

Winter's End Warmup

April 5th and 6th

PDGA Pro/Amateur C-Tier

Deer Lakes Disc Golf Course

Caddy Guide and Virtual Player's Meeting



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Introduction

Thank you all for registering for Winter's End Warmup 2025. This is the kickoff event for the 2025 Western PA Series. You can expect the same high quality experience that Camber sponsored events are known for, but we are happy to introduce a couple changes from previous years to give a slightly different competitive experience.

This event is proud to operate as a Pittsburgh Flying Disc affiliate event. Hosting the tournament at Deer Lakes would not be possible without the hard work of the PFD course promoters BJ Reiher, Mike Vasey, and the myriad of volunteers who have put in a workday. If you see them out and about at the event or in the community, please be sure to thank them.



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Western Pennsylvania Series

The Western PA Series (WPAS) will consist of a dozen events over the course of 2025. Placement in each event will be worth points with your best 5 events counting towards your point total.

For 2025, PDGA divisions have been consolidated into 4 pools for points.

- ❖ All Pro Players
- ❖ Advanced (FA1/MA1) and Intermediate (FA2/MA2) amateurs
- ❖ Recreational (FA3/MA3) and Novice (FA4/MA4) amateurs
- ❖ Age Protected Amateurs (Junior and 40+ Amateur divisions)

A per player fee is collected from all WPAS events to build the Series Champions purses. The top placers in each of the pools at the end of the season will be paid out in cash and awarded series trophies.

New to this year is the introduction of “Majors.” Majors will consist of the 4 founding series events and will be worth 1.5x points. Winter’s End Warmup is the first Major of the year for WPAS!

For more information on the series including the point structure, payout structure, and full event listing, please visit the series page at www.discgolfscene.com/2025WPAS

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Pittsburgh Flying Disc is a 501c3 Non-Profit organization created to specifically foster and promote national and international sporting competition in the sport of Disc Golf. We are a group of volunteers in the community who have come together to spread the joy of disc golf to others in the greater Pittsburgh Area.

General Information

- ❖ Tournament will play rain or shine. If dangerous weather occurs, players will be notified to suspend play via the PDGA live app and a 3 horn blasts. The event will follow PDGA rule 1.07 to suspending and resuming of play.
- ❖ Tournament HQ will be located in the gravel parking lot between holes 8 & 9. Please prioritize parking in that area as that is where check-in, player's packs, and payouts will be located.
- ❖ Casual relief will be allowed, with no penalty stroke, should a disc come to rest near dangerous animals, such as venomous snakes or stinging insects, or dangerous plants, such as poison ivy in accordance with Rule 803.02(A)
- ❖ Casual relief may be taken from standing water throughout the course and drainage trenches as specified on the individual holes.

Tournament Format

- ❖ Competitors will play two (2) rounds on their assigned day in shotgun start format.
- ❖ All competitors play their assigned tee color layout with a couple exceptions. See the layout section for more details.
- ❖ Round 1 will begin at 9:00AM. Lunch break will last one (1) hour after the last card of round 1 is completed. Round 2 start time will be announced in person at HQ, on PDGA live, and on the DGscene event comments page.

Scorekeeping

- ❖ We will be using PDGA Live Scoring for this tournament.
 - Access Code: WEW25
 - Access code is NOT case sensitive
- ❖ All players are required to maintain a scorecard independently for their group. (Rule 808A)
- ❖ Acceptable scoring methods:
 - Live scoring (preferred)
 - Paper score which must be handed in within 30 minutes of when your round finishes or that player will receive a penalty. (Rule 808F)
- ❖ Paper score cards will be available at Tournament HQ upon request.

Player's Packs and Ace Pot

- ❖ Amateur player's packs will consist of an event exclusive GOAT Towel.
- ❖ Pro's do not receive a player's pack but must check-in.
- ❖ There is a \$5 ace pot available during registration. Day of signups for the ace pot will not be allowed. If there are no aces hit each day by ace pot registrants, there will be a throw-off for 50% of the pot.

Deer Lakes Disc Golf Course

- ❖ The course is located at 105 Cattail Drive Tarentum PA, 15084.
 - <https://maps.app.goo.gl/f9ggDfQJJ37bEH64A>
- ❖ The park has running water from spigots throughout the course (hole 7 pin, hole 11 near pavilion, and hole 18 fairway) portajohns (hole 10 pin) and vault toilets (hole 17 tee), and a lost disc box near hole 1.
- ❖ This is a mixed use park, and therefore all players are urged to remember to be considerate of park goers during the tournament.
- ❖ Since it is a shotgun start format, most of the course and all the baskets may be used as warm-up areas. Please be cautious if warming up near Tournament HQ or common pedestrian paths near holes 1, 10, 11, 17, and 18.

Tie Breakers

- ❖ In the event of a tie for first place after round 2, all tied competitors in that division will compete in a playoff.
- ❖ Playoffs will play the sudden death format on Holes 7 and 8 in a loop until a winner is decided.
 - Sudden death - Each competitor plays the hole as normal. Any competitor who shoots a higher score than the other competitors will be eliminated. The last competitor remaining will be declared the winner.
 - Individuals who lose the playoff will take solo or a split second place.
 - Example: Players A, B, and C all finish at -10 tied for first after day 2. Each player plays Hole 1. Player's A and C score par while Player B cards a bogey. Player B is eliminated and Players A and C proceed to Hole 2.
- ❖ Payouts for all divisions will not begin until any and all playoffs are concluded.

Layout Assignments

- ❖ Event **Gold Tee** layout plays some of the shorter tees with lower pars. Where this is the case, the par on those holes will be color coded for each layout in the hole descriptions below.
- ❖ MPO, MP40, and MA1 will play the event **Gold Tees** Layout. The **Gold Tees** layout is all **Blue Tees** with the following exceptions.
 - Hole 3 - **Red Tee (Par 4)**
 - Hole 6 - **Red Tee (Par 3)**
 - Hole 7 - White Tee (Par 3, All divisions will play the white tee)
 - Hole 9 - White Tee (Par 4)
 - Hole 14 - **Red Tee (Par 4)**
- ❖ FPO, MP50, FA1, MA2, MA3, MA40, and MJ18 will play the normal White Tees Layout.
- ❖ All other divisions will play the normal **Red Tees** Layout with the following exceptions.
 - Hole 7 - White Tee

Deer Lakes DG Course

Hole 1 - Par 4

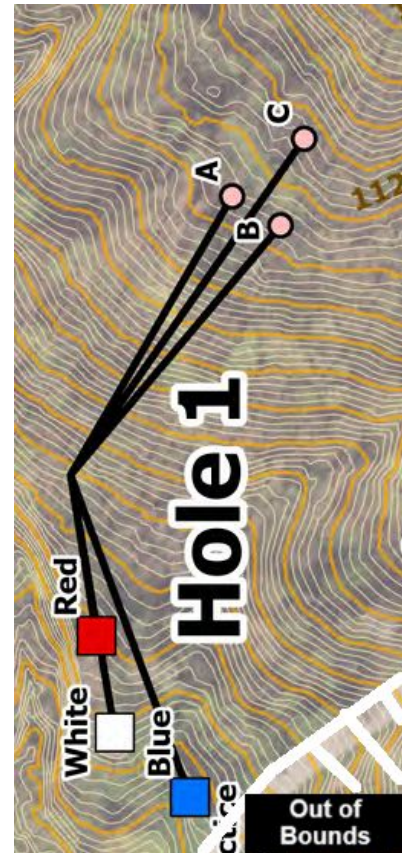
Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 462' (141 m)

White Tee - 401' (122 m)

Red Tee - 342' (104 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on and over road and parking lot behind tees and right of fairway (The line is marked by where the asphalt meets the concrete curb. Concrete curb is in bounds).



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Hole 2 - Par 3

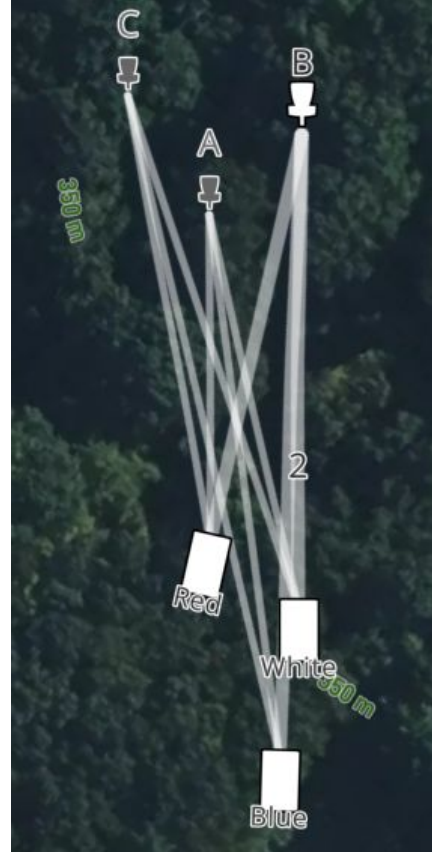
Pin Position - C

Blue Tee - 314' (96 m)

White Tee - 246' (75 m)

Red Tee - 208' (63 m)

- ❖ No out of bounds.



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Hole 3 - Par 4/5/5

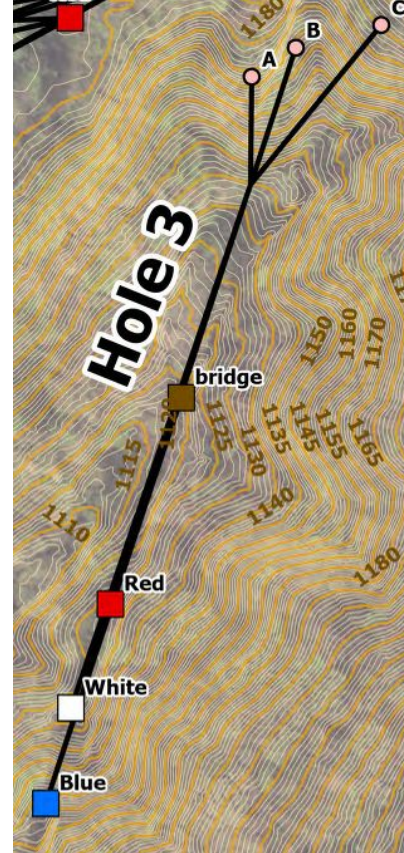
Pin Position - B

Gold Layout plays Red Tee

White Tee - 720' (219 m)

Red Tee - 604' (184 m)

- ❖ Casual relief may be taken from drainage trenches crossing and lining the fairway.



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Hole 4 - Par 3

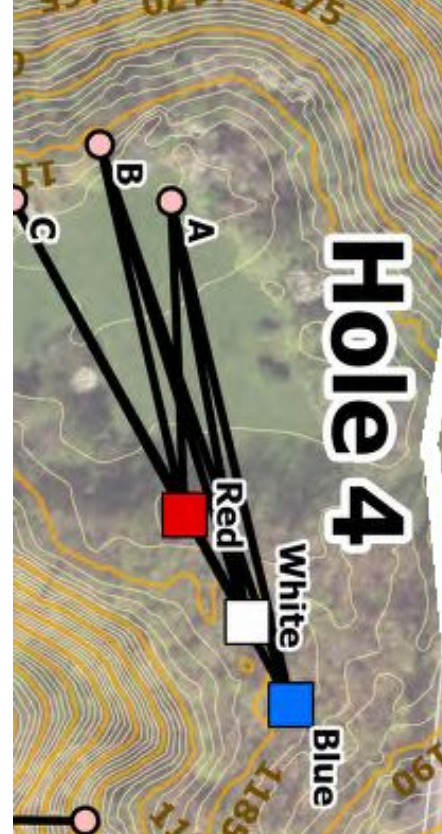
Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 363' (111 m)

White Tee - 297' (91 m)

Red Tee - 212' (65 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over the road right of fairway and tees.



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Hole 5 - Par 3

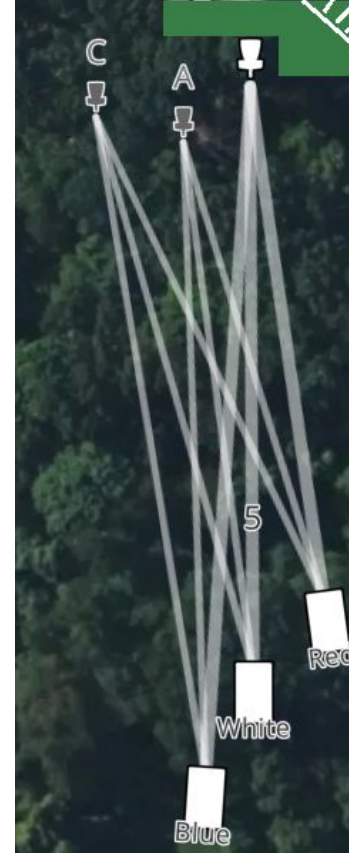
Pin Position - C

Blue Tee - 309' (94 m)

White Tee - 270' (82 m)

Red Tee - 253' (77 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds fully surrounded by the rock wall of the rock garden long and right of fairway.



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Hole 6 - Par 3/4/4

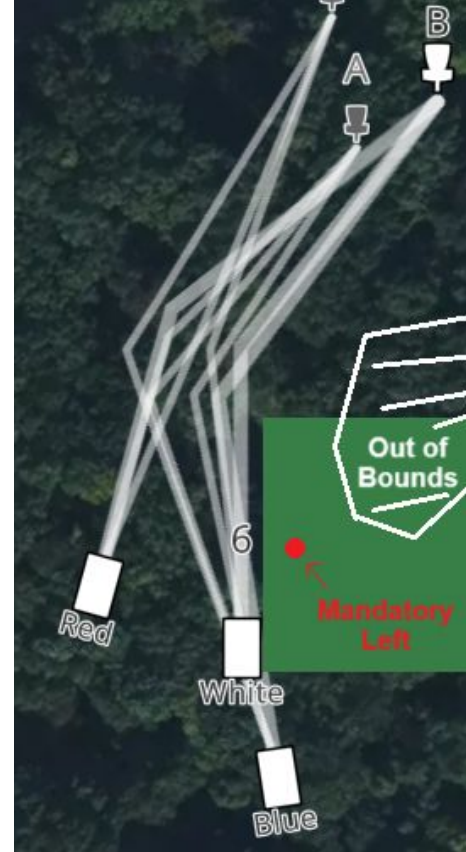
Pin Position - A

Gold Layout plays Red Tee

White Tee - 386' (118 m)

Red Tee - 367' (112 m)

- ❖ Mandatory left of marked tree. Missed mando proceeds to the Red Tee drop zone with a 1 stroke penalty.
- ❖ Out of bounds fully surrounded by rock wall of the rock garden right of fairway.



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Hole 7 - Par 3

Pin Position - B

White Tee - 415' (126 m)

- ❖ All divisions will tee off from White Tee.
- ❖ Out of bounds surrounded by concrete or on the roof of the Blue Gill Pavilion.
- ❖ Out of bounds on/over paved parking lot long of the basket.



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Hole 8 - Par 3

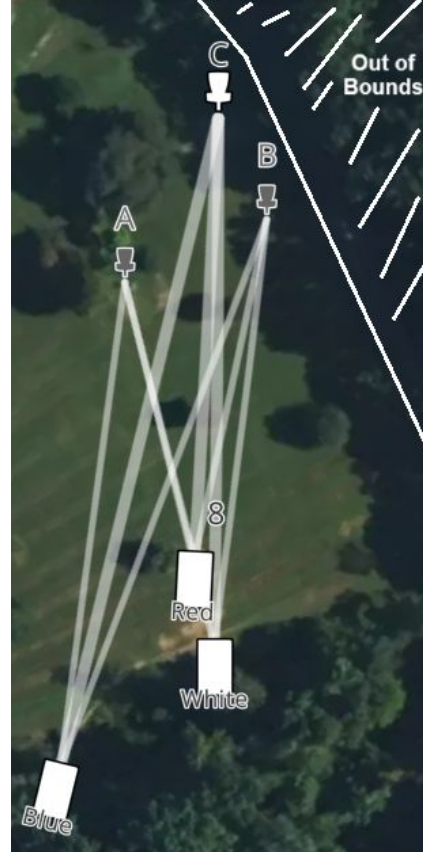
Pin Position - C

Blue Tee - 320' (98 m)

White Tee - 248' (76 m)

Red Tee - 205' (62 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds right of fairway marked by flag line and painted arrow. Painted arrow at each end marks an indefinite out of bounds line. This out of bounds line is only in play for Hole 8.



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Hole 9 - Par 4/5/5

Pin Position - B

Gold Layout plays White Tee

White Tee - 824' (251 m)

Red Tee - 653' (199 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on and over road long right of fairway (The line is marked by where the asphalt meets the concrete curb. Concrete curb is in bounds).
- ❖ Out of bounds surrounded by concrete or on the roof of the Blue Gill Pavilion.



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Hole 10 - Par 4

Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 549' (167 m)

White Tee - 455' (139 m)

Red Tee - 322' (98 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over road long right of fairway (The line is marked by where the asphalt meets the concrete curb. Concrete curb is in bounds).



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Hole 11 - Par 3

Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 367' (112 m)

White Tee - 291' (89 m)

Red Tee - 198' (60 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over road and parking lot behind tees (The line is marked by where the asphalt meets the concrete curb. Concrete curb is in bounds).
- ❖ Casual relief may be taken from drainage trench crossing the fairway



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Hole 12 - Par 3

Pin Position - C

Blue Tee - 337' (103 m)

White Tee - 255' (78 m)

Red Tee - 174' (53 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over the gravel pathway long of basket.



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Hole 13 - Par 4

Pin Position - C

Blue Tee - 628' (191 m)

White Tee - 488' (149 m)

Red Tee - 390' (119 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds right of fairway marked by roped off area.
- ❖ Casual relief may be taken from the creek right of the fairway if not in the out of bounds area.



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Hole 14 - Par 4/5/5

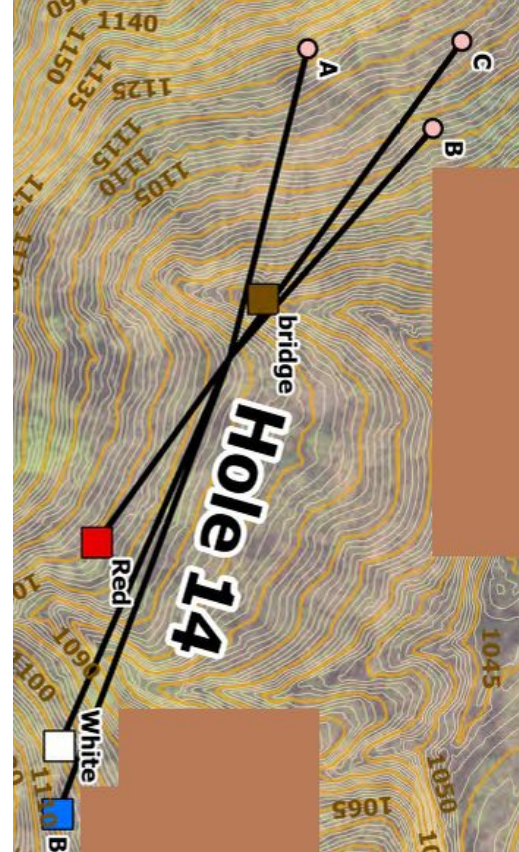
Pin Position - B

Gold Layout plays Red Tee

White Tee - 666' (204 m)

Red Tee - 596' (182 m)

❖ No out of bounds.



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Hole 15 - Par 3

Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 347' (102 m)

White Tee - 291' (85 m)

Red Tee - 158' (44 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds in the lake marked by flagged line on near side bank and by steel cable on far side bank. Where cable and flag lines end, out of bounds extends indefinitely in the direction marked by white painted arrow for Hole 15 only.
- ❖ Tee shots that come to rest out of bounds MAY proceed to **Red Tee** drop zone with a 1 stroke penalty.
- ❖ All other out of bounds shots play normal out of bounds rules.



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Hole 16 - Par 4

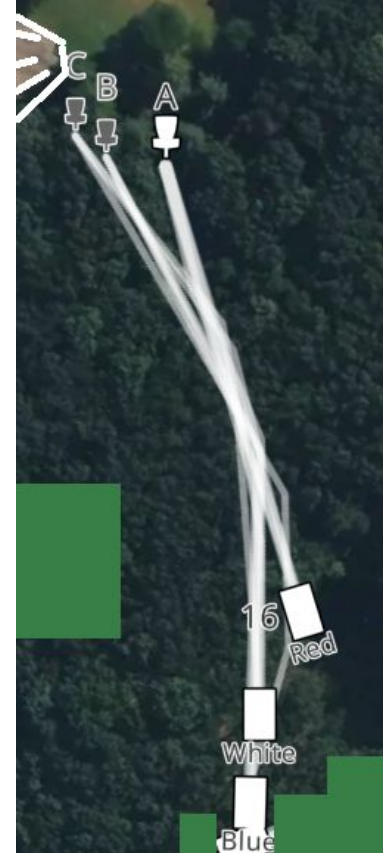
Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 534' (116 m)

White Tee - 457' (139 m)

Red Tee - 380' (116 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over the asphalt parking lot long of basket.



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Hole 17 - Par 3

Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 365' (111 m)

White Tee - 312' (95 m)

Red Tee - 248' (76 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over road left of fairway (The line is marked by where the asphalt meets the concrete curb. Concrete curb is in bounds).
- ❖ Casual relief may be taken from the drainage trench long and left of the basket



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Hole 18 - Par 4

Pin Position - B

Blue Tee - 696' (212 m)

White Tee - 625' (190 m)

Red Tee - 507' (155 m)

- ❖ Out of bounds on or over road left of fairway (The line is marked by where the asphalt meets the concrete curb. Concrete curb is in bounds.



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Thank You

Our team appreciates you competing in the event. We hope you have fun and spirited rounds while out on the course.

Upon conclusion of the event, a post tournament google forms survey may be sent out. We ask that you please take the time to fill out the survey so we can make improvements for next year.