

FREESTONE GOLF COURSE

Fact Sheet

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Location

Freestone is situated in the Bald Eagle Valley of the Appalachian Mountains in Central Pennsylvania. Freestone is located less than 10 minutes from downtown State College, PA and the Penn State University as well as less than 30 minutes from Altoona, PA.

Golf Course Overview

Freestone was conceived to provide a quality golf experience for the public living in and visiting our central Pennsylvania region. Freestone was named after the numerous streams that cut through the property which include the Bald Eagle Creek. (Streams that are created by watershed runoff are classified as freestone streams).

At Freestone we have designed a modern golf course using the natural flow and features of the land. The course is carved out of 270 acres of forest providing dramatic views and a pristine setting. Freestone blends with and beautifully complements the vegetation and the rolling terrain, routed over and around numerous streams and wetlands offering a spectacular natural setting for a championship golf course.

Course History

Freestone opened it's front nine and Driving range July 1st, 2006. The back nine will open in 2009

Golf Season

The course is open from approximately April 1st to November 30th.

Course Characteristics

Front Nine:

Course not rated yet

Par- 36

Course yardage- 3300 from back tees/ 2200 from front tees

Additional tees are under construction that will lengthen lower nine to 3600 yards

Greens- Pennlinks creeping bentgrass

Fairways- Pennlinks creeping bentgrass

Tees- Penncross creeping bentgrass

Greens are sand base California style construction

15 sand bunkers with Tour grade 535 bunker sand

Course has Rainbird double row electronic irrigation

Course has continuous cart paths

Each hole has a minimum of 5 tees

Back Nine:

Course not rated yet

Par- 36

Course yardage- 3604 from back tees/ 2075 from front tees

Greens- Pennlinks creeping bentgrass

Fairways- Pennlinks creeping bentgrass

Tees- Penncross creeping bentgrass

Greens are sand base California style construction

13 sand bunkers with Tour grade 535 bunker sand

Course has Rainbird double row electronic irrigation

Course has continuous cart paths

Each hole has a minimum of 5 tees

Driving Range:

The practice facilities at Freestone are really “second to none!” This state of the art complex includes everything you need to remain on top of your game. You’ll easily see that for any shot that you may encounter on the golf course, you can practice it at Freestone!

A full ½ acre of bentgrass tee space

7 target greens of varying distance to challenge your control

12000 square foot practice green

A greenside bunker that will allow you to master your sand play

Rates

Greens Fees 2008	9 Holes	18 Holes
<i>Weekdays:</i>		
Monday-Thursday	\$16.00	\$27.00
Junior Golfer*	\$ 8.00	\$13.50
<i>Weekends & Holidays:</i>		
Friday-Sunday, Holidays	\$19.00	\$35.00
Junior Golfer*	\$ 9.50	\$17.50
<i>Cart (per person):</i>	\$ 8.00	\$16.00

Instruction

Freestone offers all types of instructional programs lead by our PGA professional staff. This includes: Adult instruction, Junior instruction, Junior summer programs and camps, “Easygolf” beginner instruction programs, Group lessons and Digital Video lessons

Rentals

Freestone offers a complete line of rental clubs

Tee Times/ Reservations

Tee time reservation can be made up to 30 days in advance and can be guaranteed with a credit card. 48 hours cancellation notice is required.

Season Passes

Freestone offers an annual season pass membership.

Clubhouse

Freestone is operating currently with a temporary clubhouse. The clubhouse offers Golf merchandise, food snacks, and drinks. Restrooms and changing facilities are also offered. Permanent clubhouse to begin construction in 2009.

Director of Golf

James Polinchok, with more than 25 years experience in the golf course and hospitality industry, oversees all golf operations, project management and construction for Freestone golf course.

Golf Pro

PGA professional Scott Frey conducts and directs all instructional programs.

Course Designer

Freestone was designed and built by our primary organizer, James Polinchok. Mr. Polinchok is a graduate of Penn State and has been involved with the golf industry for 25 years. In the past, Mr. Polinchok has built golf courses across the country for notable architects such as Jack Nicklaus, Pete Dye, Tom Weiskopf, Gary Player and Arthur Hills. He has incorporated design elements from these experiences into the creation of Freestone.

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