a different experience each time it is played.

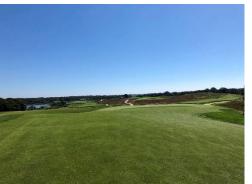


The National was founded in 1909 under the leadership of **Charles Blair Macdonald**. Having grown up in Scotland and studied many of the courses in Scotland, Ireland and England, Mr. Macdonald set out to build a first-class course in the United States that would incorporate of the better qualities of golf courses in the British Isles. Among the famous holes represented at the National are the Road Hole and Eden

from St. Andrews, the Alps at Prestwick, Redan from North Berwick, Bottle from Sunningdale and Sahara from Royal St. George. In 1922, the Club hosted the first Walker Cup matches between Great Britain and the United States. The private 18 hole course covering 285 acres is located on Peconic Bay in the Town of Southampton, New York.

































The Muttontown Club is a private country club available exclusively to members and their guests. The Alfred Tull-designed, 18-hole golf course stretches across 6,500+ yards which appears to be short with very generous fairways, however, as you play the course, you will find many slight to severe dog legs and tall trees encroaching on almost every fairway. The sloped fairways and changing elevations give you a challenging lie at best. The straight hitter or conservative player will manage this course very well. The longer hitter or more daring player will enjoy the rewards of navigating the course obstacles.

The rough, combined with a few strategically placed fairway bunkers, make your approach shots to these well-bunkered greens more challenging. Just when you think you have successfully navigated the fairways, the true test reveals itself. Undulating greens, severe slopes and slippery speed will keep even the best golfers playing defensively.

In all, this is a fun and enjoyable course to play. Keep your drives in the fairway and your approach shots below the hole for your best chance of success at The Muttontown Club.





Located in Las Vegas, NV, and designed by acclaimed golf course architect Arthur Hills, The Legacy Golf Club is an 18-hole, desert jewel highlighted by manicured playing conditions, multi-tiered fairways and large undulating greens. Stretching 7,233 yards from the professional tees, this memorable layout is a strong challenge for the scratch player, yet also accommodates the novice with well-spaced tee boxes and generous landing areas. And speaking of tee boxes, the 10th hole at The Legacy may be the most recognizable in all of Las Vegas. Each tee box is in the shape of playing cards suits: Hearts, Diamonds, Clubs and Spades.

