Ted Rhodes Golf Course



Ted Rhodes Golf Course is on the banks of the Cumberland River in North Nashville. The course, originally called Cumberland Golf Course, featured nine holes when built in 1953. In 1969, at the request of the legendary Councilman Robert Lillard, the Park Board renamed the park in honor of Theodore "Ted" Rhodes, a renowned, black golf professional from Nashville, who paved the way for other black golfers like Charlie Sifford, Lee Elder, Renee Powell, and Tiger Woods. Learn more about the legendary and iconic Ted Rhodes.

In May 1992, the facility was re-designed and expanded from nine to eighteen holes. The links style eighteen-hole course incorporates lakes and bunkers, which provide a pleasurable round for golfers. The greens at Ted Rhodes are large and offer a big target for your approach shot. At Ted Rhodes, golf and exercise go hand-in-hand. It is an easy course to walk.

Also, while enjoying a round at Ted Rhodes, witness spectacular wildlife. The lakes and river provide, in an urban setting, natural habitats for turtles, fish, muskrats and the occasional family of beaver.

Ted Rhodes Golf Course is home to the Duffers Golf Association. The Duffers are a group of men who play golf and enjoy competition and fellowship. The Duffers host an annual tournament to benefit Sickle Cell Anemia. They also take pride in their efforts supporting Meharry Hospital.

The registration and information for the Southern Conference Golf Tournament November 8, 2024, is on the Department TN website vfwtn.org.

Prices and sponsorship for Golf Tournament

Birdie Sponsor - \$1000 includes a 4-man team, hole signage with table, spot on the welcome banner and reception, recognition on websites/socials, vendor table at awards/entertainment.

Par Sponsor - \$500 includes 4-man team, hole signage with table, signage throughout entrance and awards.

Hole Sponsor - \$200 table upon request

4 Man Team - \$400 standard 4-man team

Individual - \$100 individual sign up (we can help pair you up)

Games/Entertainment:

Ben Kassman "The Caveman":

He is a competitor on the World Long Drive Tour and a trick shot artist. He will be sending drives for the Department of TN on a par 5. Can you out drive him?

Backswing Golf Events:

A female professional golfer will challenge the teams to a closet to the pin contest. Portion of the proceeds go to her journey and to the Department of TN.

Launch Golf USA:

CO2 Powered Golf Cannon. It is exactly what you think it is.

Food will be provided to the field. Influence of Memphis and Eastern NC Style BBQ.

LIVE MUSIC from new record label company, Label 22! We will be showing our support our Veteran the veteran based record label company, Label 22.

Silent Auction, Raffles, Gift Bags, and Manu more updates to come!