

Beginning Golf

Spring Semester: March 20th – May 8th, 2024, an 8 weeks course

Class Location: Tierra Del Sol in Belen

1000 Golf Course Rd

Rio Communities, NM 87002 Phone: 864-1000

Day and Time: Wednesday, 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Instructor: Tracey Jennings

FEE: 80\$ for range golf balls and course play. Pay directly to Tierra Del Sol in Belen .

*You must show your receipt to the instructor, so you can be checked off the course fee list.

UNM's Catalog Description:

Introduce students to the basic skills, fundamentals, and techniques of golf, including strategies of play, knowledge of rules, and understanding of etiquette.

Student Learning Outcomes:

1. Demonstrate knowledge of the basics of golf skills, scoring, etiquette and rules
2. Explain the methods of learning golf and understand the golf terminology.
3. Demonstrate the fundamentals of the game of golf and describe the equipment.
4. Perform various golfing stance and swings, including a full swing, putt and chip.
5. Recognize and apply the proper use of golf clubs for various shots.

Evaluation of Course Objectives:

Demonstration of skills

- Verbal quizzes will be a part of each class as different problem solving, and applicable informational situations arise during the class session- 10% (10 Points)

- Demonstration of applied knowledge, demonstration of proper golf etiquette at all times while on the putting green, chipping area, driving range and on the golf course. 30% (30 Points)

Attendance and Participation

- Attendance is mandatory, roll be taken at each class. Each student will begin with an A+. Each absence will drop your grade 5 points from your initial A+ or 100 points.

60% (60 Points)

Dates pertinent information is to be covered:

March 20th

Notice: The first day of class will be from 4:30- 5:30. Basics of where, when and what time class meets, as well as student expectations. A Q & A will follow each class session. Pay \$80 fee for range balls and course play (Show receipt to instructor!).

Introduce: putting, driving range, and range etiquette.

March 27th

Review and practice putting, chipping, stretching, warming up, and driving range.

Demonstration of proper etiquette on putting greens and tee-boxes.

April 3rd

Review and practice putting, chipping, stretching, warming up, and driving range.

Demonstration of proper etiquette on putting greens and tee-boxes.

Play at least one hole

April 10th

Review and practice putting, chipping, stretching, warming up, and driving range.
Demonstration of proper etiquette on putting greens and tee-boxes.
Play 2-3 holes

April 17th

Review and practice putting, chipping, stretching, warming up, and driving range.
Demonstration of proper etiquette on putting greens and tee-boxes.
Play 2-3 holes

April 24th

Course play-Solving the shots, be it on the tee-box, fairway, sand trap, or putting green.

May 1st

Course play-Solving the shots, be it on the tee-box, fairway, sand trap, or putting green.

May 8th

Last Class:

Course play-Solving the shots, be it on the tee-box, fairway, sand trap, or putting green.

COVID-19 Symptoms and Positive Test Results: Please do not come to a UNM class if you are experiencing symptoms of illness or have received a positive COVID-19 test (even if you have no symptoms), Contact your instructor and let them know that you should not come to class due to symptoms or diagnosis. Students who need support should contact **acounselor at Valencia campus through the Pasos Resource Hub at 505-925-8591.**

Attire and equipment:

Students must have their own clubs. It is suggested that you bring bug spray, cap, water and sunscreen. Please be sure to wear a **shirt with a collar** and no cut off shorts allowed. Golf shoes are recommended, but not necessary, tennis shoes will suffice. Absolutely no sandals or flip flops allowed.

Qualified students with disabilities needing accommodations should notify their academic advisor, located at Student Services early each semester for a referral at 925-8560. If you are a student with an identified disability, please notify me of your special needs as soon as possible.

INFORMED CONSENT FORM AND WAIVER

We request your understanding and cooperation in maintaining both your safety and health by reading and signing the following informed consent and waiver agreement.

Participant Information – Please Print

Name

Address

City _____ State _____ Zip
Code _____

Phone _____ UNM ID #

Email (UNM email if student / employee)

Please Circle One

Student Staff Faculty Community
Member

Information Consent

I declare that I intend to use some or all the activities, facilities, programs, and services offered by the UNM-Valencia Campus Wellness Center. I assume full responsibility (before, during, and after participation) for my choices to use or apply, at my own risk, any portion of the information, or instruction I receive.

I understand that part of the risk involved in understanding any activity or program is relative to my own state of fitness or health, and to the awareness, care, and skill which I conduct myself in that activity / program. I acknowledge that my choices to participate in any activity, service, and program of the UNM-Valencia Campus, Wellness Center, brings with it my assumptions of those risks, or results stemming from my choice, and the fitness, health, awareness, care, and skill that I possess and use.

I further understand the activities, programs, and services offered by the UNM-Valencia Campus Wellness Center are sometimes conducted by personnel who may not be certified / licensed instructors, or members of the profession holding a degree. I accept the fact the skills and competencies of some employees / volunteers will vary according to their training and experience. No claim is made to offer assessment of treatment of any mental or physical diseases, or conditions by those who are not duly certified / licensed and herein employed to provide such professional services.

Waiver

I hereby waive, release, and discharge the University of New Mexico, University of New Mexico-Valencia, all UNM-Valencia faculty, staff, work study employees, and interns of any and all claims for property damage, personal injury, or death which may occur to me as a result of my participation in the UNM-Valencia Campus, Wellness Center exercise program. I understand the strenuous nature of the exercise program and accept full responsibility for my health and well-being while voluntarily participating in any exercise or fitness program. I acknowledge that I either had a physical examination and have been given a physician's permission to participate, or that I have decided to participate in the activity and / or use equipment and machinery in my activities. I agree to follow all policies and guidelines of the University of New Mexico-Valencia Campus and the Wellness Center.

I understand that I may lose all usage privilege by failing to comply with all of UNM-Valencia Campus and Wellness Center policies, guidelines, and code of conduct.

I certify that I have carefully read and understand the informed consent and waiver.

Signature _____

Print Name _____

Date _____

Signature – Parent / Legal Guardian (Required if participant is under the age of 18 and enrolled in UNM-Valencia courses.)

Print Name _____

Date _____