

My Enjoyment: 9.5 (0-10)

Enjoyment: Top Favorites

Length 6330 to 7680

18 Holes Date Played June 2011

Year Established 2008

Designer:

Course Level(s) / Blue

I. Design

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Multiple Teepads	4	1 main tee and 8 Red tees that seemed like an afterthought
Multiple Basket layouts	3	B positions on 6 holes
Fairways		
Fairway Rating	9	[Mixed] Simply excellent! 4 Lt/ 4 R/ 3 S/ 7 St
Clear and reasonable Fairways	10	Very clear and open
Elev. Variety	9	[Mixed] Very good. 9 Up/ 7 D/ 2 F
Elevation Differential	7	[Mixed] Front is moderate, Back is very great (33 to 40 ft)
Terrain Rating	8	[Mixed] Excellent woods. 17 T/ 1 Mix
Length variety	10	[Mixed] 7<299/ 2 of 335/ 3 of 405-475/ 4 of 500-585/ 2 of 615-690
Green Rating	7	[Mixed] Slightly better on the back
Use of Water	9	Stream in play on 5 holes; in view on 4 holes. More on the back.

Overall

Course Beauty	7	A beautiful wooded area with ravines and some water
Hole Safety Issues	10	None
Hole Difficulty	6	Average for Blue level players
Overall Hole Quality	8	I enjoyed the course immensely

II. Basics

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Baskets		
Baskets	10	Chainstar
Baskets easy to find	3	Blind on 12 holes (1, 3, 5-13, 15) so map is essential
Tees		
Tee Pad Design- esp. Length	10	Quite long, trapezoids
Tee Pad Material	10	Raked concrete
Tee Pad Condition	10	Great
Signs		
Signs: well marked	10	Colorful, sturdy Houck signs with detailed maps. Ideal!
Other		
Ease of Navigation	8	Tee 5 was a little hard to find, and tee 10 was a long walk
Rough - Fair yet adequate	10	Lots of wood, but the rough was just right-- not too thick
Lost Disc Potential	8	Only in water on 14 or possibly in some of the rough
Beauty of Surrounding Area	10	Way out in the country

III. Amenities

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Map of the course	10	Ideal. Online. Colorful and detailed.
Restrooms	10	In the IDGC building
Score Cards	0	I didn't see any.
Current Basket Positions	0	None. This would help
Warm up Basket	10	Large area with about 6 baskets
Message Board	0	I didn't see one
Benches and trash cans	8	Quite a few benches

Special Features

IDGC and 2 more courses in the park. Camping available.

Miscellaneous

There were deer on hole 6 in the early morning.

Holes Birdied

none

Favorite Hole(s)

14. Beautiful! It crosses a finger of the lake so a risk of a kick into the water. Wooded down-up fairway with great elevation changes.

Toughest Hole(s)

13. Only 282 ft but with a 40 ft elevation gain it plays like 400 ft. Blue Score Avg of 3.6 on a par 3.

Comments

A majestic course on fantastic terrain. Lots of variety that will challenge Blue level players. A must play, and it's right next to two other fantastic courses and the PDGA headquarters!