

COURSE TOUR AND YARDAGE GUIDE



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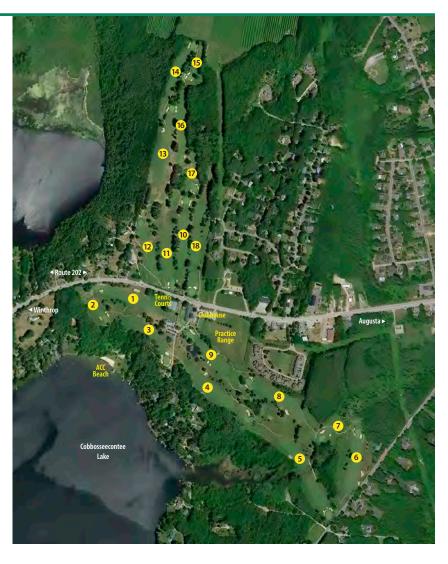
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- The opening hole features an elevated tee that helps provide extra carry on the drive, but it plays easier if you're able to clear the valley below that runs across the fairway. Otherwise, you may face a tough uphill-sidehill lie.
- Drive right of center because the fairway slopes to the left. From the right-hand side, you'll have an open shot to the elevated green that's narrow in front and wider in back. There's a run-up area but it's tight and risky.
- If you go for the green from the left side, you'll have to clear a deep bunker. You can also aim for the mounds on the right side. They will often kick the ball toward the green.



PAR 3

YARDAGES

● 175 ○ 155

NOTES:

• The highly elevated tee of the first par 3 offers a lake view. Its green may be the largest on the course, but it doesn't set up an easy par, especially when the wind is blowing.

• The putting surface slopes strong from back to front and from left to right. A sizable contour on the right side can make putting treacherous, so saving par from any of the three bunkers can be challenging, especially if you have little green to work with.

• Likewise, shots hit long can run out of bounds, or at best, leave you with a delicate uphill chip to a putting surface that slopes away from you.



PAR 4

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- Rising from the valley of No. 2, this tough dogleg-right par 4 begins with an aggressive climb up a fairway that slopes left to right. It kicks most drives hit right of center toward trees that block attempts to reach the green in two.
- For an open shot to the green that's surrounded by five bunkers, you have to drive long and left of center. There's an opening for a risky run-up shot, but it's narrow.
- Your second shot needs enough loft to clear the front bunkers and hold the green, which slopes from back to front and left to right. A patch of fescue borders the front-left bunker, so lay-ups from the right-side must be kept short of it.





YARDAGES

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- The drive is hit downhill into a fairway that's crossed by a creek 340 yards from the men's tee.
- Dense trees lining the right side are out of bounds. If you're short off the tee to the right, you might catch the fairway bunker, which makes for a difficult second shot. The same applies to the left bunker but it rarely comes into play.
- Most everything left of the green, which slopes strongly from back to front and left to right, runs away from the bunker. A run-up shot hit in that direction can be effective.
- The rear of the green is bordered by steep drop-offs that force higher, delicate wedge shots, especially from the back and right sides.



PAR 5

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- This is a true three-shot par 5 for just about everyone. Even long hitters rarely try to clear the creek that cuts across the fairway because if they go too far left or right, they can go out of bounds.
- Once you get over the creek, the fairway gives you a pretty good sized layup area, but it has a lot of sneaky undulations, especially from 125 yards out. If you're accurate, you can take advantage of a good-sized run-up area beween the bunkers on the left and right-front of the green.
- The green is large, but target the middle. A steady slope runs back to front, and judging the right break and speed is challenging.





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NOTES:

• This is a very playable par 4 with a generous fairway that bends to the left and two fairway bunkers on the right side. Both have higher lips that can make a 160-yard shot to the green difficult, so it's often better just to wedge it out.

- About 50 yards out, there's a downward slope to the green that helps run-up shots, often steering them to the left.
- The green generally slopes back to front and right to left. A slope about halfway up the green connects two tiers, a lower front and a higher back. Avoid having to putt from the back to the front level because speed control down the slope is difficult.



YARDAGES

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- This hole plays harder than its 13 handicap indicates. From the men's tees, it's close to 200 yards. Short is OK because longer irons off the tee can run onto the putting surface.
- The green looks fairly narrow from the tee, but it's a good size. If you hit off line, though, the ball may catch the right bunker which is set against a mound. Hit left of the green and the ball will roll down a steep grass slope, leaving a blind, touch wedge shot.
- A large mound at the green's backright edge can cause an overcooked shot to hang up in the grass, forcing a chip off a downhill lie to a putting surface that slopes away from you.



PAR 4

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- Here's a playable, dogleg-left par 4, especially if you can cut the corner to the left with your drive. Hit straighter or to the right, you'll have a longer shot to the green.
- A headwind that's often a factor here makes club selection for your approach critical. Most players take an extra club to be sure to reach the green, which slopes strongly from back to front and can usually handle a lower-trajectory shot.
- This green has a lot more grain than others. Putts from the right side to the left demand a higher, softer line with good touch. And for putts above the hole, a delicate touch is even more important or the ball can roll off the false front.



PAR 4

YARDAGES

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NOTES:

• This hole stretches in the same direction as No. 8, so the wind is usually in your face.

• Three fairway bunkers often come into play off the tee. If you happen to drive over or outside the lines of the bunkers, you'll have to deal with trees, fescue or water.

• The green slopes right to left and has two tiers, front and back.

Landing on the back side when the pin is on the front leaves you with a putt that's hard to stop because of the big slope between the levels.

• Both greenside bunkers have high lips that make recoveries difficult. The huge freeform bunker on the left sits under a large tree that catches many wayward shots.



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O 371 **367**

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- The 10th hole is more difficult than it looks from the tee, despite the fact that it's all straight ahead.
- The fairway is fairly narrow and long, and follows a gradual uphill slope, but there's no major trouble if you keep the ball out of the trees on either side.
- On your approach to the green, you definitely want to use one more club than what the yardage tells you.
- The green slopes back to front and generally right to left. Obviously, you want to avoid the bunkers, but going long isn't good either. Chipping from behind the green can be touchy because the ball will usually pick up speed once it lands on the putting surface.



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- Two sets of elevated tees here, one higher than the other, create a long, dogleg-left layout or a straight run to the green. Both offer views of the fairway below and the lake to the right.
- Off the tee, long hitters often use the lake as an aiming point and draw the ball to cut the corner for their approach to the green. Shorter hitters consider this a three-shot effort to the green because a stream cuts across the fairway about 50-60 yards out.
- The green breaks strongly from back to front and left to right. A short miss here is OK. If you land left, you'll face a tough chip that picks up speed rolling to the hole.



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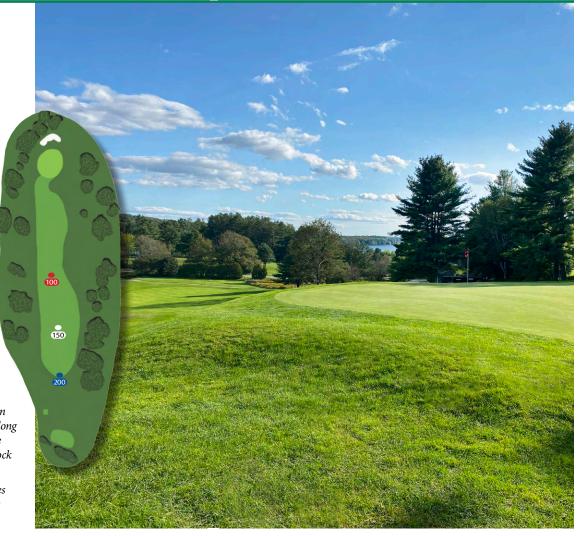
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- For long hitters, this steep uphill par 4 can be drivable, but that's very difficult because of the extremely elevated green. The slope fronting it is even steeper than the fairway.
- There's a small, flattish shelf about 10-15 yards short of the green, but the farther left you go, the narrower the fairway gets.
- Club selection is critical on the approach because a short shot can roll back down the fairway, and a long shot can catch the sand or cross the cart path and end up against a rock wall. The green has a false front.
- The front half of the green slopes strong back to front, but the back slopes more toward the left.



PAR 4 YARDAGES 458 368 447 310 384

- No. 13 is a long par 4, rated the second-hardest hole on the course. The fairway has a strong right-to-left slope, so for any ball landing left of center, there's a good chance it will kick into dense rough.
- From the fairway, you'll have to hit with the ball above your feet (if you're right-handed), so you need to aim right. Target the right greenside bunker because the terrain, even from 100 yards in, will help kick the ball onto the green, which also has a sneaky right-to-left slope.
- Because of the green's slope, the left bunker allows a better chance to put the shot close because the ball will have a better chance of checking up pretty quickly.



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- This is a short par 4, but it's narrow with trees crowding the right side. If you're in any part of the rough on that side, you'll probably have overhanging branches to deal with.
- Although the fairway opens up wider on the left side, trees, roots and out-of-bounds threaten to snag wayward drives.
- The green has two distinct tiers: high in back, low in front. It's easy to run the ball up, but you had better stop it on the right level, or you'll face some intimidating putts. Speed and break will be very hard to control. The same applies to any chip shots hit from behind the green.



YARDAGES

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NOTES:

• The elevated tee on this par 3 means you can reduce the indicated distance by about five yards.

• Wind can be a factor, but you can't always feel it on the tee because of the nearby trees. Note the wind characteristics as you play Nos. 13 and 14, which run in the opposite direction.

• There are four greenside bunkers, but you can run the ball onto the putting surface.

• Most of the green slopes back to front and left to right. There's a subtle transition about two-thirds up the green, though, so be aware that the back third may break toward the back-right corner.



YARDAGES

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- This short par 4 is narrow off the tee. Branches from the treeline on the left overhang the rough and even part of the fairway so avoid that side at all costs. Trees crowd the fairway on the right, too, but they're not as dense.
- The green, protected by a deep bunker at the front left, is elevated so that makes a run-up difficult, but not impossible. There's a false front, so don't land the ball short.
- A collection area right of the green stops balls from rolling down a fescue-covered hill. Beware of steep dropoffs behind and left of the green.
- The putting surface slopes back to front and left to right, but there are a few flatter areas.



YARDAGES

● 155
○ 118

NOTES:

• The 17th hole has a highly elevated, multi-tiered tee box. Depending on which one you play from, a 10- to 30-yard elevation difference will affect club selection.

• Tall trees on the left and No. 16's elevated green on the right shield the wind, so it's important to note wind characteristics on prior holes going in the opposite direction.

• The slope of the green generally runs right to left. If you hit long and left of center, your ball will roll off the back and you'll have to hit a delicate, lofted wedge from a tight lie. Go too far right and/or long, and the back boomerang-shaped bunker will force you to hit a sand shot.



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O 415

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- If you want to try to go for the green in two on this slight doglegleft par 5, you'll need to drive it at least 250 yards and keep the ball in play in the fairway.
- Off the tee, out of bounds and trees are on the left. There's more room to the right side and drives landing there sometimes kick left and toward the green.
- The best approach for shorter hitters is to lay up in front of the water hazard, leaving about 125 yards to the green. From there, you can hit a higher-lofted club to clear the bunkers and land the ball safely.
- There are many subtle variations in the slope, but it's fairly flat around the most popular hole locations.





USGA RULES GOVERN ALL PLAY

Except Where Modified By Local Rules

Course/Slope Ratings

 Black Tees: Men
 70.3/135

 White Tees: Men
 69.2/132

 Green Tees: Men
 66.7/122

 Gold Tees: Men
 64.1/115

 Gold Tees: Ladies
 69.1/126

 Royal Blue Tees: Ladies
 65.1/118



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White Tees	345	163	353	408	512	349	185	394	358	3067	I T	371	385	274	447	320	133	303	141	502	2876	5943		
Green Tees	337	159	344	407	430	309	142	386	291	2805	I A	367	379	268	384	313	122	293	130	482	2738	5543		
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