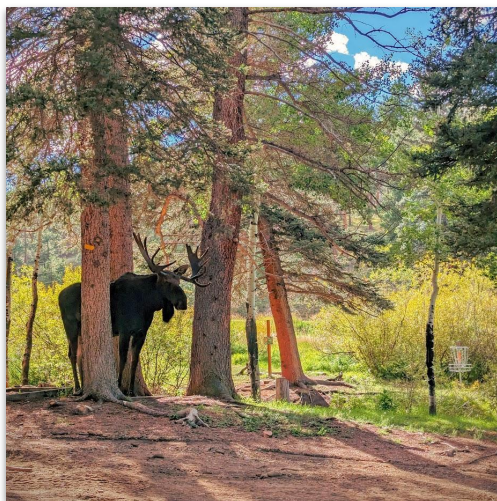
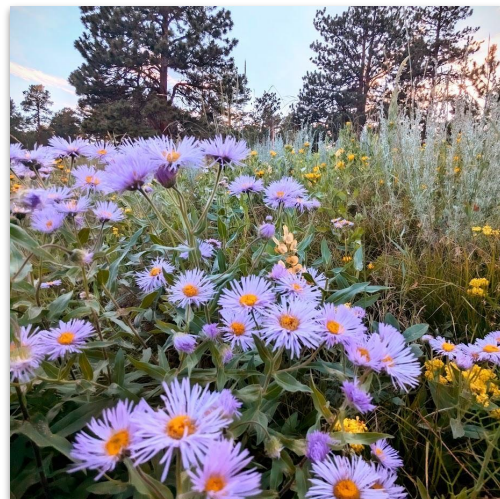
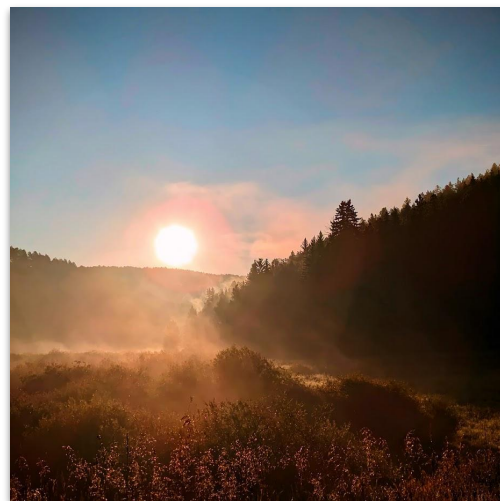




Beaver Flex:
August 2024
Beaver Mix!



Caddy Book



What is the Beaver Mix?



This will be the fifth event in a series of C-tier tournaments, held in a flex format, here at beautiful Beaver Ranch Disc Golf Course!

One round of 21 holes of traditional PDGA singles stroke play where the player in each division with the lowest total score is the champion!

We will be playing a curated mix of baskets from the Silvers, Blues, and Golds for this event! 7 baskets from each will be chosen for a total of 21 holes.

We feel these are some of the best shots Beaver has to offer with a healthy mix of par 4s and ace runs!

Here is the 2024 Beaver Mix layout!



This mix was selected by the Beaver Ranch Tournament
Director - Justin Gill

Did I leave off one of your favorites? Let me know!

Beaver Flex - 2024 August - Beaver Mix - Layout				
HOLE	PAR	BASKET		ELEVATION
1 Pro	4	GOLD	396	62
2	3	SILVER	188	24
3	3	BLUE	303	10
4	4	GOLD	323	22
5	3	SILVER	181	0
6	3	GOLD	317	-2
7	4	BLUE	433	-38
8	3	SILVER	378	-58
9	3	BLUE	267	-6
10	3	GOLD	383	-28
11	3	SILVER	235	-25
12	3	BLUE	214	44
13	3	SILVER	185	33
14	4	GOLD	440	20
15 Pro	3	BLUE	372	-6
16	3	GOLD	280	-13
17	3	SILVER	170	12
18	3	BLUE	275	-27
19	4	GOLD	408	50
20	3	SILVER	165	24
21	3	BLUE	395	-1
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Hole 01

GOLD | Par 4 | 396' | +62'

Welcome to Beaver Ranch!

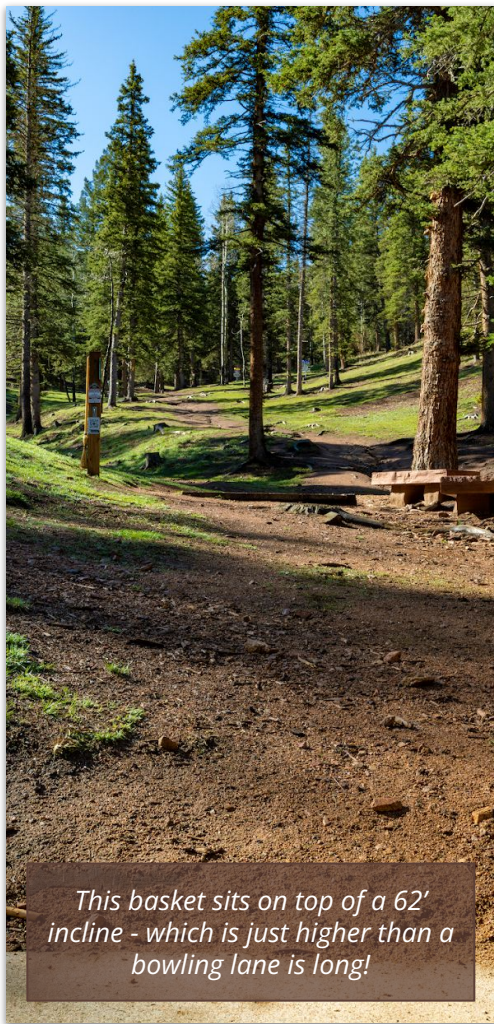
Our first hole on this layout is the 3rd longest and features the highest elevation gain from teepad to basket. The increase of 62' makes this sub-400' shot into one that plays well over 500'!

We will be playing from the Pro Pad on this opening hole. Get ready to rip!

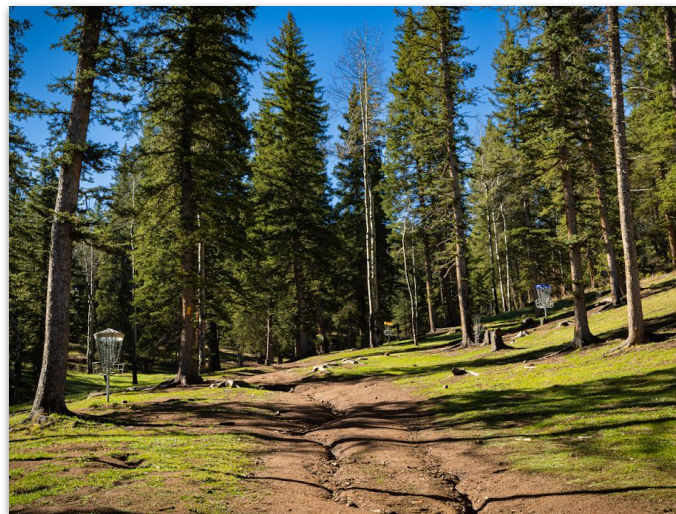
As Simon says, "I like starting a course with an inviting Par 4."

GAMEPLAN: Placement drive. Accurate upshot. Make a putt. Birdie.

...or throw in your second shot for an opening round eagle!



This basket sits on top of a 62' incline - which is just higher than a bowling lane is long!



Looking back.

Hole 02

SILVER | Par 3 | 188' | +24'

Here is our first ace run!

Our first Silver basket on this layout tempts all players with an ace!

Just make sure your bid doesn't run too deep as it can be easy to juice this one and put yourself out of birdie range.

GAMEPLAN: Who doesn't want an ace?! Gotta get it up high as this 24' incline is deceptive.

Better make sure you rip it.

...but make sure you get that easy bird!



Hole 03

BLUE | Par 3 | 303' | +10'

Here is our first dangerous slope!

Our first Blue basket on this layout sits a football field away but across a serious right to left slope!

The main gap at 151' off the teepad is only 12' wide!

Missing big can sometimes be better than missing by inches. Don't kick left!

GAMEPLAN:

Hit the gap.

Don't roll!

Par is totally fine.

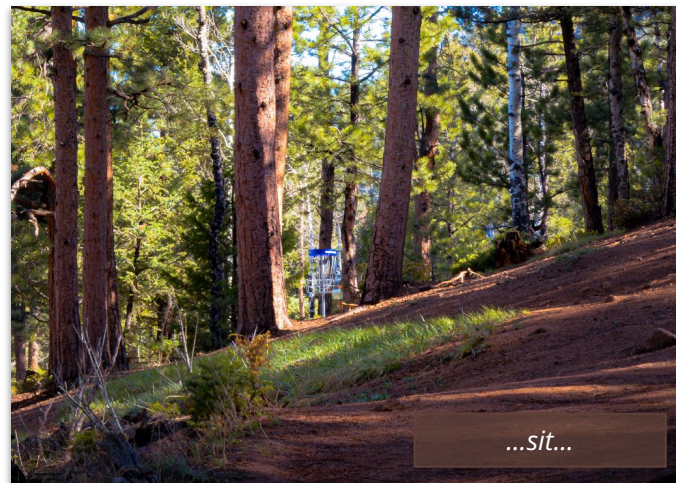
Can anyone get the bonus birdie?



Check out the 12' gap at 151' you need to hit and then try to land flat on the right to left slope!



This hole was originally Hole 12 when I played my first round at Beaver Ranch in 2011.



...sit...

Hole 04

GOLD | Par 4 | 323' | +22'

The most challenging short Par 4.

This one definitely feels more than the 22' uphill Google Earth says it is!

Not only do you need to rip this uphill, you also need to hit a gap that will punish anyone who is off their line.

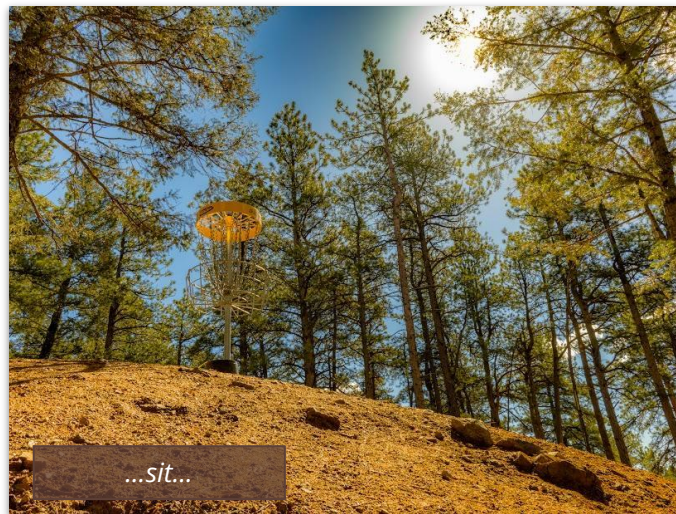
Once you get to the top of the hill, this hole features one of the most challenging approach shots and basket locations on the course.

GAMEPLAN:

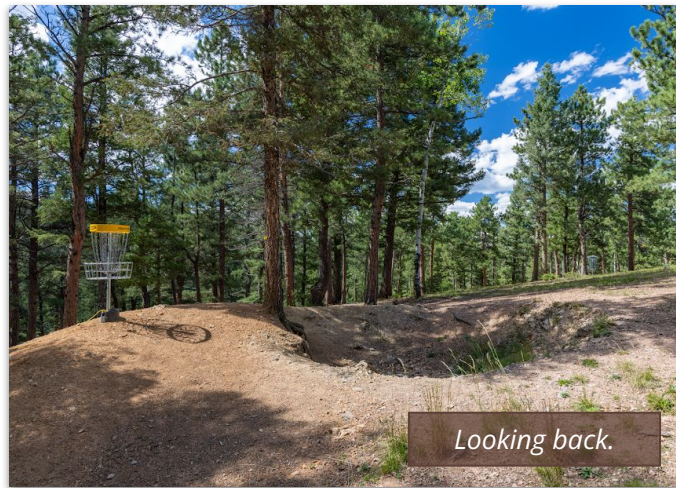
Hit the gap. Get up the hill. Nail the upshot. Make a death putt. Birdie.



Make sure you make the mando on the right side of this fairway!



...sit...



Looking back.

Hole 05

SILVER | Par 3 | 181' | +0'

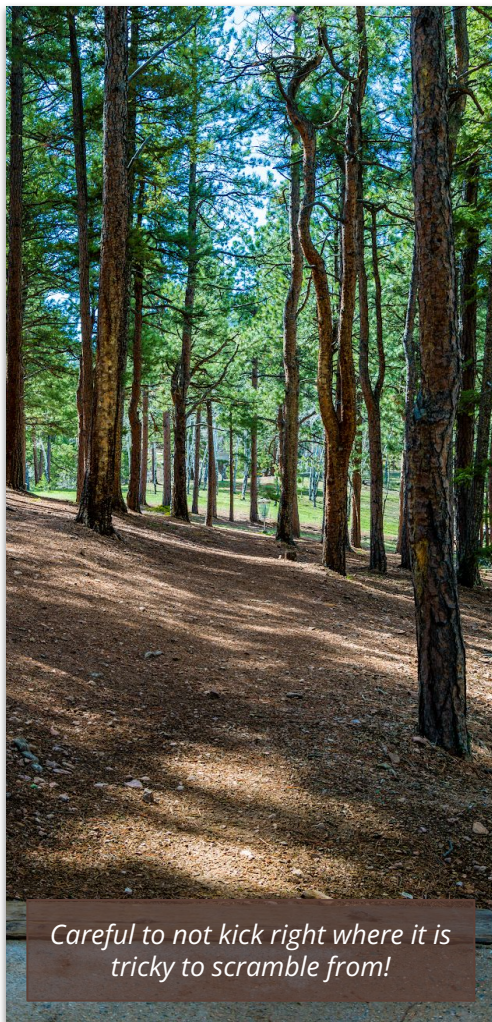
Here is our second ace run!

Can you throw the RHBH hyzer flip up through one of the tighter gaps at Beaver?

Careful as a solid ace run can end up deep outside of C1.

GAMEPLAN: Who doesn't want an ace?!
Gotta give it a shot!

...but make sure you get that birdie!



Careful to not kick right where it is tricky to scramble from!



Finally a hole where we do not have to throw uphill!



Somebody ace this. Please.

Hole 06

GOLD | Par 3 | 317' | -2'

The 3rd Gold basket of this layout is one of my favorites!

Rip a flat disc that will stay low, hyzer, and skip over to this green with a view!

Remember to go right of the mando in front of you.

[Ricardo Rene - who just shot the hot round during the Beaver Flex: Trash Panda SPC! - aced this basket during the 303 Open at Beaver Ranch!]

GAMEPLAN:

Hit the gap with a flat overstable disc that will skip up and to the left.
Make a putt. Birdie.

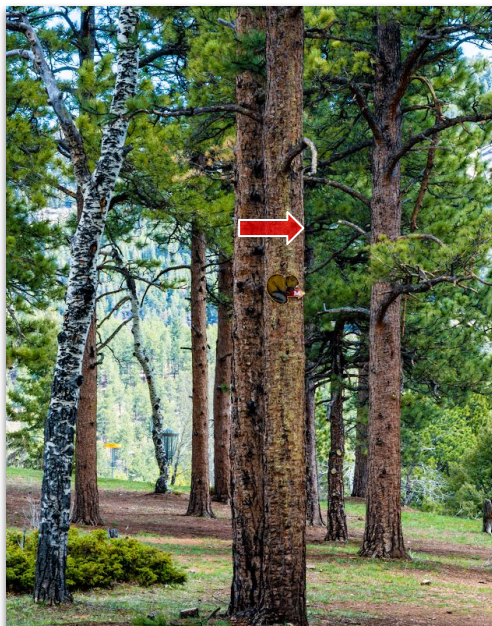


Photo of Ric's ace during the 303 Open at Beaver Ranch!



One of my favorite views at Beaver Ranch!



Looking back.

Hole 07

BLUE | Par 4 | 433' | -38'

The only Par 4 with a Blue basket!

Our second Blue basket on this layout is the iconic Hole 07!

This hole features a double mando, an OB line, and a green guarded by a grove of Aspen trees!

GAMEPLAN:

Hit the double mando.

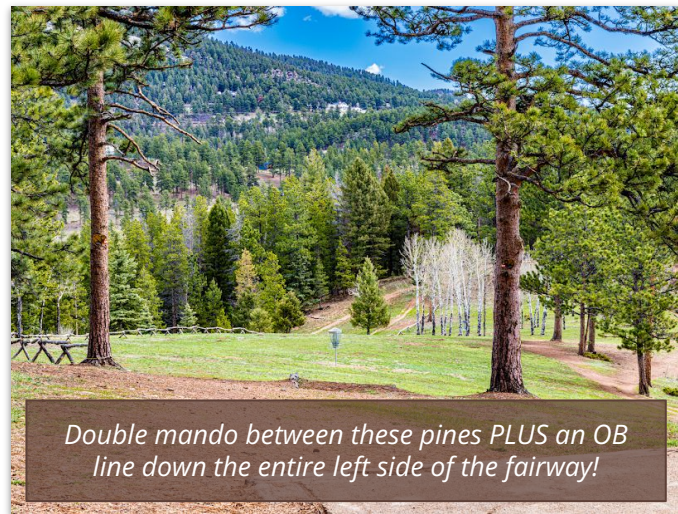
Don't go OB!

Get up and down for birdie.

Can anyone get the bonus eagle?



The only OB line at Beaver Ranch sits under the alpine fence.



Double mando between these pines PLUS an OB line down the entire left side of the fairway!



Love the Aspens!

Hole 08

SILVER | Par 3 | 378' | -58'

Here is our longest ace run!

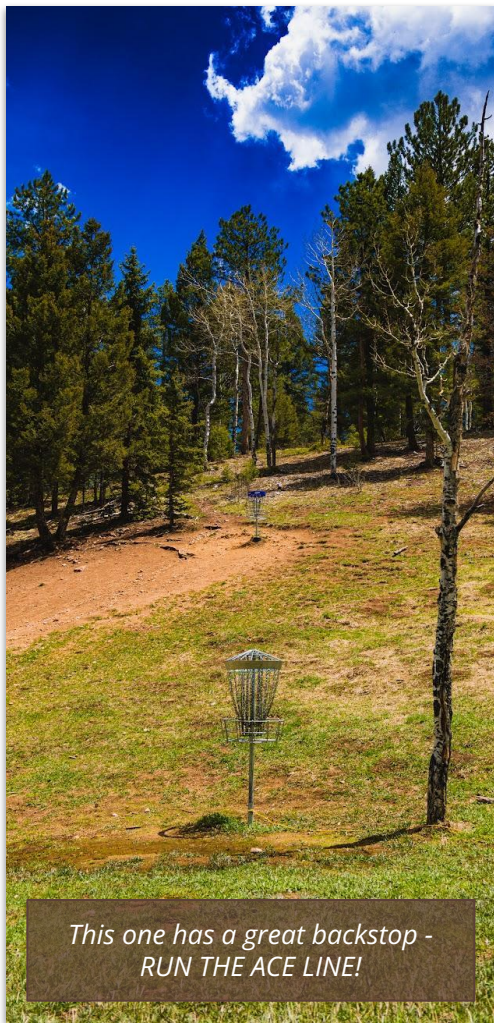
Time to rip the biggest downhill shot of the day!

Can you keep it straight enough or will it fade out?

GAMEPLAN:

Rip something straighter than you think!

...but make sure you get that birdie!



*This one has a great backstop -
RUN THE ACE LINE!*



Is this the most picturesque shot at Beaver?



Squirrel will judge you if you miss this birdie.

Hole 09

BLUE | Par 3 | 267' | -6'

Can you throw a "stock hyzer"?

Our third Blue basket on this layout is one where you need to get a birdie!

This hole features a left to right slope that will punish unlucky drives.

If you run it long, there is a nice little bowl behind this basket.

GAMEPLAN:

Throw the hyzer.

Don't roll.

Hit the putt.

Birdie time.



Hole 10

GOLD | Par 3 | 383' | -28'

The 4th Gold basket of this layout is surprisingly the third largest elevation drop from the teepad to the basket!

Do you try to sneak your drive past the Silver basket or rip it over the top of the trees?

GAMEPLAN:

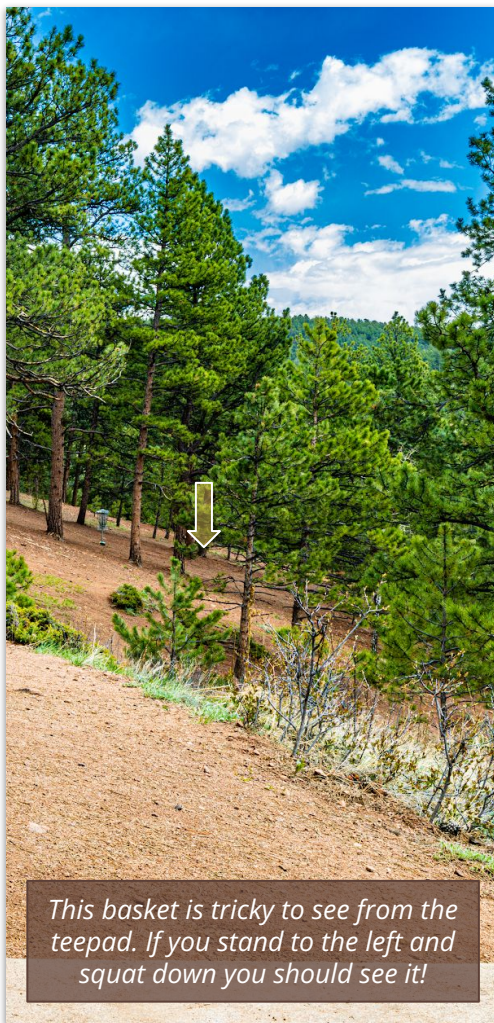
Par is great.

Bonus birdie if you can get it.

Risk it for the biscuit?

Careful for potentially epic rollaways!!

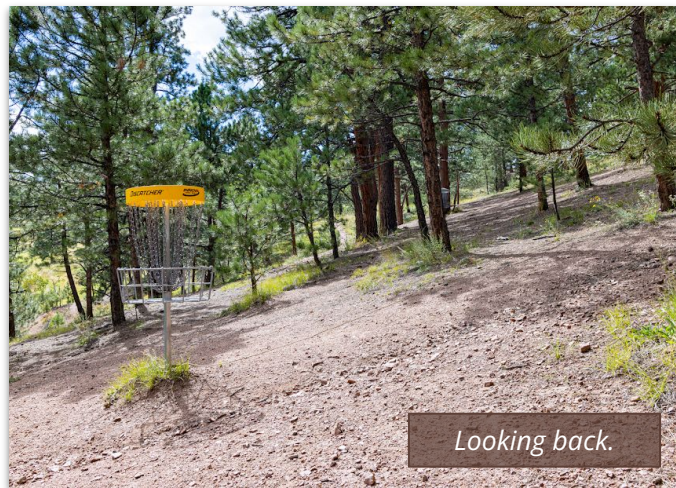
Kyle Harrigan with the clutch abandoned stroke play at the 303 Open at BR!



This basket is tricky to see from the teepad. If you stand to the left and squat down you should see it!



The view of the Gold basket from the Silver.



Looking back.

Hole 11

SILVER | Par 3 | 235' | -25'

Here is our scariest ace run!

Time to gently toss the softest downhill shot of the day!

Can you land it flat or will it find a way to roll downhill for a little adventure?

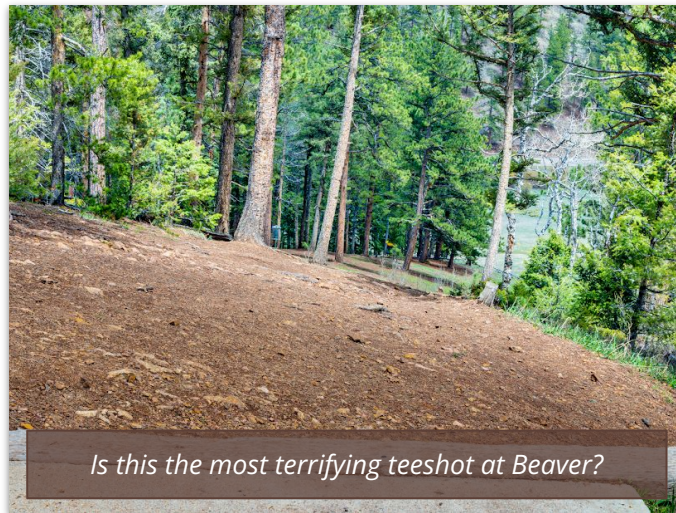
GAMEPLAN:

Best of luck.
Gravity is undefeated.

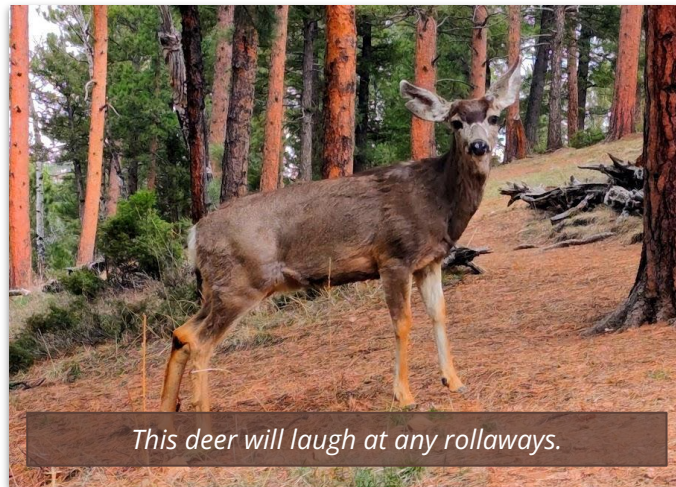
...but make sure you get that birdie!



*This one has NO backstop -
FEAR THE ACE LINE!*



Is this the most terrifying teeshot at Beaver?



This deer will laugh at any rollaways.

Hole 12

BLUE | Par 3 | 214' | +44'

This 4th Blue basket is only 214' but plays over 100' further as it is significantly uphill with a 44' increase in elevation!

At only a little over 200' away, this slope runs the length of the hole which makes this drive uniquely uphill.

I'd recommend something flippy for such a shot!

GAMEPLAN:

Throw the hyzer flip up.

Make sure you get it up!

Miss the guardian off the box.

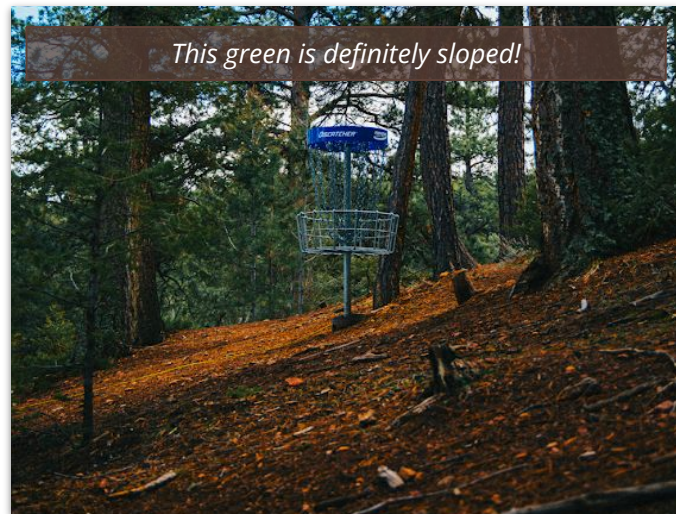
Catch your breath.

Hit the putt.

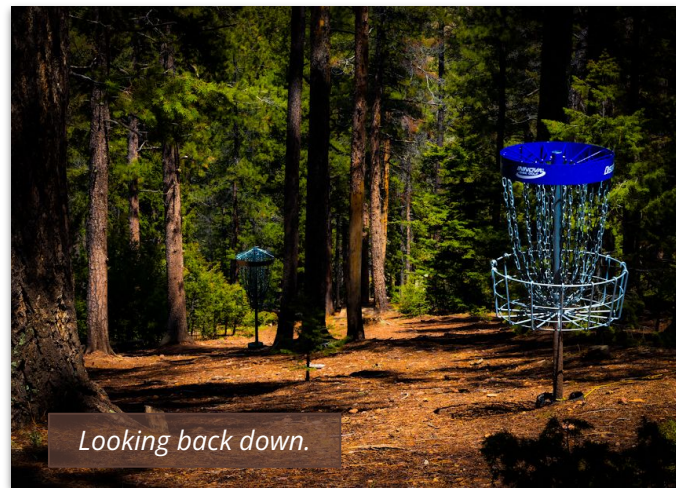
Birdie time.



Catch your breath... and rip it!



This green is definitely sloped!



Looking back down.

Hole 13

SILVER | Par 3 | 185' | +33'

Here is our least likely sub-200' ace run!

This 5th Silver basket is shockingly uphill for a short hole with an elevation gain over 30'!

The gap can be difficult to hit and will require more power than any other sub-200' hole you've played today.

GAMEPLAN:

Catch your breath.

Get the drive high enough.

Hopefully it sits on top of this ridge.

Get that birdie!



*Parking this one feels great!
I highly recommend it.*



Is this the most intimidating Silver basket at Beaver?



Wild Columbine!

Hole 14

GOLD | Par 4 | 440' | +20'

The 5th Gold basket of this layout is our first raised basket on this layout!

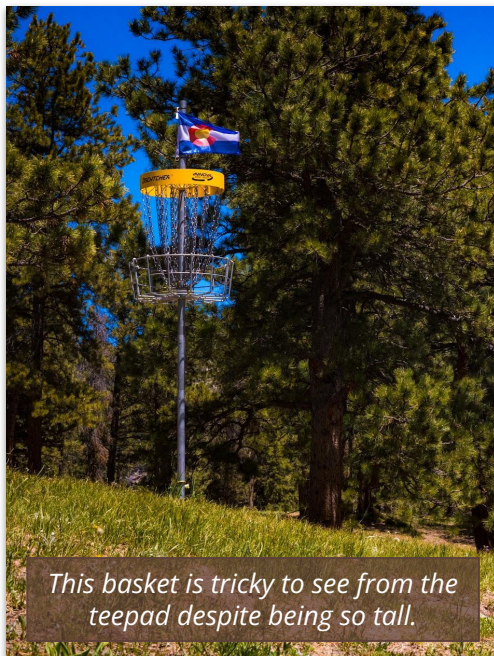
Classic par 4 design here. Placement drive, accurate upshot, make your putt.

The landing zone for good drives is very small and most will likely find themselves scrambling on their second shot - but from where?

GAMEPLAN:

Get that birdie. Doesn't matter how.

Check out Central Coast's coverage of The 303 Open at Beaver Ranch to see Colorado's own Lucas Carmichael absolutely park this shot for a tap in eagle! This drive right here! >>>>>>>>>



Hole 15

BLUE | Par 3 | 372' | -6'

This 5th Blue basket is my favorite Blue teeshot on the course!

We are playing this from the Pro Pad!

You'll need to throw a power drive while hitting the gap between this double mando plus avoiding any fade that can carry your RHBH drive across the OB line on the left.

GAMEPLAN:

Rip on something that will flip up and fade out.

Make sure it flips up!

Birdie time.



The two pines can definitely block some C1 putts if you end up deep!



This teeshot is absolutely iconic!



The Goose gave the Gold pin an ace run at The 303 at BR! Check it out on Central Coast's YouTube!

Hole 16

GOLD | Par 3 | 280' | -13'

The 6th Gold basket of this layout is our second (and final) raised basket on this layout!

Before elevating this basket, you'd always want to give this one an ace run. Now? Risky as if you pure your drive but miss hitting metal you might be outside of C2 deep!

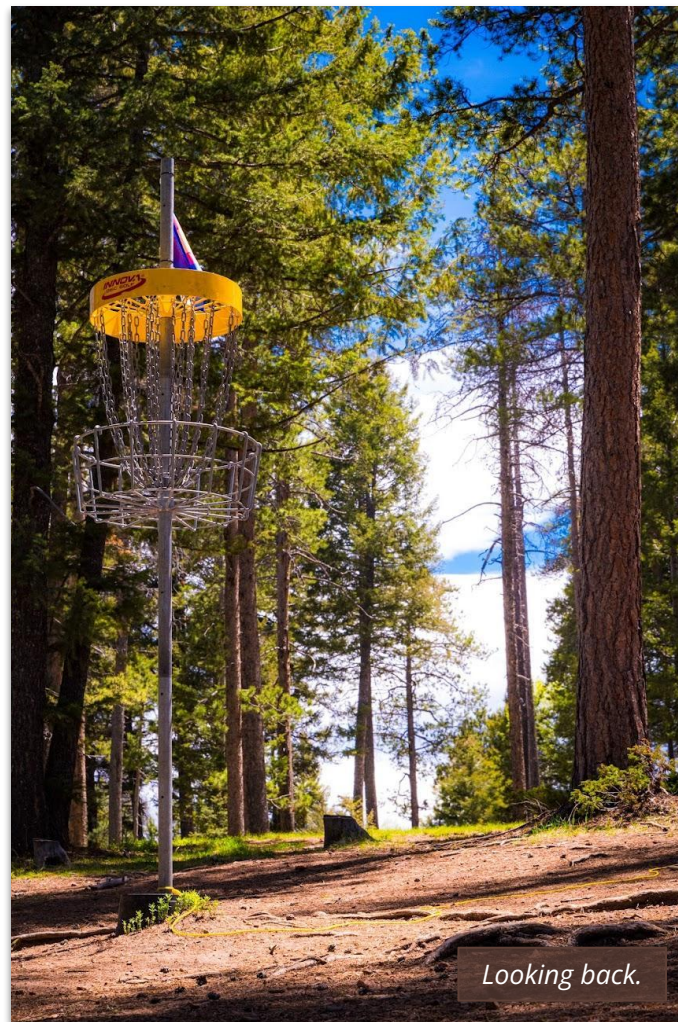
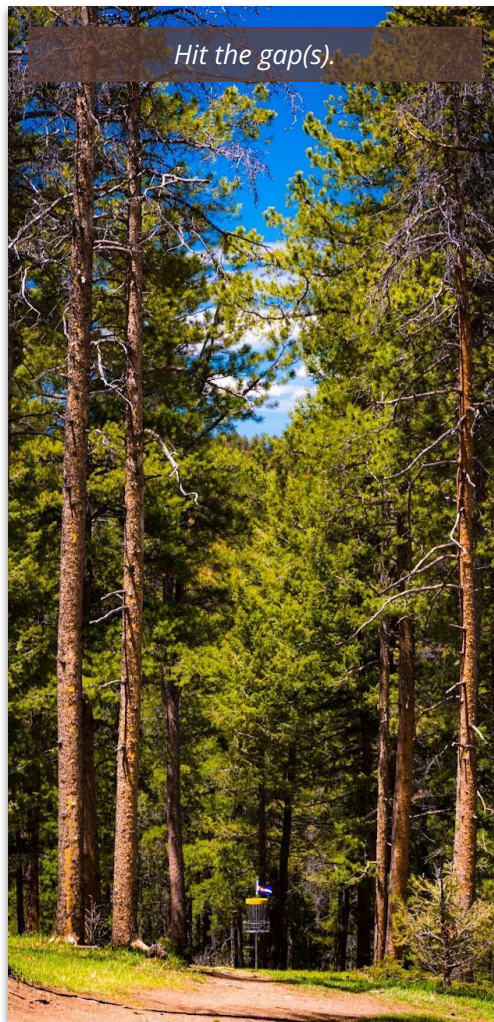
Even close putts are tough on this elevated basket. Putts from deep are more difficult than putts from short of the basket, but those are death putts!

GAMEPLAN:

Bonus birdie indeed.

Can you get it on this tall one?

What can you throw dead straight?



Hole 17

SILVER | Par 3 | 170' | +12'

Here is our "most likely to be aced" ace run!

This 6th Silver basket is just sitting there waiting for you blow up the chains!

GAMEPLAN:
Gotta give this one a run!

It's super embarrassing to not get this birdie. Don't be embarrassing.



Many deer run through the right side of this fairway on 17.



C'mon! Ace it!

Hole 18

BLUE | Par 3 | 275' | -27'

This 6th Blue basket sits in the wide open, once you get out of the super tight fairway!

We have now reached the most difficult gap to hit on the course. What's your straightest disc?

Or do you go over the top to avoid the gap?

GAMEPLAN:
Throw something straight.
Very straight.
Hit the gap.

Super bonus birdie time.
Good luck!



Those with big overhand shots (like Justin Fern shown here) may prefer to look skyward for their route out of the tight fairway!



This teeshot is brutally tight! Don't kick left or right!



Looking at 18 from 19's fairway.

Hole 19

GOLD | Par 4 | 408' | +50'

The 7th and final Gold basket on this layout is one for your understandable distance driver!

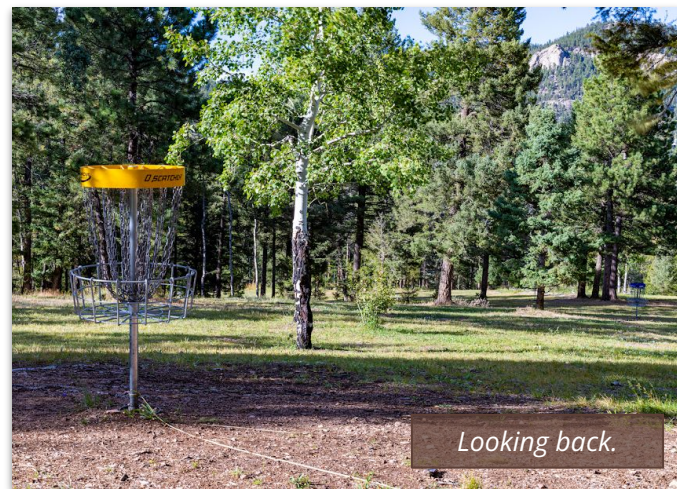
The gradual 50' in elevation gain over 400+' makes this hole play similar to Hole 01 - but with more room to rip!

I'd recommend an understandable and lightweight distance driver released on a hyzer flip up to land between the Silver and Blue baskets.

Don't go too far left as the OB line could come into play!

GAMEPLAN:

This is an easy one to underestimate. Do not leave it short. Give yourself a chance to make a putt. Birdie time.



Hole 20

SILVER | Par 3 | 165' | +24'

Here is last ace run - make sure you get it high enough!

This 7th and final Silver basket is just sitting there waiting for you blow up the chains!

GAMEPLAN:
Gotta give this one a run!

It's super embarrassing to not get this birdie. Don't be embarrassing.

Get the birdie!



24' of elevation gain on Hole 20 is identical to Hole 02's elevation gain!



Do not forget to look up every once and awhile.



Hole 21

BLUE | Par 3 | 395' | -1'

This 7th and final Blue basket sits hidden and tucked around the corner.

We have now reached the end of our Beaver Flex: 2024 Beaver Mix layout.

Last drive - what do you have left?
The Silver basket is -21' from the tee.
The Blue basket is then +20' above the Silver! You are likely to have an uphill putt to end your day.

GAMEPLAN:

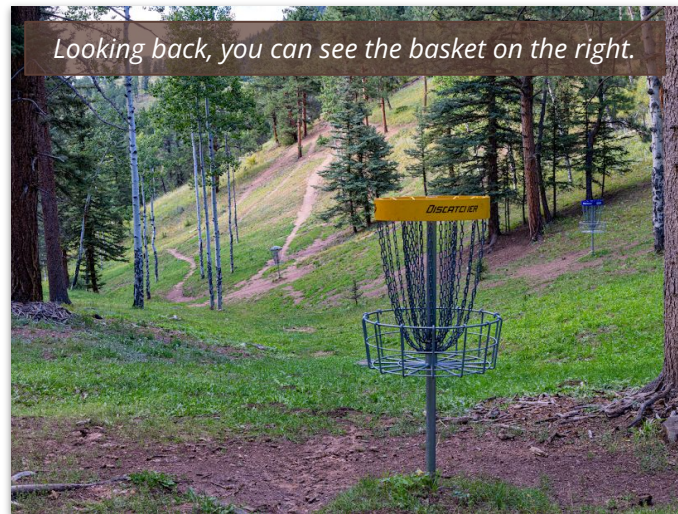
Flip something up that will still fade out.
Hit the gap. Hit the gap. Hit the gap.

Super bonus birdie time!

Good luck and we hope you enjoyed our favorite baskets at Beaver Ranch!



Can you hyzer flip your disc and still have it fade out at the end?



Looking back, you can see the basket on the right.



Thanks for playing the 2024 Beaver Mix!