

May 2, 2020

Hello All,

As you may know, the Governor of New Mexico is allowing us to reopen golf courses on Friday, May 1, 2020. Like everything else, reopening the golf courses will happen in phases. Below are the details for Phase One.

Individual play can be permitted with no more than four players per group that either walk or ride alone in properly sanitized golf carts (two riders who live together also permissible if clearly identified). All league, clinic, camps, and organized activities will remain suspended.

The Pro shop is closed. All tee times must be made by advanced reservation with debit or credit card only. Please call 575.744.7100 to make a reservation. When your reservation transaction is complete, you will be given a cart number. The key will bin in the cart. Practice facilities are open but are restricted to 10 or less people practicing strict social distancing.

The basis is minimal course set up and minimal staff. No retail sales of any kind. Beverage carts are not in use. The player should bring their own water and remove trash upon leaving. No club storage and staff will not handle bags. Holes will be filled to allow for easy ball retrieval. The ball washers are not to be used. No bunker rakes. Trash removed by individual players. Flags should not be touched for any reason.

For the time being, restrooms will be available in the Club only. Be sure to wash and dry your hands. New soap and paper towel dispensers have been installed in the Club bathrooms. On course restrooms will be opened soon. Guidelines say the on course restrooms must be cleaned after each use. We do not have adequate staffing to do that on the course.

The restaurant and bar are closed, that includes the patio. We hope to have restaurant services available again soon.

#### GUIDELINES FOR ALL STAFF AND GUESTS

- Wash your hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer, especially after touching frequently used items or surfaces.
- Avoid touching your face.
- Sneeze or cough into a tissue, or the inside of your elbow.
- Disinfect frequently used items and surfaces as much as possible.
- Maintain social distancing of at least 6 feet.

Thank you,

Vicki Ballinger  
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