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## **Newly Renovated Tahoe Donner Golf Course Opens for the 2022/23 Season Under New Management**

*Tahoe Donner welcomes new Golf Superintendent Ramiro Sena and Golf Pro Jeff Hwang to oversee the daily operations and course management after more than \$2 million in improvements in 2020 and continued improvements in 2021 and 2022.*

Truckee, Calif. (May 26, 2022) Tahoe Donner announced today the reopening of its 18-hole championship golf course and driving range, scheduled for Friday, May 27, conditions permitting. Now entering its second season of play after significant course renovations beginning in 2020, Tahoe Donner is excited to start the 2022 summer season under the leadership of a new golf superintendent and golf pro.

In 2021, Tahoe Donner hired Ramiro Sena as its new golf superintendent, bringing nearly 30 years of turf and golf course management to the association. Sena spent the last two decades in California as turf director for Catta Verdera Country Club in Lincoln, California, turf director for Coyote Moon Golf Course in Truckee and project and renovations superintendent at Apple Mountain Golf Resort.

In addition to Sena in 2021, Tahoe Donner hired Jeff Hwang in early 2022 as its new Golf Professional. Having grown up in Tahoe Donner, Hwang spent the better part of 10 years in Southern California, where he earned the President's Award upon graduating from the Golf Academy of America in Carlsbad, California and became the golf and teaching professional at PGA West and Indian Wells Golf Resort in Palm Springs. Most recently, Hwang was the first assistant and head golf professional at Red Hawk Golf Resort and Petaluma Golf and Country Club.

In celebration of its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2021, Tahoe Donner completed a [course renovation project](#) with over \$2 million of improvements continuing into 2022. Along with Sena's skillful management and Hwang's professional experience, players of all skill levels will continue to enjoy the following enhancements this year:

- Replacement of all greens, including new putting and chipping greens
- Extensive tee and fairway improvements
- Expansion of forward tees and tee box improvements
- Increased player shot selections through improved drainage and relocated cart paths
- Improved accessibility to practice green with two new stairways
- Revamped Pro Shop offering new, top-of-the-line Callaway products, custom fitting and more

"For nearly 50 years we've prided ourselves on being one of the unique and pristine high-elevation courses in Lake Tahoe for our members and the public to play," said Hwang. "While last season

introduced significant capital improvements, it will be this season that players will really notice the difference and see what sets us apart from other courses in the region.”

### **ABOUT TAHOE DONNER GOLF COURSE**

Voted “Best Golf Course in North Lake Tahoe and Truckee” in 2021 by *Sierra Sun* readers, Tahoe Donner is one of the premier public courses in the Sierra Nevada located 35 miles from Reno and 18 miles from Lake Tahoe. Opening in 1975, Tahoe Donner was designed to provide players with a true and rare mountain golf experience. Set among towering pines, meandering creeks and stunning granite formations, the 18-hole, par-72 championship course offers 7,002 challenging yards from the longest tee.

### **RATES + LESSONS**

Golfers can warm up at the on-site driving range and schedule a variety of one-hour weekly skills clinics for just \$30 per session. Enjoy a twilight round for just \$95 – including a golf cart – or a prime-time tee time starting at just \$130 in the early and late seasons.

Public tee times are [now available to reserve](#) as far as 12 days in advance for members. Golf [season passes](#) are on sale now starting at \$825 with discounts available to Tahoe Donner members.

**High-resolution photos:** [Click here](#) to download.

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### **ABOUT TAHOE DONNER**

Tahoe Donner is one of California’s largest resort communities, with nearly 6,500 properties and 25,000 members enjoying over 7,000 acres in the Sierra Nevada. Located 18 miles from Lake Tahoe in Truckee, California, Tahoe Donner operates a wide variety of recreational facilities, including an award-winning and newly renovated championship golf course, a family-friendly downhill ski resort and a renowned cross country ski center with a newly constructed, state-of-the-art base lodge —all of which are open to the public. In addition, Tahoe Donner operates several member-only facilities, such as a beach club marina, recreation center and pools. For more information on Tahoe Donner and its recreational facilities and events, visit [tahoedonner.com](http://tahoedonner.com) or call (530) 587-9400.



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