

NC Charlotte

Cameron Yards (9)

Lowe Score:

<5

(1-10) Lowe's Overall Quality Rating**Quality Level:**

Below Average

Length 2104 Sh/ 2920 L**9 Holes** **Date Played** May 2007**Year Established** 2001**Designer:** Dave Marchant**Course Level(s):** White

I. Design

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Multiple Teepads (1-10)	5	Long and Short; 16 tees
Multiple Basket layouts (1-10)	1	Only 3 baskets
Fairways		
Fairway Rating (1-10)	3	9 St/ 7 Lt/ 2 R
Clear and reasonable Fairways	9	Clear with some trees and fences.
Elevation Differential (180 max)	83	Lots of good elevation changes to the hill.
Elev. Variety Rating (1-10)	8	1 F/ 8 Up/ 9 D. Some change on almost every hole.
Terrain Rating (1-10)	3	7 G/ 11 Mix. Lots of open grass on a ball field with some trees
Length variety (0-10)	6	2<200/ 10 of 201-299/ 5 of 300-399/ 1 of 470
Green Rating (1-180)	72	Only 3 baskets, so 6 holes per basket
Use of Water (0-10)	4	3 over water; see water on 7S and 7L.

Overall

Course Beauty (1-10)	3	Too many man made structures and open ball field in the center
Fun Factor (180 max)		
Overall Hole Quality (180 max)	72	Many are too open for my taste.

II. Basics

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Tees		
Tees Signs: tees well marked	7	Good
Tee Pad Design- esp. Length	3	
Tee Pad Material	4	Dirt
Tee Pad Condition	4	OK
Baskets		
Baskets easy to find	10	Map essential
MachV or Chainstar		
Discatcher	8	Good
Mach I, II, or III		
Tube tones or Homemade		
Other baskets		
Other		
Ease of Navigation	3	Don't go there without a map because of the unique layout.
Rough - Fair yet adequate	8	Mostly grass, easy rough.
Lost Disc Potential	8	Only in the water
Beauty of Surrounding Area	3	In a neighborhood

III. Amenities

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Map of the course	10	Map on the internet extremely helpful.
Score Cards	5	Sufficient but basic.
Current Basket Positions	5	[Not applicable]
Warm up Basket	0	
Message Board	0	
Benches and trash cans	0	

Special Features

Only 3 baskets with 16 tees. To make 18 holes you alternate the nines Long and Short by playing 1L, 2 Sh, 3L, 4 Sh...
Lighted for night play and has an active league.

Miscellaneous

It could be dangerous throwing over a baseball field. With only 3 baskets it's hard to remember the hole layouts, so make sure to have a map or a local guide. This a great way to introduce disc golf in a very small neighborhood park.

Holes Birdied

5S, 6S, 9S.

Favorite Hole(s)

8L. Drive over the water with the pond on your right side./ 8S. A nice tunnel of woods./ 5L. Drive over the pond.

Toughest Hole(s)

3L. A pretty long throw up a steep hill./ 6L. Your dirve has to clear the pond and the trees then go up the steep hill. WSA=4.2 and par=4.

Comments

Very creative to make 18 holes with only 3 baskets. The designer deserves an A+ for making the best of the available land!
It's still a very small park with a ball field in the middle of it, though.

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