

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 Teepads	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.