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TWO MAN LINKS



APRIL 23 through APRIL 27

2020

Bandon Dunes is true to the spirit of Scotland's ancient links. Here, players immerse themselves in the traditions of a timeless game and the grandeur of Oregon's rugged coast. Sweeping, untamed shores stretch for miles. Primeval grassy dunes roll to the sea.

Five distinctly different courses have been conceived in harmony with nature. They combine the essential elements to reveal a new golf experience every time you play.

The soul of the game resides here. Players walk. And at the end of the day, gracious hospitality comforts each guest like a warm, friendly embrace.

This is Bandon Dunes.
This is golf as it was meant to be.

YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN US AT BANDON DUNES THIS SPRING

On behalf of everyone at AmateurGolf.com, and our industry-leading sponsors, I am pleased to invite you and a partner to the 19th Annual Two Man Links Championship. Our venue is the Bandon Dunes Resort, on the spectacular Oregon Coast. Over the years, we have introduced over a thousand players to this special place, where competitive golf is part of the fabric.

Your entry fee includes the following:

- (4) nights lodging at Bandon Dunes Resort (see options when registering)
- (4) rounds of golf (one at each of the resort's courses)
- (1) gala tournament dinner (golf attire fine)
- \$10,000 in prizes (based on 80 players)
- Tournament awards for division winners
- Welcome gifts for all players

See you in Oregon!

Sincerely,

Pete Wlodkowski
Founder – AmateurGolf.com

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TOURNAMENT OVERVIEW

COURSE INFORMATION

The tournament is 72-holes, best-ball. The Championship and Senior* divisions are best-ball at scratch; the Net Division is best-ball net played at 80% of course handicap.

* A Senior team is one where both players have reached age 50 by the tournament's first round



| COURSE | TEES | YARDAGE | RATINGS/SLOPE |
|---------------|-------|---------|---------------|
| Bandon Dunes | Black | 6732 | 73.9/142 |
| | Green | 6221 | 71.1/133 |
| Pacific Dunes | Black | 6633 | 73.0/142 |
| | Green | 6142 | 70.7/133 |
| Bandon Trails | Black | 6765 | 73.7/133 |
| | Green | 6260 | 71.1/129 |
| Old Macdonald | Black | 6944 | 74.4/131 |
| | Green | 6320 | 71.6/125 |

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THURSDAY APRIL 23

Arrival day, golf at player's expense today for those that arrive early enough or complimentary use of awesome range

Lodging: Bandon Dunes Resort

FRIDAY APRIL 24

Tournament Round One

Tee times start approx 8:00 am

Lodging: Bandon Dunes Resort

SATURDAY APRIL 25

Tournament Round Two

Tee times start approx 8:00 am

Lodging: Bandon Dunes Resort

SUNDAY APRIL 26

Tournament Round Three

Tee times start approx 8:00 am

Evening: 7:00pm - Dinner

Lodging: Bandon Dunes Resort

MONDAY APRIL 27

Final Round

Tee times TBD

Tournament Awards immediately following play

Please check out of your room prior to play unless arrangements have been made to stay over.



Bandon Dunes #5

LODGING OPTIONS



LILY POND (Double occupancy)

The Lily Pond Rooms offer the resort's best value for overnight lodging. Just a wedge shot from the Lodge, a paved walking trail connects the Lily Pond Rooms to the Lodge and first tee at Bandon Dunes. Each room has a spacious sitting area, two queen beds, fireplace, and private bathroom as well as a balcony or patio with a view of a natural lily pond.



CHROME LAKE LOFT (Suite style room)

Chrome Lake Lofts are extremely popular with our tournament players, and have sold out many years. Each Chrome Lake Loft offers a spacious sitting area and two bedrooms, each with one king bed and separate bathroom. In the sitting area, a vaulted ceiling opens the room to two adjacent alcoves, one with a fireplace and the other that serves as a card room. You can't go wrong with the setting, overlooking the lake or surrounding forest.



FOREST KING

Every year we reserve a few single rooms, each with one king bed, for those that prefer the convenience and solitude of The Inn. Located a short walk from the main lodge, The Inn offers its own sitting area and library, the perfect place to relax after your round or to get a little work done to keep up with things back home.



GROVE COTTAGE

In the spirit of Golf As It Was Meant To Be, these four-bedroom cottages are perfect for a foursome. Grove Cottages include four bedrooms, each with a king bed, private bath and a parlor - the largest room in any of the accommodations at Bandon Dunes. Built into each bedroom and parlor are floor-to-ceiling corner windows that offer pristine views of Round Lake to the east, the Lily Pond to the West, or a garden setting. Guests will enjoy an indoor fireplace and outdoor patio tucked into Bandon's natural landscape.

GENERAL INFORMATION

CHECKING IN. Players should check in at the front desk of the Bandon Dunes Lodge upon arrival. A credit card imprint will be taken at this time to cover food and beverage, extra golf, and early or late lodging charges. Portage upon arrival and departure and transportation around the resort during your trip is included with your entry fee. Any additional tipping is optional.

CHECKING OUT. Important information - Checking out of the hotel in a timely fashion is your responsibility. All bags must be packed and removed from your room before play. The porters can store baggage and there is a shower facility in the main Lodge that can be used after play on Wednesday. It is important that all players communicate with the front desk to make these arrangements- AmateurGolf.com does not have authority to waive standard checkout time.

FOOD AND BEVERAGE. 'The Gallery' is a full service restaurant at the Lodge, offering all meals, with breakfast served as early as 6am. Another great dining and relaxing option is 'McKee's Pub,' decorated in traditional Scottish style and serving pub food and beverages from 11am to 10pm. At Pacific Dunes, the casual 'Pacific Dunes Grill' is open for breakfast at 6:30am. Many players keep it simple, and stop by the Lodge for breakfast each day before being transferred to the practice facility or the first tee of the day's course.

CADDIES. The courses at Bandon Dunes are walking courses. Taking a caddie is not a requirement, but walking is. Caddies at Bandon Dunes are a wonderful part of the experience, and we recommend them highly.

TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM GOLF COURSES AND RANGE. Bandon Dunes is a self-contained resort. Shuttles operate on request between all rooms, all golf courses, and the main lodge, and the practice facility. Just dial extension 5894 from your room.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Bandon Dunes Resort
57744 Round Lake Drive
Bandon, Oregon 97411
Ph: 888-345-6008
www.bandondunesgolf.com

GETTING THERE

Bandon Dunes is just off Highway 101, a 10-minute drive from the seaside town of Bandon and a 35-minute drive from the Southwest Oregon Regional Airport (OTH) in North Bend. The airport is served by flights from San Francisco and Denver.



FLIGHT INFORMATION

COMMERCIAL AIR SERVICE

Commercial air service is available from San Francisco and Denver to Southwest Oregon Regional Airport in North Bend (OTH), just 25 miles north of Bandon Dunes via **United Express** (800-864-8331) operated by SkyWest.

Private air transportation can be facilitated by Coos Aviation at Southwest Oregon Regional Airport in North Bend.

OTHER OPTIONS

The Eugene (EUG), Medford (MFR), and Portland (PDX) airports.



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GROUND TRANSPORTATION

In addition to rental cars, ground transportation from the airport is available through Connoisseurs Golf Transportation, (877) 347-6466. Luxury coach from Portland and Eugene is also available through VIPpdx, (503) 348-3233.

THE COURSES

THIS YEAR WE WILL PLAY A 72-HOLE TOURNAMENT AT ALL FOUR OF BANDON DUNES' COURSES

BANDON DUNES

From the moment I stepped out on these wild, wind-shaped sand dunes, I knew this would be the opportunity of a lifetime. The owner, Mike Keiser, wanted something authentic and true to the Scottish tradition. My reply was, "No real estate, no golf carts, no clubhouse on the beach." I imagined the routing having the structure of a symphony — a strong start, a sense of anticipation, small crescendos, and an incredible finishing sequence along the Pacific. Newcomers to links golf must master playing the ball along the ground, shots that have all but disappeared from today's game. It thrills me now to watch the public playing the game as it was originally meant to be played, on the finest linksland I've seen outside the British Isles.

David McLay Kidd - *Course Architect*

BANDON TRAILS

In the profession of golf architecture all one can ask for is to be given an extraordinary site and the freedom to work with it. Mike Keiser has afforded both at Bandon Trails. We have tried to tread softly on this spectacular landscape, laying out a golf course that required little alteration to the site while providing golf as diverse as the land itself. As its name implies, Bandon Trails will take you on a journey, a nature walk if you will, through windswept dunes, meadows of vegetation framed by indigenous shrubbery, and through woodlands of towering fir and spruce trees. Sometimes the journey and the golf will be wild and tumultuous, sometimes serene. Whichever, we hope it will always be interesting and enjoyable.

Bill Coore – *Coore/Crenshaw Architects*

PACIFIC DUNES

Every architect dreams of building among the sand dunes, in the same terrain where golf was conceived in the British Isles. For me and my associates, Pacific Dunes is that dream come true. I suspect that any golfer would have found some of the same holes, like the par-4 13th along the ocean, but it was an enormous responsibility to find the best possible routing on a site of such potential. The rippling fairways are mostly as we found them; so are the natural bunkers at the 2nd, 7th, 11th, 13th, 16th, and 18th holes, which guided our routing. Our layout is short enough to give every golfer hope, but its rugged nature will test every facet of your game.

Tom Doak – *Course Architect*

OLD MACDONALD

The fourth course at Bandon Dunes pays homage to golf course architect Charles Blair Macdonald by asking one simple question: What would Macdonald have created had the Oregon Coast been his canvas? Inspired by Macdonald's iconic work, course architects Tom Doak and Jim Urbina crafted a course that seeks the answer upon vast greens, among myriad angles of play, and from the depths of fierce bunkers. By celebrating these classic concepts of design, we honor the traditions of this game we love.

Tom Doak and Jim Urbina – *Course Architects*



ENTRY FEES

PER PLAYER PRICES



DOUBLE OCCUPANCY - LILY POND

The double-occupancy Lily Pond rooms offer the resort's best value for overnight lodging. They are spacious, have a fireplace, and either a balcony or patio overlooking the serene Lily Pond.

Per player entry fee \$2595



CHROME LAKE LOFT

Long a favorite of players who desire their own "space" while enjoying the shared living area – Chrome Lake Lofts are situated in a beautiful wooded area, have separate bedrooms and bathrooms and are located within a walk or shuttle ride of the main lodge.

Per player entry fee \$3295



FOREST KING

Every year we reserve a few single rooms, each with one king bed, for those that prefer the convenience and solitude of The Inn. Located a short walk from the main lodge, The Inn offers its own sitting area and library, the perfect place to relax after your round or to get a little work done to keep up with things back home.

Per player entry fee \$2995



LUXURY GROVE COTTAGE - 4 bedroom (Foursome together only) -

Bandon's luxury lodging option features a large flat screen in main room (smaller ones in the bedrooms) w/ surround sound, heated floors, plus access to a private check in and service center that can provide beverages and more.

Per player entry fee \$3750

DIVISIONS

CHAMPIONSHIP

For teams with a suggested combined handicap index of 16.0 or lower. This division is played best-ball at scratch from the Green Tees. Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers, and optional skins games will be held daily.

NET

For teams with a suggested combined handicap index of 36.0 or lower. This division is played at best-ball net, using 80% of course handicap of April 1, 2020 index, with a maximum allowance of 18. A current USGA, R&A, or GOLF CANADA index is required. Play from Green Tees, except that those aged 65 and over may elect to play the Gold Tees. Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers, and optional skins games will be held daily.

SENIOR

For teams with a suggested combined handicap of 16.0 or lower, where both are aged 50 and over. This division is played at scratch from the Green Tees, except that those aged 65 and over may elect to play the Gold tees. Teams in this division are eligible to win the overall title. Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers, and optional skins games will be held daily.