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the courses of Hal Sutton, Pete Dye, David Toms and the most magnificent designer of them all, Mother Nature.

Golfers,

Great golfing venues are a must as you “Pick Your Passion” for your next visit to Louisiana.

Twelve world-class golf facilities throughout the state have come together to form the Audubon Golf Trail. Come experience

In addition to great golf, I also invite you to enjoy our delicious cuisine, our uniquely styled music and our ubiquitous outdoor adventures.

The Audubon Golf Trail gives new meaning to our nickname, “Sportsman’s Paradise.” For more information about golfing in Louisiana and other travel opportunities, please visit AudubonGolf.com or LouisianaTravel.com.

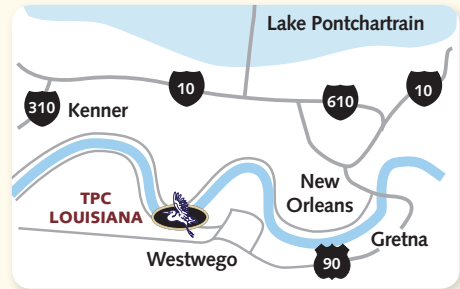
Very truly yours,

Handwritten signature of Jay Dardenne.

Jay Dardenne
Lieutenant Governor



TPC LOUISIANA



Holes **18**

Slope **139**

Rating **76.3**

TPC Louisiana brings world-class, daily-fee-class golf to New Orleans and the Audubon Golf Trail. Working in conjunction with PGA TOUR players

Steve Elkington and Louisiana native Kelly Gibson, master architect Pete Dye created a 7,600-yard, par-72 championship course that sits low on the property and utilizes natural vegetation, including numerous cypress trees. Many compare it to a private nature preserve. The course offers four sets of tees, and even though the course stretches to 7,600 yards from the championship tees, Dye is pleased about a collection of short but challenging par-4 holes that complement the longer ones. Located just 15 minutes from the French Quarter, TPC Louisiana is the home of Louisiana's only PGA event, the Zurich Classic.

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**AUDUBON
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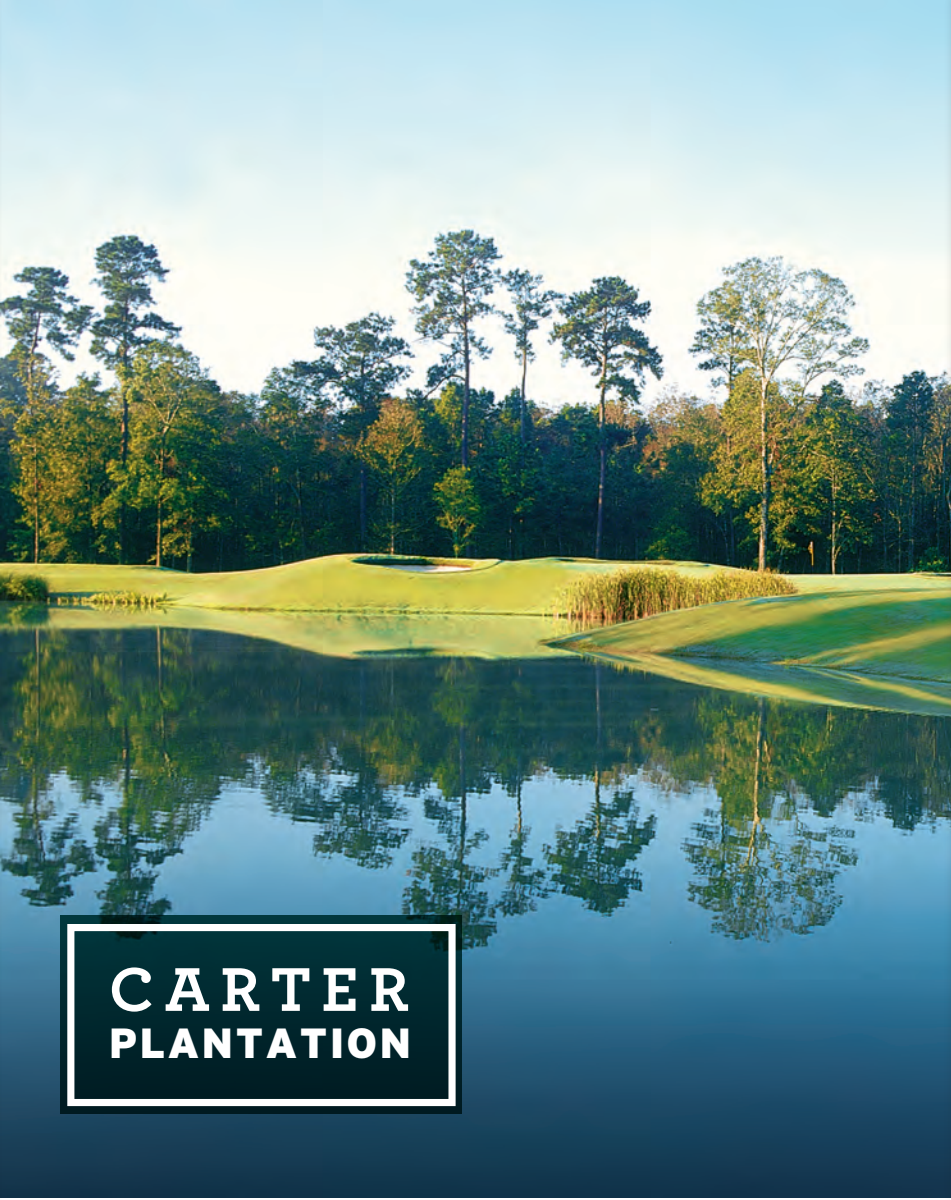


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Rating 61.6
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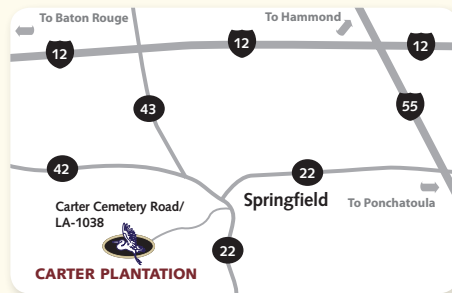
The Audubon Park Executive Golf Course is a par-62 course located in historic uptown New Orleans.

The course is spread across 81 treelined acres on St. Charles Avenue and is the country's only course accessible by streetcar. Recently awarded 4.5 of 5 stars on *Golf Digest's* "Best Places to Play" rankings, the Denis Griffiths design features contoured fairways, manicured TifEagle® greens, four lagoons and exquisite landscaping on a 4,220-yard layout set among oak trees more than a century-old. Golf has been played at Audubon since 1898. The world-famous Audubon Zoo is right across the street. *Golf Digest* calls the newly renovated course "the most scenic and interesting spot for New Orleans golfers."

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CARTER PLANTATION



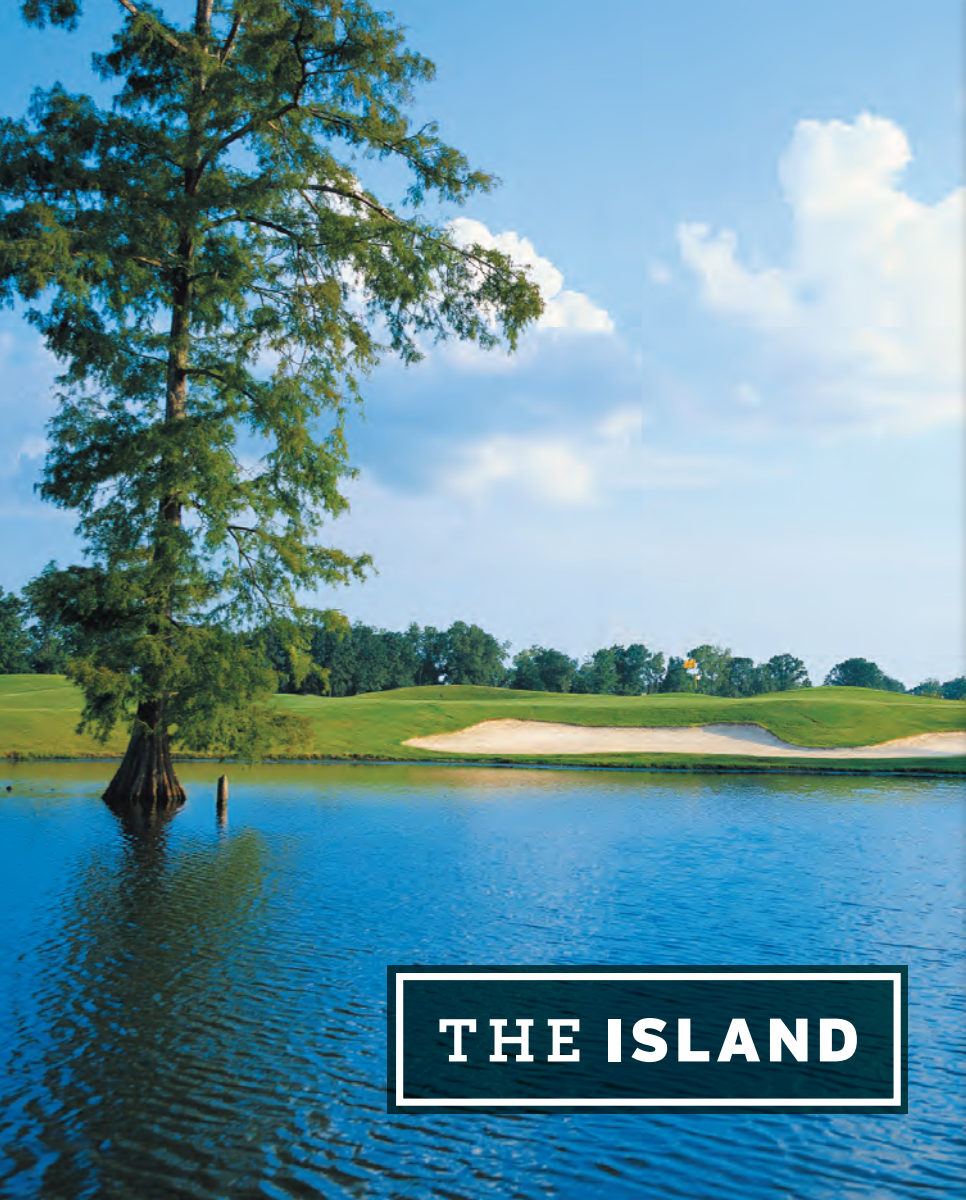
Holes **18**

Slope **140**

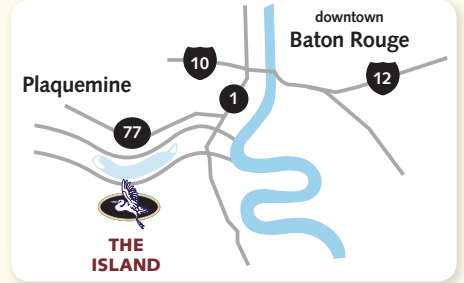
Rating **74.4**

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This signature design by PGA champion and LSU alumnus David Toms was named among the “Top 10 Courses You Can Play” by *GOLF Magazine* in 2003. The spectacular 18-hole, 7,050-yard, par-72 course plays through three distinct Louisiana landscapes – live oaks, cypress wetlands and upland pine forests. Carpeted with TifEagle® on the greens and TifSport® on the rolling fairways, the course’s holes each offer four or five tee positions, with water coming into play on 11 of the holes. A double-ended driving range, three practice greens and practice bunkers are additional features of the course. With outstanding banquet facilities, a first-rate restaurant and hospitable service at every turn, Carter Plantation offers a great venue for group outings as well as individual players.

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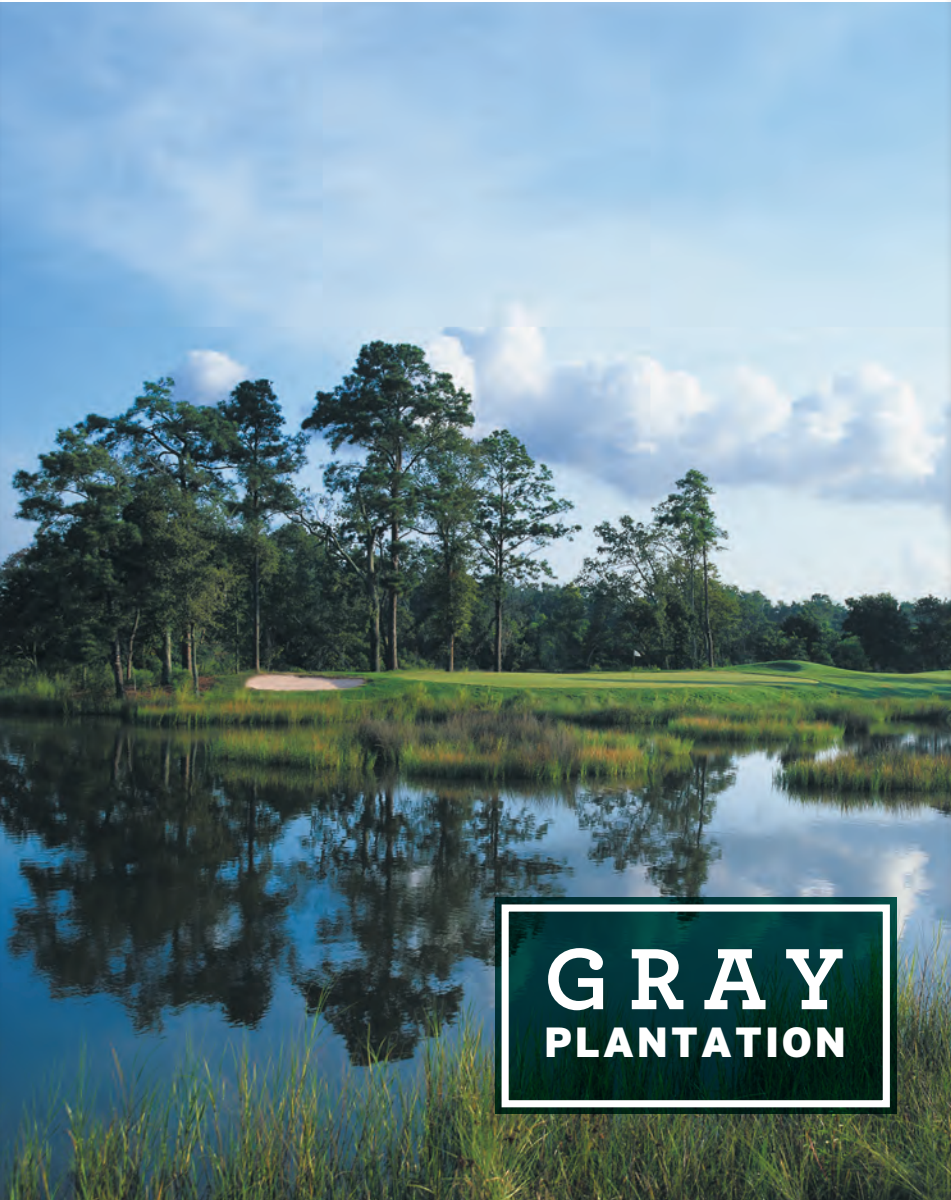
THE ISLAND



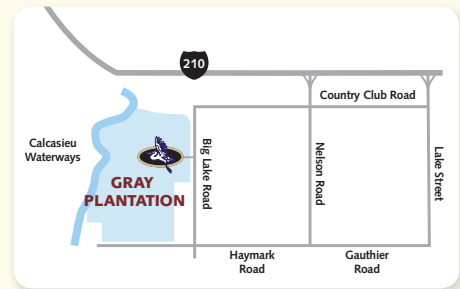
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Rating 74.4
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Sweet. How else do you describe a championship course carved out of a sugar plantation? As a matter of fact, sugar cane still grows in the field next to The Island. This par-72 course measures more than 7,000 yards from its championship tees and features 54 bunkers. Recently featured on the GOLF CHANNEL and in *GOLF Magazine*, this 160-acre TifEagle® course features nine man-made lakes and water comes into play on 17 of the 18 holes. Solitude is the name of the game at The Island. Most times, only a blue heron is around to watch your next shot. Chef Godfrey's Cypress Grill features exceptional Louisiana fare that attracts golfers and non-golfers alike.

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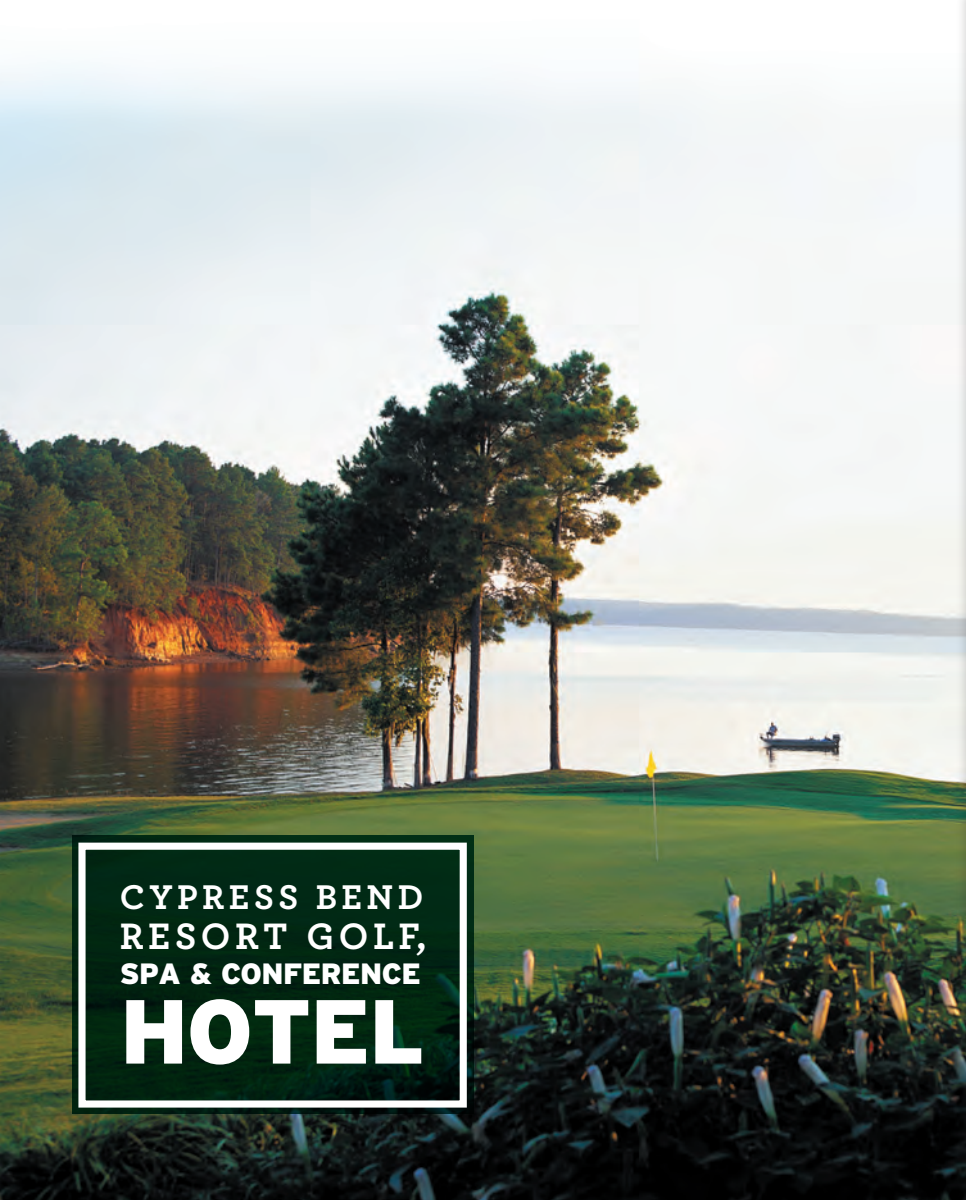
GRAY PLANTATION



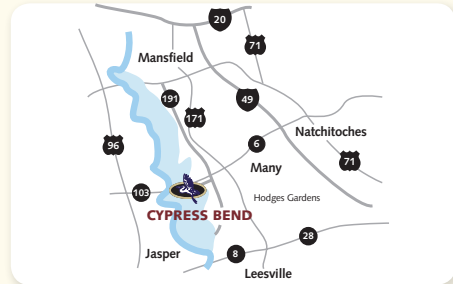
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Holes 18
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Slope 138
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Rating 73.6
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Golf Digest placed Gray Plantation in the top 100 of America's greatest public courses for 2005-06 and again for 2007-08. In addition, in September 2004, *GOLF Magazine* ranked it as one of the "top three among 50 best U.S. courses for \$50 or less." Gray Plantation is an artfully landscaped 18-hole, 7,000-yard course designed to challenge the pro and amateur alike. Sixty acres of lakes come into play on 12 holes of veteran course architect Rocky Roquemore's Calcasieu River course, which includes 94 bunkers and towering pines at most every turn. Particularly impressive are the club's four dynamic par 3s, two of which feature island greens. The clubhouse is a raised plantation house surrounded by scenic marshland.

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CYPRESS BEND
RESORT GOLF,
SPA & CONFERENCE
HOTEL



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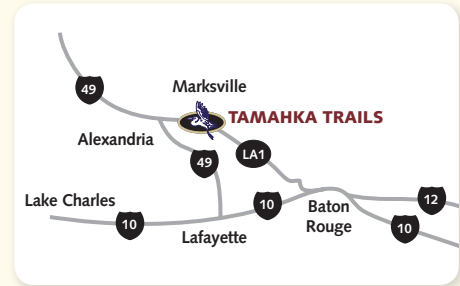
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Rating 72.7
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You will experience the magic the moment you set foot on Cypress Bend, a jewel on the Texas-Louisiana border. The 186,000-acre Toledo Bend Lake was already legendary for bass fishing – now it's famous for golf as well. The 18-hole course features ten holes along the water and six with shots across hidden coves and inlets. Surrounding hardwood forests, undulating greens and dramatic elevation changes add to Cypress Bend's challenge and beauty. The sunset over #17 is as stunning as anything you'll ever see. Cypress Bend Resort Golf, Spa & Conference Hotel boasts 96 oversized rooms with elegant country inn décor, an exceptional restaurant with views over the lake, spa facilities and more.

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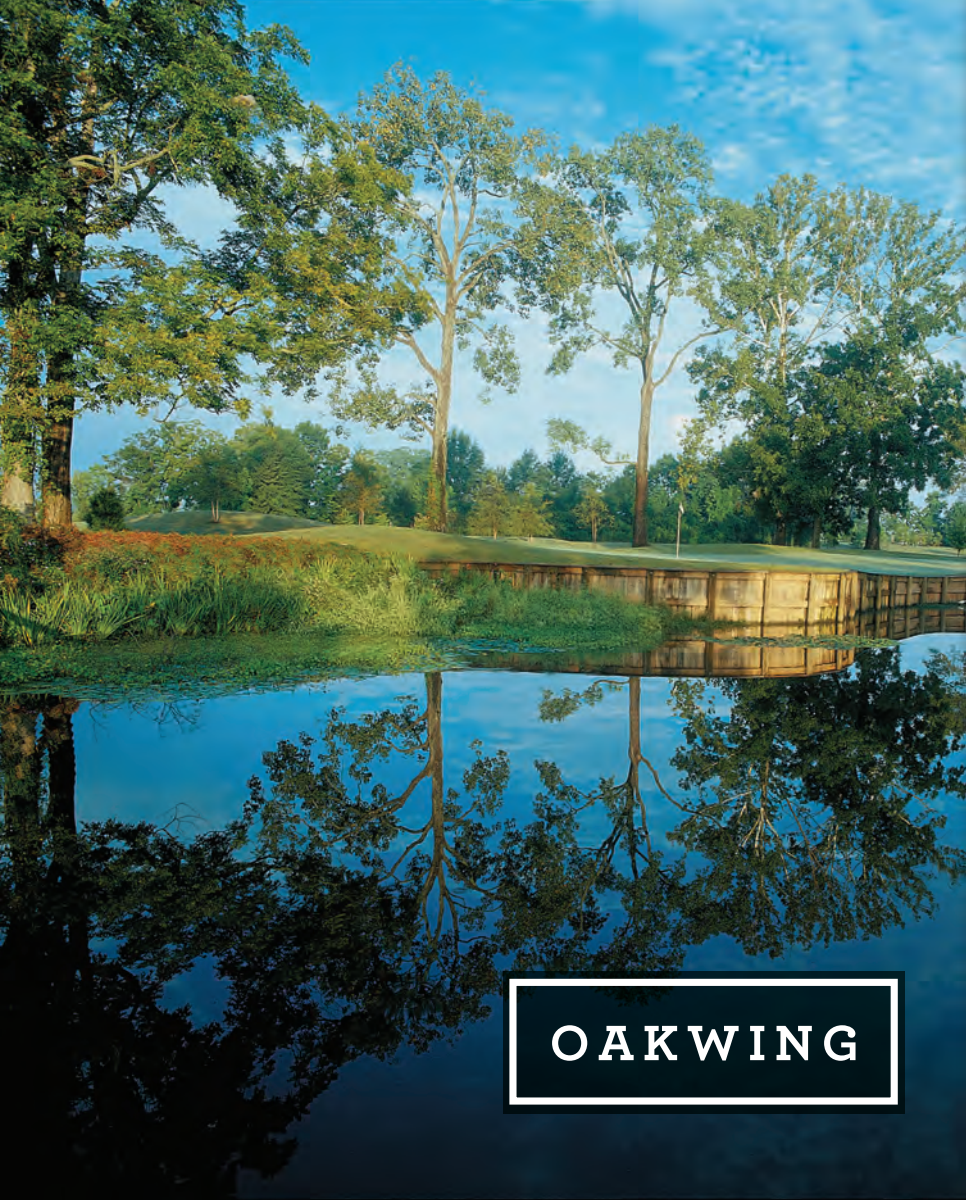
TAMAHKA TRAILS



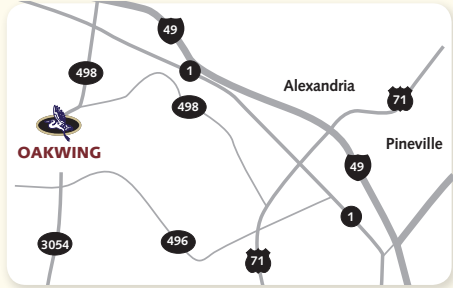
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Slope 132
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Rating 73.1
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Golf is in the cards at the Paragon Casino Resort. At the Tamahka Trails Golf Club, natural beauty cloaks an endless series of subtle, surprising challenges. Master golf course architect Steve Smyers used his passionate appreciation of Scotland's legendary courses to create 18 holes of pure perfection. Its numerous and often massive bunkers evoke a lunar landscape — and always require strategy. Tamahka Trails features GPS-equipped carts. The practice facility includes 50,000 square feet of hitting area, a 10,000-square-foot putting green and practice greens dedicated to bunker play, chipping and pitching. With its panoramic views of the course, the clubhouse is a great place to refresh before heading off to the Paragon Casino for another kind of action.

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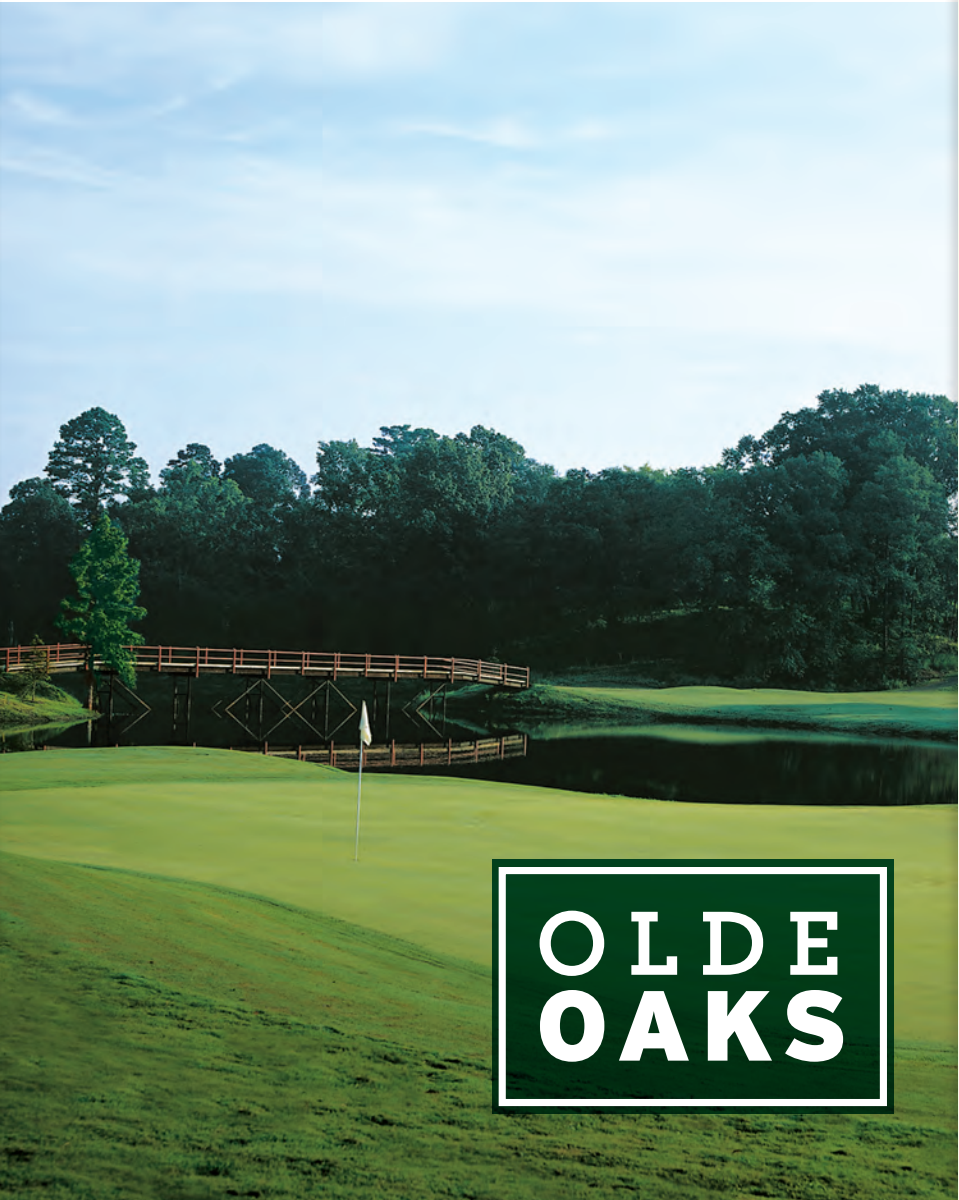
OAKWING



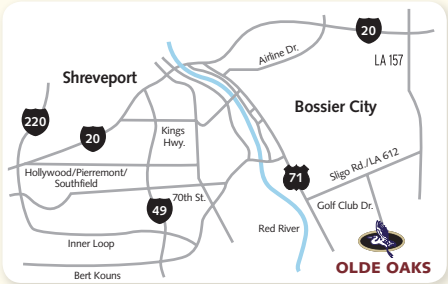
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Rating 73.9
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OakWing Golf Club, which opened in September 2002, offers a unique Jim Lipe design interwoven throughout its beautiful England Air Force Base location. This 7,043-yard, links-style course blends the natural beauty of Louisiana bayous, lakes and towering treelined fairways with the challenge of rolling hills and undulating greens. This is truly a course for all skill levels. Five different tee settings will offer a challenge for everyone from professionals to amateurs, and the classic risk-reward features designed into every hole will require golfers to play their best. Centrally located in Alexandria and only minutes from the Interstate, OakWing Golf Club should be added to your “must play” list of golf courses.

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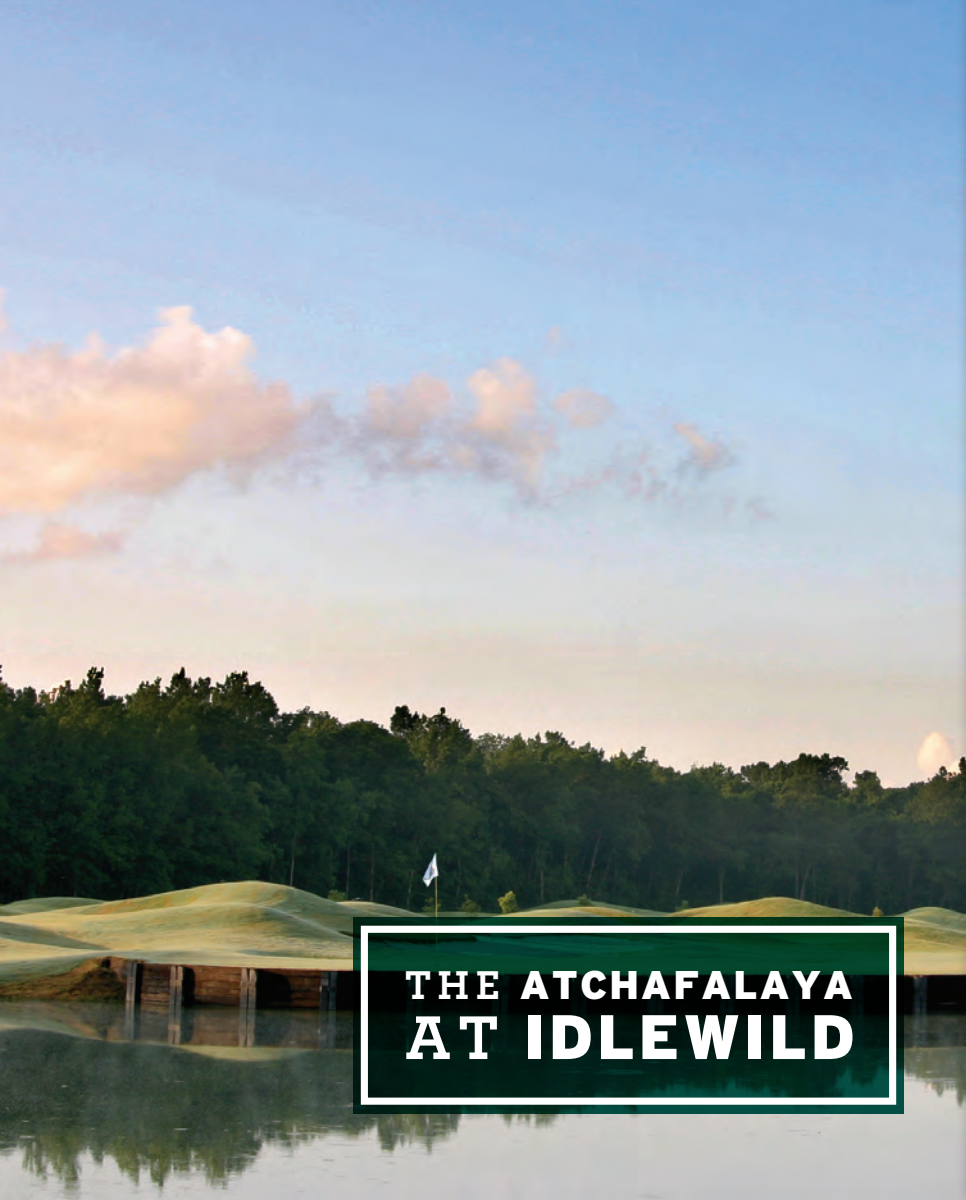
OLDE OAKS



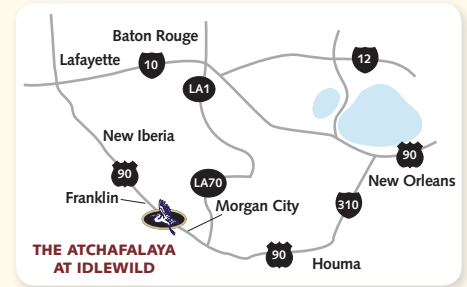
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Slope 136	Slope 139	Slope 143
Rating 75.2	Rating 75.2	Rating 75

Gracing 340 acres of pristine rolling hills near Shreveport is Olde Oaks Golf Club, designed in close collaboration with 2004 PGA Ryder Cup Captain Hal Sutton. A native of the area, Sutton calls his first signature course one of the finest in the region. Sutton's dream club features 27 challenging holes offering tremendous variety. For the naturalist, almost every species of wildlife that is native to this area can be found at Olde Oaks, and many of them can be spotted during a round of golf. The grill at the clubhouse is a great place to refuel before heading off to the casinos.

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THE ATCHAFALAYA AT IDLEWILD



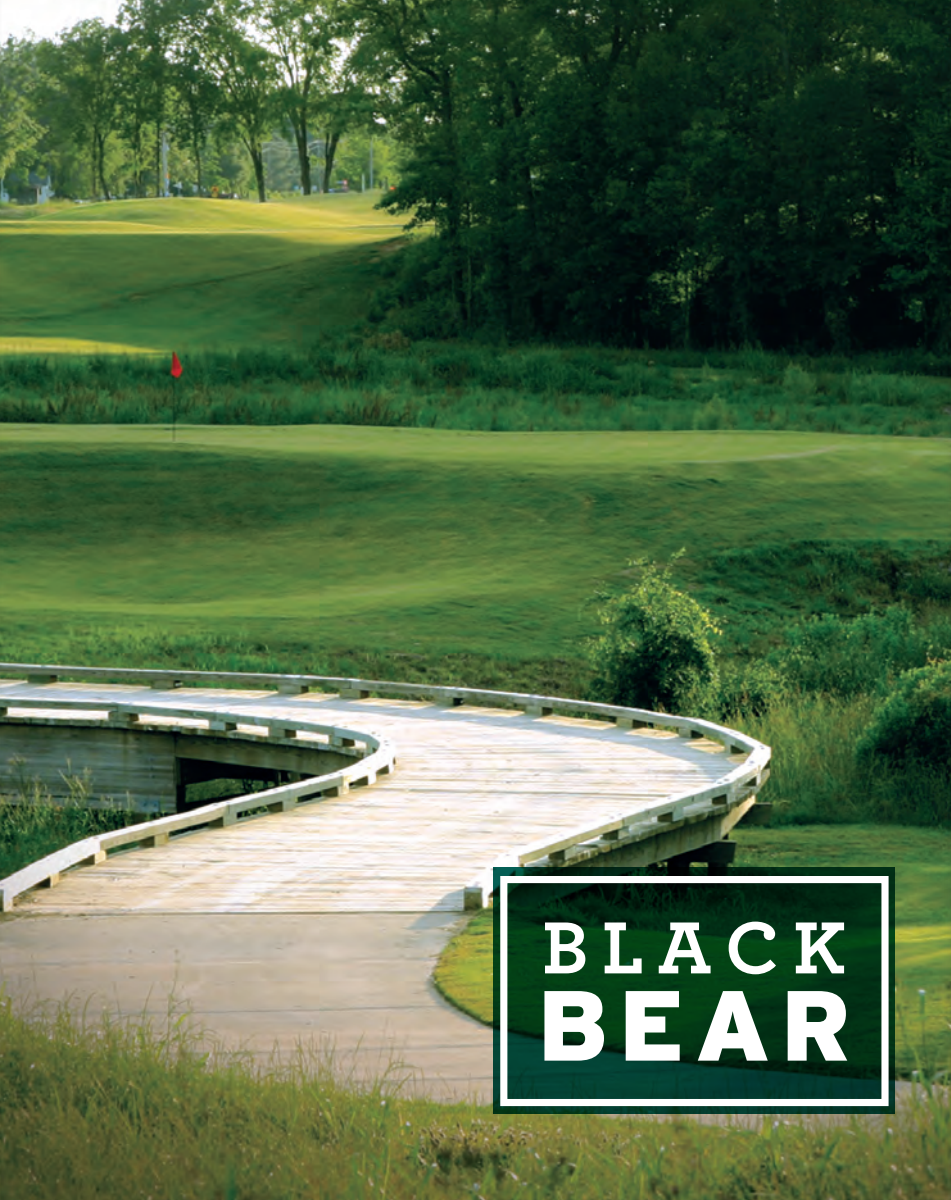
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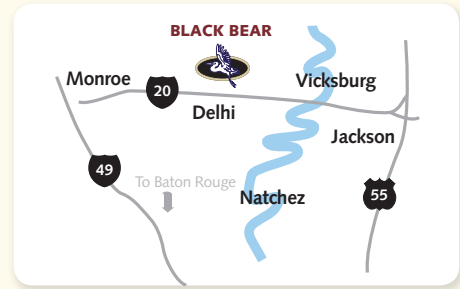
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Rating 76.4
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The Atchafalaya Golf Course at Idlewild is surrounded by the rich wildlife and incredible beauty found only in the heart of the Atchafalaya Basin. Designed by Robert von Hagge, the 7,533-yard course contains five lakes and ten native wetland areas that encompass nearly 40 acres of this 175-acre layout. More than a half-million yards of native soil were used to develop dramatic elevations, creating breathtaking vistas. Von Hagge is well known for his innovative courses including Doral, LaCosta and TPC at the Woodlands. The 18-hole course features five sets of tees — each named after wildlife native to the basin — large fairways and generous pin placements. The course also includes a complete practice facility. The raised Acadian-style cottage clubhouse opened in 2007.

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BLACK BEAR

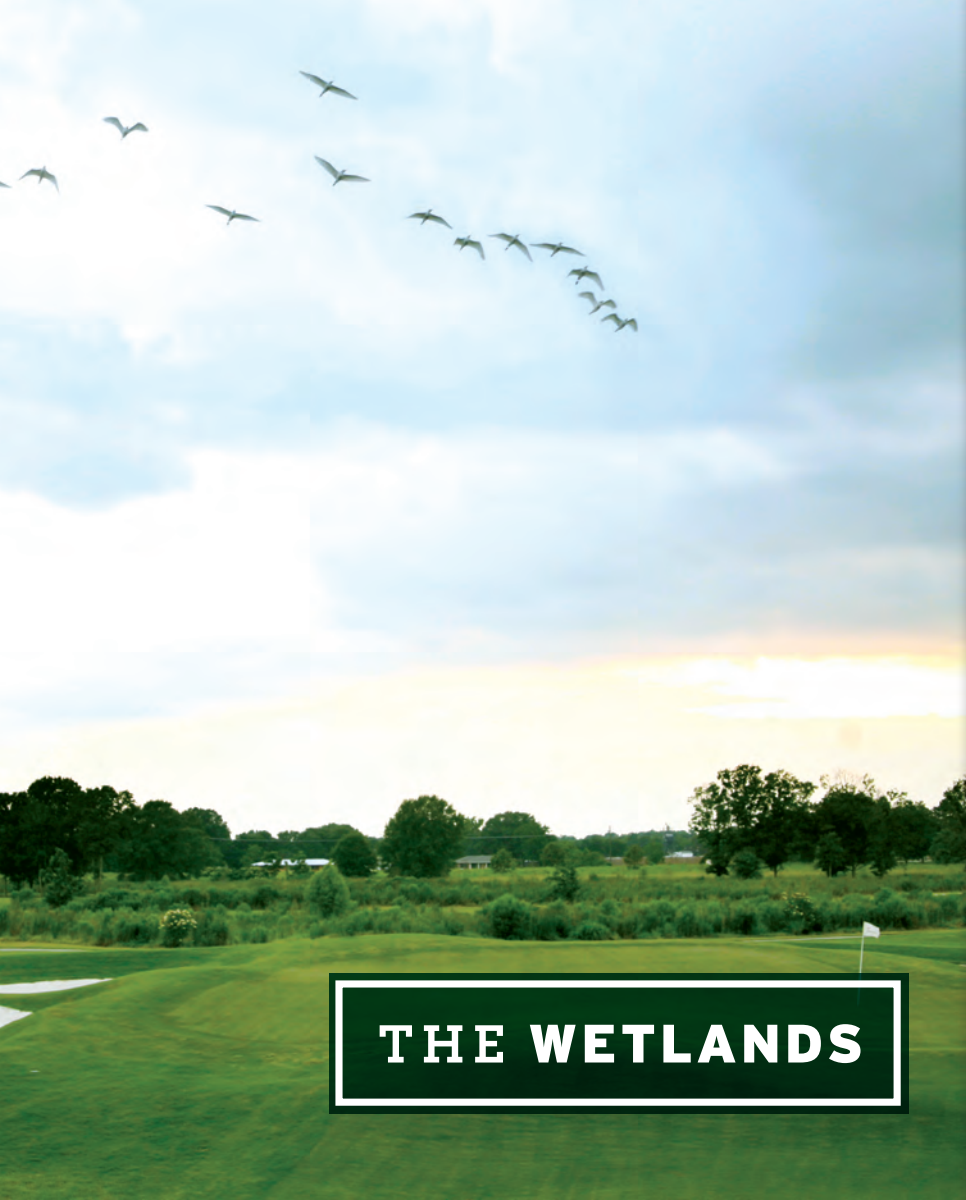


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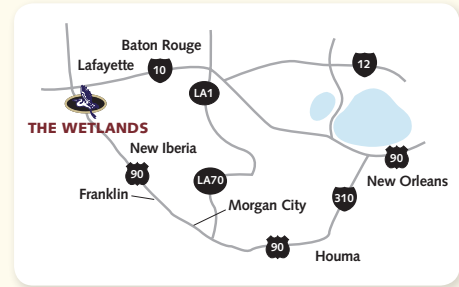
Designed by Bechtol Russell Golf of Austin, Texas, with construction by Weitz Golf International, Black Bear Golf Course

lies on approximately 300 acres atop the Macon Ridge. The Bogzag and Cypress creeks bisect the property and offer significant wetlands features. The routing of the course generally follows, and then crosses, the creeks and offers passes through the heavily treed creek bottoms. The result is a course with varied topography that weaves from treelined holes to open holes. Our namesake black bears are often seen roaming the fairways.

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THE WETLANDS



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Holes 18
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Slope 134
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Rating 74.9
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The Wetlands Golf Club is Lafayette's newest golf course and the newest member of the Audubon Golf Trail.

Opened in April 2006, this course was designed by architect Frank Burandt. The course not only showcases the region's many lakes and wetland areas, it also features abundant native grasses and wildflowers. The challenge of the golf course presents itself with well-bunkered greens and water hazards that affect 11 of its 18 holes. The Wetlands accommodates all levels of players with five tees ranging from 7,300 yards at the longest and 5,000-plus-yards at the shortest. The TifDwarf® greens are smooth rolling, providing a test for every golfer. Wind is a factor on this golf course's #9 and #18 holes, which feature a double green that ends at the clubhouse for dramatic finishes.

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PLAY ALL 12, 12 MONTHS A YEAR

The same things that make Louisiana a “Sportsman’s Paradise” make the 12 courses of the Audubon Golf Trail a “Golfer’s Paradise.” Louisiana’s subtropical climate makes it a year-round destination. Summers are long and warm (average temperature is 82 degrees), and winters are mild (average temperature is 50 degrees). In short, the greens are always green here.

For package information, call 1-866-AGT-IN-LA or visit AudubonGolf.com.



GOLF TRAIL MILEAGE

	TPC Louisiana	Carter Plantation	OakWing	Olde Oaks	Cypress Bend	Tamahka Trails	The Island	Gray Plantation	Audubon Park	The Atchafalaya at Idlewild	Black Bear	The Wetlands
TPC Louisiana	–	60	223	356	311	177	97	216	12	78	268	134
Carter Plantation	60	–	186	321	274	137	60	179	60	120	218	97
OakWing	223	186	–	137	86	40	155	105	223	150	136	94
Olde Oaks	356	321	137	–	101	172	287	198	356	280	134	215
Cypress Bend	311	274	86	101	–	109	224	109	311	225	245	180
Tamahka Trails	177	137	40	172	109	–	95	122	177	132	150	75
The Island	97	60	155	287	224	95	–	137	97	58	196	65
Gray Plantation	216	179	105	198	109	122	137	–	216	142	242	83
Audubon Park	12	60	223	356	311	177	97	216	–	88	267	136
The Atchafalaya at Idlewild	78	120	150	280	225	132	58	142	88	–	327	66
Black Bear	268	218	136	134	–	150	196	242	267	327	–	217
The Wetlands	134	97	94	215	180	75	65	83	136	66	217	–
New Orleans	11	60	224	400	295	205	94	248	11	88	267	137
Baton Rouge	80	43	145	279	217	98	16	123	80	68	181	58
Shreveport	342	305	122	17	87	157	272	198	342	270	138	213

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