

3rd Annual Gamble Sands Hickory Open

October 7 and 8, 2017 Saturday / Sunday



Gamble Sand Hickory Open 2016

True Links Golf Play 36 holes, 2 day event, including 4 divisions of play.

The Sands course is a true links course set in the high desert of Washington with sandy soil, traditional fine fescue grasses, firm playing surfaces, wide fairways, and massive greens.

The Gamble Sands course offers a very playable experience that plays to a par 72. It's more akin to David McLay Kidd's earlier work at Bandon, Oregon, with an emphasis on **having fun**. This is illustrated throughout the golf course, especially on the reachable par-4 2nd hole with its breathtaking view of the Columbia River, or perhaps on the split fairway of the par-4 14th, or the bowl shaped par-3 16th.

Open Championship 6207 yards, 69.7 slope 118,

Senior [60 and over] 5631 yards, 67.1 slope 114,

Statesman [70 and over] 4797 yards, 66.9 slope 110

Women 4797 [-] 66.9 slope 110

Both Gross and Net Winners each Division

All divisions will play 18 holes each day to determine a winner. Prizes will be awarded in each division. Dinner following Saturdays play and Awards ceremony to follow play on Sunday

Equipment Guidelines: Play will be with pre 1935 equipment, following the guidelines laid out by the Society of Hickory Golfers, www.hickorygolfers.com

Any Ball approved by the USGA for tournament play, which includes Replica Balls by several companies are all sanctioned for play. If you have any questions please address Rob Ahlschwede. swedeberger@gmail.com

Practice Round: Practice rounds are available Friday, October 6th. Cost walking _\$60
Riding per player \$ _\$80

Call the golf shop to make your tee time or join a group. 509.630.9370

Lodging: The event host is The Inn at Gamble Sands. 509.436.8323. The brand new Inn is wonderful, and on site. A block of rooms has been reserved, please call early to book asap. Special Rates apply, be sure to state you are a Hickory Open Player, \$199 per night for 2 Queens or 1 King. A 25% savings off regular rates

Additional quality Lodging nearby [20 minutes] in Pateros, Howards on the River. Reservations by phone only call 509.923.9555. Again mention Gamble Sands Hickory Open for discounted rate of \$115 per night, either 2 Queens or 1 King bed. Deadline for discounted rate 9/7/2017

Attire for Play: All Players are encouraged.... Not required, to dress in Period Clothing. That might include slacks, shirt and tie, Plus 2's or Plus 4's [knickers] with shirt and tie. Vest or similar if desired. Period appropriate headwear could be flat caps, Newsboy caps, Boaters, Bowlers, or similar. No Baseball caps or Visors Please

Trade Show: An informal Buy / Sell / Trade Show will be held Saturday in the clubhouse area. Time TBD, bring your hickories and a little cash... Buy, Sell, Swap

PUTTING GREEN: A brand new 10 acre putting green borders the Inn at Gamble sands, along with a 24 person hot tub, large fire-pits with seating, fitness room and Restaurant on site.

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Please complete the following, detach and payable to Jim von Lossow, Address below.

NAME _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

Please check the following:

DIVISION entered: OPEN ____ SENIOR [60+] ____ STATESMAN [70+] ____ WOMENS ____

CLUB RENTAL \$30 yes ____ No ____ RH ____ LH ____

HICKORY SoHG HDCP ____ or OTHER HDCP ____ [Add pro name, Club, Phone for confirmation]

ENTRY FEE: includes 2 Tournament Rounds and Dinner Saturday evening \$230 pp

Extra meal \$25 _____ How many _____

CART FEE per day \$25 -----

TOTAL ENCLOSED -----

Send this form with a check to:

Jim von Lossow..... 7419 48th Ave NE..... Seattle, WA. 98115-6122

206.406.2619

[office use] Ck# _____ date Rec'd _____