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CHECKING IN

Our staff at Blue Bay Golf is there to help you. As soon as you enter Blue Bay through the main gate (you'll need to show your ID and give them your tee time) you drive down the main road until you see hole 18 of the golf course. You take a right in front of it, and you'll be driving towards the plantation house, which is our clubhouse. When you walk up to the plantation house, you'll find the Proshop on your left-hand side. Please check in at the Proshop. Our staff will be helping you with any further assistance.

LOCKER ROOMS

At Blue Bay Golf we offer our guests a fully equipped locker room with showers at no charge. If you like to make use of the locker, you need to enter a personal 4-digit code in the keypad. First press "C" then the "key" to lock it. Use the same procedure to unlock the locker. Please make sure to leave it empty and unlocked. Thanks for your cooperation. Any items that are left at the end of the day will be collected and disposed after storing them for two weeks. You can find the locker rooms on your way from the Proshop to the driving range.

COURSE ETIQUETTE

- 1. We politely request all golfers to repair their pitch marks and rake bunkers.
- 2. We ask you to wear proper golfing attire. What does it mean?
 - You may wear shorts or long trousers (no jeans fabric)
 - Wear a shirt with a collar (no T-shirts)
 - Please wear proper golfing shoes (no open shoes)
 - Do not wear any bathing / beach attire on the golf course
- 3. Mobile phones should be switched to silent whilst on the course.
- 4. Golf etiquette should be always adhered to on and off the course. Continued failure to adhere to reasonable behavior may result in players needing to withdraw from the course or clubhouse. No refunds will be given for failure to adhere to reasonable standards or behavior. The Golf Director and their representatives (including but not limited to course marshal and golf professional staff) will be the sole arbiter in any Blue Bay Curaçao decision on behavior within the demise of Blue Bay Golf Course N.V.



USAGE OF COURSE

Golf is a game of integrity; we expect our guests to act according to our guidelines.

- Check in with the starter latest 5 min prior to your tee time.
- Blue Bay Golf will pair up flights to form 4-balls.
- Be polite to your flight partners. The same accounts towards our staff members.
- Always comply to the orders of marshal, Starters and/or other staff members.
- You can only pick up your golf cart directly before going on the course at the starter hut of Blue Bay Golf.
- If your ball goes astray, shout "Fore"!
- Please watch out for the environment and throw trash into trashcans.
- Any golfer needs to play out of his own bag, clubs can't be shared.
- The use of golf carts is mandatory.
- Do not drive up to the greens, stay beyond the line that is marked by the green stakes.

Non-golfers

In general, the golf course is open to players only. You are not allowed to walk on the course while not playing. If you wish to take a non-golfer with you on your round of golf, you may ask in the pro shop for a possibility. The full amount of cart fee will be charged on the account of the player. All non-golfers must wear flat shoes without heels / spikes.

CANCELLATIONS

When the course is open:

- If a golfer chooses to play a 9-hole or 18-hole round of golf, then the weather worsens but is playable and the golfer decides not to continue, no refund will be given.
- 2. If the golfer chooses to play a 9-hole or 18-hole round of golf, and in the event of any unforeseen circumstances the golfer decides not to continue, no refund will be given.
- 3. If the golfer chooses to play an 18-hole round, if the golfer come off the course during the back 9 holes no refund will be given.

If during your round the course becomes unplayable through severe weather, as deemed by the management you will be entitled to:

- 50% voucher off your next visit if you have completed 9 holes or more
- 100% voucher off your next visit if you have not completed 9 holes.

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CANCELLATIONS MADE BY THE CLUB

When the course is closed, no person may play on the course and all bookings are cancelled. It is then up to the individual(s) concerned to re-book their tee time(s) by emailing, calling or in person at Proshop within 24 hours from their original tee off time.

RIDING A GOLF CART

Please be aware that no person under the age of 16 is allowed to drive a golf cart by law and therefore must be accompanied by an adult. With using our golf course, you agree to obey the rules about riding a golf cart.

- Do not let a minor drive the cart.
- Drive carefully and stay in the designated areas to drive a cart.
- Do not drive up to the greens, stay beyond the line that is marked by the green stakes.
- In wet conditions, stay on the cart path.
- A maximum of 2 people is allowed to ride in a golf cart.
- If you damage a golf cart or get a flat tire, stop immediately and reach out for assistance.
- Any damages to the cart or any other property are on the account of the person inflicting the damage.
- Carts are not allowed to leave the golf course and must be returned directly after your round is finished.

PACE OF PLAY

A recent survey by the USGA found that 74% of golfers get more enjoyment out of their rounds when the pace of play is right. Blue Bay Golf has made every effort to increase the enjoyment of our golfers. We have set up a few rules to increase the pace of play. We would like to thank you for your contribution and respect towards our fellow guests.

At Blue Bay Golf the normal time for a round of golf is set to 4 hours 20 min for an 18-hole round and 2 hours 10 min for a 9-hole round. Please try to keep up with the pace and make sure that you're at Tee 10 at the appropriate time.

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How to help keep pace in your game

Blue Bay Golf has put together the most important rule changes (issued by the USGA) regarding your game pace:

- Ensure to play from tees that commensurate with your ability
- Be aware of your position on the course. You should always play at a good pace and keep up with the group ahead.
- Let a faster group play through if the situation allows it.
- Play ready golf. You may play when you deem it safe. The old rule that the person furthest away must play first no longer applies.
- Leave the flagstick in the hole. During your round of golf, the flag may remain in the hole at all times. You do not have to wait for someone to guard it and/or take it out. You will no longer receive penalty strokes if you hit the flagstick.
- Maximum score: The new handicap system allows you to pick up your ball if you can no longer achieve stableford scores.

The maximum score that Blue Bay Golf uses is double par.

Par 3 - 6 Par 4 - 8 Par 5 - 10

Aim to play in no more than 20 seconds

From club selection to pre-shot routine to execution, strive to hit your shot in no more than 20-seconds once arriving at your ball.

Keep an eye on the group in front of you

The correct position of your group on the course is directly behind the group in front of you Try to arrive at your ball just before the group in front of you has left the area.

If you let another group play through, go on the side of the fairway in a safe place. Give the upcoming group a clear sign that you let them play through. Let them hit their tee shots and proceed playing while they are riding to their balls. As soon as they are ready to play again, clear the field again and follow the same procedure.

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9-HOLE ROUNDS / 18-HOLE ROUNDS

Blue Bay Golf offers our guests to play 9-hole rounds as well as standard 18-hole rounds. If not previously booked in the Proshop, every round starts on hole 1 without any exceptions. 9-hole rounds may start from 10th tee only with authorization of the Proshop. If you wish to play a 9-hole round, but purchased an 18-hole package with us, you might use it for 9-hole rounds with an additional fee applying. Be aware that our package offers are personal and attached to your name. We offer packages for all kind of circumstances, don't hesitate to ask our Proshop staff to find the right package for you.

DRIVING RANGE / SHORT GAME AREA

The driving range is open to our guests between 7am and 7pm daily. Tokens for the driving range are available for purchase in the Proshop. Please be aware that proper golfing attire must be worn on the driving range, too.

Our short game area includes the putting green and the chipping/pitching green with 2 practice bunkers. At any time, please use your own balls for using the short game area. No driving range balls are allowed except for the golf pro only.

CART FEE

The cart fee for any type of round is 40 USD. Blue Bay splits the cart fee for the convenience of our guests in two equal shares, based on the assumption that 2 players ride along in the same cart. The per person fee is therefore 20 USD. If we fail to find a playing partner for you, you'll only be charged with the 20 USD cart fee players share.

In every greenfee that includes cart fee, the players share of 20 USD is already included.

If you choose to play two 9-hole rounds on the same day, both rounds will be charged with cart fee.

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