

HI Waimanalo

Bellows

Rating: <5 (0-10)

Quality Level: Below Average

Length 2250

9 Holes **Date Played** June 2013

Year Established 2011

Designer:

Course Level(s): Red

I. Design

Rating

Comments

Multiple Tee pads

1

1 set

Multiple Basket layouts

1

1 layout

Fairways

Fairway Rating

4

Not that exciting; too open

Clear and reasonable Fairways

9

Quite clear; some too open

Elev. Variety

2

1 Up/ 1 Down/ 7 Flat

Elevation Differential

1

Mostly flat. Greatest change is 5 ft.

Terrain Rating

4

7 Mixed/ 2 Open grass. Too open for my taste

Length variety

3

145, 150/ 5 of 220-245/ 315, 390

Green Rating

4

Too open

Use of Water

0

Ocean in view on 3 holes, but no water in play

Overall

Course Beauty

6

It gets extra credit for being in Hawaii!

Hole Safety Issues

0

On weekends there are other park users everywhere!

Hole Difficulty

5

Average for Red level players.

Fun Factor

Overall Hole Quality

4

Just too flat and too open and too short for me

II. Basics

Rating

Comments

Signs

Tees Signs: tees well marked

6

On big lava rocks that are easy to spot

Tees

Tee Pad Design- esp. Length

4

Only the front is marked.

Tee Pad Material

4

Sand and dirt

Tee Pad Condition

4

Not always level

Baskets

Baskets

3

DISCatcher- double chain. Lots of rust and corrosion

Baskets easy to find

7

2, 6, 8 can be harder to spot.

Other

Ease of Navigation

8

Easy to not see basket 2 and shoot for basket 5.

Rough - Fair yet adequate

4

Not much rough at all

Lost Disc Potential

9

Pretty tough to lose a disc unless it gets stuck in a tree.

Beauty of Surrounding Area

6

Nice overall but Waimanalo is a little rundown.

III. Amenities

	Rating	Comments
Map of the course	7	Online. Clear.
Restrooms		I guess there is one in the resort check in building. Also near basket 6.
Score Cards	0	
Current Basket Positions	5	[Not applicable]
Warm up Basket	0	None
Message Board		
Benches and trash cans	0	

Special Features

1) A beautiful beach is only 50 yards from the number 7 basket!, 2) Sand, pine trees, and steep volcano crater mountains in the background.

Miscellaneous

1) DGA number plates "nickel" on top of the baskets; 2) Hole lengths on the tee signs are not accurate; holes are shorter than listed; 3) My best score was -5, with birdies on holes 4-8.

Holes Birdied

1-2, 4-9

Favorite Hole(s)

2. Scenic fairway in pine trees with mountains in the background, with a bit more challenge to hit your line.

Toughest Hole(s)

3. The whole pathway is OB and it is a bit too long for me to birdie, so this is the only hole I never birdied.

Comments

Numerous safety issues with unbelievable amounts of other park users walking all over holes 4-9. With all of the incredible safety issues I bumped the course the rating up to 2 only because of the Hawaiian beauty, especially with the beach close by.

If you want my actual rating for this course please send an email to playdiscgolf@gmail.com.