



JULY 2021

Message from the Director of Golf

Rick Price, PGA

This time of the year, hydration is extremely important during the summer heat. Let's also be prepared for thunderstorms, flash floods, and lightning. It's official "Monsoon Season" in Southern Arizona, which means we need to be careful.

Be sure to follow the following suggestions to keep yourself safe while heading out on the course during the monsoon season. Check the forecast and check it often. Download a reliable radar app, seek shelter immediately if you're not able to get off the golf course in time. Don't worry if you can't finish your round; we are happy to give you a rain check "credit" to complete your round another time. The important thing is to be safe and use your best judgment when the weather is questionable.

How to Purchase or Renew a Membership

It's the start of our fiscal year and time to renew or purchase a membership. If this is your first time purchasing an annual membership, visit the Pro Shop or call for more information. To renew an Annual Membership, you can go online to www.theviewsgolfclub.com to purchase or contact the Pro Shop at 520-825-3110.

Our new rates for daily play and memberships are now available online.

Here are some benefits of becoming an annual member.

- 18-hole memberships receive 9-day advance tee times and 8-day advance for 9-hole memberships.
- Unlimited driving range privileges.
- Receive 25% off Pro Shop apparel and 10% off accessories, equipment, shoes,

- hats, and golf balls (excluding sale items).
- Members and residents' guests receive a discounted golf rate.
 - Members receive a complimentary guest pass for a round of golf on their account.
 - Annual memberships may split their payment and pay half in July the balance in October.

For full-time or seasonal members, we offer a new Hybrid Membership with a reduced daily golf fee. It is a lower annual fee, and you pay as you play. It does not include the rental cart, range balls or tax.

The virtual 10-Play Smart Cards are available for residents who do not live here year round. This virtual prepaid card offers ten rounds of golf at a discounted rate.

Thank you for enjoying all the activities at the Club and we look forward to you joining us for the 2021-22 season.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rick Price". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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Updated News

GOLF COURSE REMINDER: We ask your help when driving your golf cart around the tees and greens, always keep the cart and all tires on the path, including all handicap flagged golf carts. Please follow the signage for golf cart traffic and use the 90-degree rule to enter and exit the fairways.

The first tee time in June is 6:30 AM. The Pro Shop will open at 6:00 AM and close at 5:00 PM daily.

Below is our maintenance program through overseeding.



SPRING/SUMMER 2021 GOLF MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

7/26

Green aerification - Back nine closed

7/27

Green aerification - Front nine closed

9/20 - 10/10

Closed for overseeding

TBD: Short game area open

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PRO SHOP STATUS

The check-in process will continue as follows: a tee host concierge will be available during the busy time outside of the pro shop to assist you with check in or in the Pro Shop. There will be a Tee Host on the tee to get you started on time.

GOLF CART POLICY

The Views Golf Club golf cart policy is two players per golf cart. Single players should be prepared to share a Views Club cart. We pair golfers up to share a golf cart according to starting times booked. Cart rental is a per seat charge.

Due to the lack of availability of golf carts, we cannot provide single rider golf carts. You may consider walking or renting one of our four single-rider scooters. However, please do not book a tee time if you are uncomfortable riding with someone else in a cart.

If you have a private golf cart, you may continue to ride as a single. However, we encourage you to partner up for less wear and tear on the golf course. Only two carts will be allowed in the fairway or rough at any given time. Any additional carts in the group

must always remain on the cart path the entire hole.

TEE TIME RESERVATIONS

Thank you for checking in and being ready to tee off a minimum of 10 minutes before your scheduled tee time. The early arrival to your starting time helps keep us on schedule throughout the day, leading to a good pace of play and an enjoyable day on the course.

If you have less than four players and would like no one else to be paired with your group, you are welcome to pay for the entire foursome at the public rate to reserve the space.

It is also the person's responsibility to book the starting time to fully communicate these procedures to all golfers in their group in advance before arriving at The Views Golf Club.

PRACTICE FACILITIES & DRIVING RANGE TEE

DRIVING RANGE - Open sunrise to sunset except on Thursday the range closes at 4:00 PM. Range balls can be purchased from 6:00 AM - 5:00 PM daily.

PRACTICE PUTTING GREEN - The green is available for putting and chipping and knee height or less.

SHORT GAME PITCHING AREA - The new short game area features two practice chipping greens and a bunker located between the 1st tee and 9th green at the bottom of the hill. We are scheduled to open the short game area end of July or the start of August. The short game practice area is for members, residents, and paying guests only. If someone wants to use the practice area that is not a member, resident or paying guest, the fee is the same as a large bucket of range balls and purchased in the Pro Shop.

FINN SCOOTER'S

We have four Finn Scooters available to rent. They are easy to ride with a low-center of gravity, and the lightweight aluminum frame makes it a well-balanced ride. If you can ride a bike, you can ride a Finn. Renting a scooter is easy through a downloadable app. The cost is \$25 for 18 holes and \$14 for 9 holes. This fee is additional to the golf rate, and is charged right through the app when registering to use the scooter.

MERCHANDISE & SALE

We have selected items of merchandise on sale at 50%. We look forward to assisting you find the perfect gift or items you are looking to purchase. As a reminder, all members receive 25% off clothing and 10% on golf clubs and accessories.

JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM

We are offering an unbelievable junior golf program for the next couple of months that includes FREE golf for the parents. Please review the information below and contact the Pro Shop for any questions. We very thankful and fortunate to a personal donor who

subsidized the program.



JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM
\$25 TO JOIN



Child plus adult play free* after 12:00 PM July 1 - August 31, 2021
(Age 5 - 17 and must be accompanied by adult)
Maximum three rounds allowed per week
Book tee times one day in advance
Weekly golf clinics for kids on Saturday afternoons

Interested in supporting junior golf or sponsoring a junior golfer? Contact the Pro Shop for more details

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*Program subsidized by private donor

Lesson Tee

Tips to Improve Your Game Today

It all comes down to your golf swing. The top-of-the-line clubs can't make up for poor posture or bad grip. If you plan on playing soon, consider getting your swing checked out before your next round of golf.

To improve your game and take it to the next level, below are golf swing tips to consider.

Set Your Balance

Before you even think about starting your backswing, check your balance. It would be best if you kept a steady center of gravity while staying loose enough to move your body through each phase of your swing.

Put your weight on the balls of your feet and add a slight bend to your knees. Point your clubface at your target and align your shoulders.

Make sure to shift your weight throughout your swing. Your stance should be fluid and mobile, not stiff.

Loosen Your Grip

A tight, white-knuckled grip is to be avoided at all times in your game, even if you find yourself stuck in a bunker or deep rough. Next time you tee up, take a deep breath, relax, and loosen your fingers a little before you swing.

It is All About Finesse

It can be tempting to put every ounce of muscle you have in your swing, but try not to do that. It's much easier to miss your target if you're adding too much tension in your swing. Focus instead on the target. You may be surprised at how little physical effort it takes to hit the ball a long way.

Keep Your Eye on the Ball

What is the secret to excellent follow-through and balance? Keep your eye on the ball. If you take your eyes off the ball, you will likely not hit the ball properly, and you will miss your target. Focus your eyes on the ball until it comes to rest in the fairway or on the green.

Practice and Practice Some More

If you want to improve, there is no substitute for regular practice. Head out to the driving range whenever you can and spend some time working on your swing and hitting your target.

Do not get stuck in one single routine. Change up your clubs and your targets at the range. It will not do your game any good if you become an expert in hitting one target with one club.

We invite you attend one of our weekly clinics on Tuesdays or Wednesdays or take a private lesson for further help with your full swing and short game.

Call the Pro Shop at 520-825-3110



GOLF CLINICS

Tuesdays & Wednesdays
8:30 - 9:30 AM



JULY 6, 7 SHORT GAME, FULL SWING
JULY 13, 14 FULL SWING, SHORT GAME
JULY 20, 21 SHORT GAME, FULL SWING
JULY 27, 28 FULL SWING, SHORT GAME

\$20 session

Call 520-825-3110 or stop
by the pro shop to register

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NOTE:

2021-2022 Daily Rate Fees - [CLICK HERE](#)

2021-2022 Membership Plans - [CLICK HERE](#)

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Men's 18 Hole - Women's 18 Hole - Men's 9 Hole - Women's 9 hole

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mountain views and excellent conditions."

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