



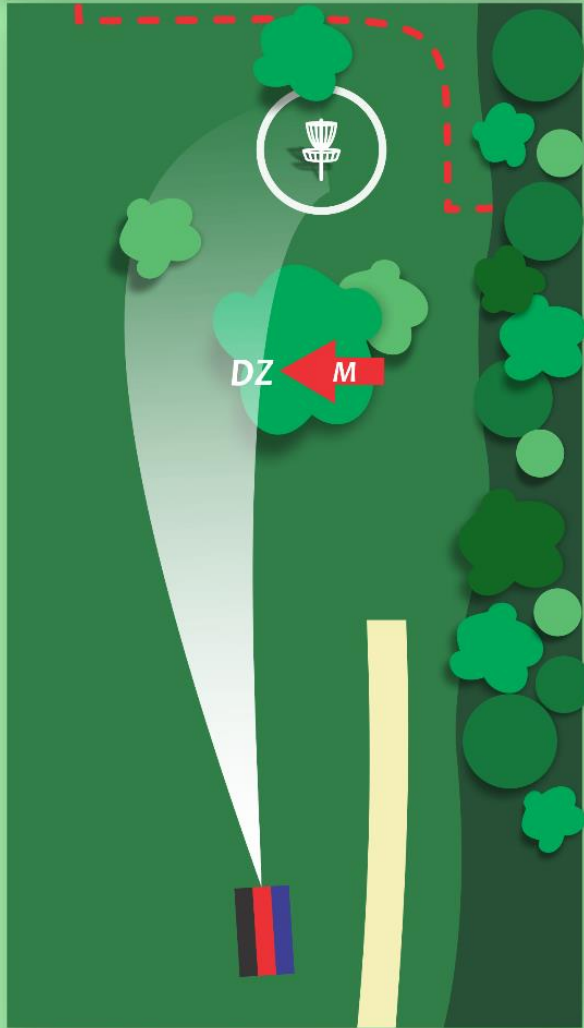
2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK



GROUP 1
PAR 3
132m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
132m

GROUP 3
PAR 4
132m



ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE
- PLAY TO THE LEFT SIDE OF THE MANDO
- OB LONG MARKED BY RED FLAGS



Elevated tee down wide open fairway first up. Largest tree is a mando, play to the left side.
Basket is tucked behind trees on a small ridge. OB long and long right (to protect adjacent tee pads).
Roll-aways do sometimes come into play here putting.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 1
PAR 4
156m

GROUP 2
PAR 4
156m

disc mania

2

GROUP 1/GROUP 2:

- PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE
- OB ON THE LEFT AND EARLY RIGHT SIDE (MARKED BY RED FLAGS)
- BE CAREFUL GETTING DISCS FROM OB, STEEP CLIFF

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TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP DISC SHOP ZUCA

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 3
PAR 3
55m

disc mania

2

GROUP 3:

- PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE
- OUT OF BOUNDS ON LEFT (MARKED BY RED STAKES)

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

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Arguably the toughest tee shot on the course for Black/Red, with trouble both sides.

Accurate drive required, ideally placed close to left OB, to open angle for a sharp left to right second, as the dogleg enters the forest.

Early line right, for second shot though forest, is now more enticing (since Cyclone Gabrielle), although not recommended.

OB all along the left side, with hazardous cliff not far into trees (retrieving discs can be challenging – please exercise extreme caution). OB also early right (to avoid #1).

This hole's basket area sustained major damage during Cyclone Gabriel with many trees downed.

The basket now has a new location, 6m longer than usual and slightly elevated on a fallen tree trunk.

For Blue this hole is considerably easier. Short gentle left to right shot required, into a well guarded, slightly elevated basket. OB early left generally doesn't come into play, just hit your line to get past guardian trees.

Hole crosses bike path, please give way to cyclists and follow direction from our marshalls.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 1
PAR 3
97m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
97m

disc mania

3

GROUP 1/GROUP 2:
• PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

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2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 3
PAR 3
48m

disc mania

3

GROUP 3:
• PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP disc SHOP züca

Spa's infamous 3rd hole has brought many great players to their knees, traditionally being the courses 'highest over par' in previous events.

Accuracy off the tee is paramount, with a tight line and many, many trees ready to crush dreams.

A lower shot, to avoid kicks that stray from the more open central corridor, is possibly a good option.

Good luck!

For Blue, again lots of trees make this hole very challenging ... but just be thankful you aren't playing off the long tee!

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK **4**

GROUP 1
 PAR 3
 93m

GROUP 2
 PAR 3
 93m

disc mania

GROUP 1/GROUP 2:

- PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE (INSIDE THE FOREST)
- PLAY TO LEFT OF MANDO (70M FROM TEE)
- SPLIT FAIRWAY

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TAMUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG FPM GRIP DISC SHOP ZUCA

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK **4**

GROUP 3
 PAR 3
 72m

disc mania

GROUP 3:

- PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE (OUTSIDE THE FOREST)
- CHECK BASKET AREA IS CLEAR BEFORE THROWING

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Another heavily wooded par 3 to test your nerves, which also plays as one of Spa's most difficult.

Black and Red have a split fairway from the tee allowing for two main strategies. The left side, while initially wider, gets thicker by half way down. The right lane is tighter initially but does make for a higher chance of making birdie (although this side does bring the mando more into the equation).

The hole plays slightly down hill. Beware of tomo's (pits) if retrieving discs from the left bush.

Blue tees from just outside the forest to the basket just inside.

Right to left shot required, typical miss is clipping tree early.

No mando (only in play for the longer version of this hole).

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 1
PAR 3
112m

disc mania

5

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

GROUP 1:
• PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE (TEMP PLATFORM AT THE BOTTOM OF THE HILL)

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2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 2
PAR 3
82m

GROUP 3
PAR 3
82m

disc mania

5

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

GROUP 2/GROUP 3:
• PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE (TOP OF THE HILL)

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TAUPO DISC GOLF N3 DG RPM GRIP EG DISC SHOP ZUCA

Congratulations – you’ve made it out of the woods (for now)!

This hole is often underestimated and can catch people out.

Challenging (firm) terrain on 3 levels near basket. Putting from right/lower side is preferred.

Expanded (longer) tee platform (after feedback from 2022 Taupō Thermal Throwdown).

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 1
PAR 4
168m

disc mania

6

GROUP 1:

- PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE
- OB IN THE BUSH TO THE RIGHT OF THE PATH
- SPOTTER REQUIRED FOR SECOND SHOT

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

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2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 2
PAR 4
135m

GROUP 3
PAR 4
135m

disc mania

6

GROUP 2/GROUP 3:

- PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE
- OB IN THE BUSH TO THE RIGHT OF PATH

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

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TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP disc mania ZUCA

Black will use a new tee pad this year (previous Blue #9, paved) adds 30m to this hole.

This extra length gives teeth to the 3 threats for your second shot, on what was traditionally a must get birdie. Guardian trees, OB (right of pathway and basket) and the steep drop-off immediately after basket all are definitely more in play. Watch out for roll-away putts!

This hole crosses a bike/walking path. Please give way to cyclists and walkers, and follow directions from our event marshalls.



2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK



GROUP 1
PAR 4
175m

GROUP 2
PAR 4
175m

GROUP 3
PAR 5
175m



ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY TO THE LONGER TEMP BASKET
- OB ALONG THE RIGHT AND ON LEFT SIDE THE NEAR PATH (MARKED BY RED FLAGS)
- SPOTTER OR MARSHALL REQUIRED (WATCH OUT FOR CYCLISTS)



Extended version of the traditional Spa Park hole, playing to a temporary basket approximately 30m longer and left of the permanent long basket.

Accurate tee shot required due to OB on both the right side and internally around the planted path area on the left.

This hole crosses a bike/walking path. Please give way to cyclists and walkers, and follow directions from our event marshalls. Also be aware that players from the next hole may be crossing up near the basket.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 1
 PAR 4
 164m

GROUP 2
 PAR 4
 164m

disc mania

8



GROUP 1/GROUP 2:

- PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE (TOP OF THE HILL)
- OB TO THE RIGHT
- SPOTTER RECOMMENDED

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2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 3
 PAR 4
 97m

disc mania

8



GROUP 3:

- PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE
- OB ON THE RIGHT SIDE

MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

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TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP CO. DISC SHOP ZUCA

Spectacular new elevated tee for Black and Red brings new challenge to this hole!

Please use a spotter from your group when using this tee (someone waiting at start of walk up hill is a good vantage point).

LHBH or RHFH need to be aware that with this elevation does bring the OB on right side into play.

Second shot is uphill and well guarded, often requiring a shot under a low ceiling.

Blue is a shorter par 4, from a new paved tee pad.



2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK



GROUP 1
PAR 4
170m

GROUP 2
PAR 4
170m

GROUP 3
PAR 4
170m



ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE TO THE SAME BASKET (ON PENINSULA)
- OB ALONG THE RIGHT SIDE
- PLAY TO THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE MANDO



The sweet Spa Park signature hole, with stunning views down to Otumuheke hot springs and the mighty Waikato river.

Decide how aggressive you want to get off the tee knowing that the fairway narrows sharply on the right side, with OB always in play.

Play to the right of mando (first large gum tree on the left, used to keep play clear of the next hole).

All groups play to the peninsula basket. OB gets very tight near basket on the right (to within 5m).

Please ensure a good speed of play, if needed come back to look for lost discs after your round.



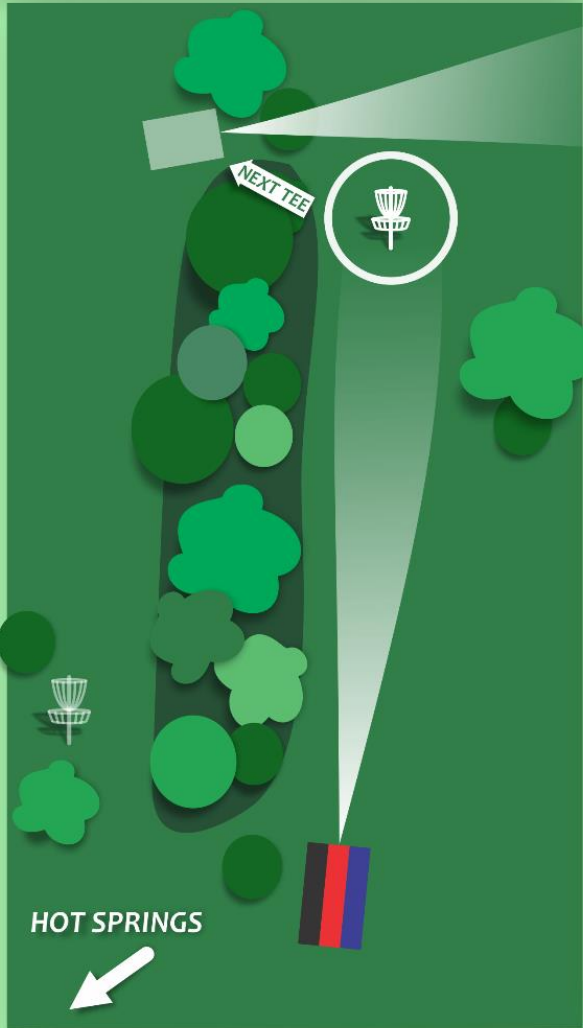
2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

10

GROUP 1
PAR 3
81m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
81m

GROUP 3
PAR 3
81m



ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE TO THE SAME BASKET
- DRINKING WATER & TOILETS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE HOT SPRINGS

THIS HOLE KINDLY SPONSORED BY:



One of the easier holes on the course.
Is slightly uphill and because of that tends to play slightly longer than expected.
But definitely a decent birdie look.



2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

11

GROUP 1
PAR 3
121m

GROUP 2
PAR 4
121m

GROUP 3
PAR 4
121m



MAKE SURE IT IS SAFE BEFORE THROWING

ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE
- OB TO THE LEFT SIDE ON RIDGE TOP AND LONG OF THE BASKET
- PLAY TO THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE MANDO



Tee across a large gully, this year with a mando (play right side) and then OB along the ridge line and around the back of the basket.

A lot of work has been done to clear the blackberry (from OB area) however it is actively growing back, so be careful when retrieving discs.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 1
 PAR 3
 124m

GROUP 2
 PAR 4
 124m

disc mania

12

GROUP 1/GROUP 2:
 • PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE (ACROSS GULLY)

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2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

GROUP 3
 PAR 3
 85m

disc mania

12

GROUP 3:
 • PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE

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TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP EGO DISC SHOP ZUCA

Uphill hole. Black and Red play across a bushy gully for the tee shot.

A more direct line does bring into play some large pines nearer to the basket, so often a left (but longer) line is beneficial.

Blue is also uphill, so can play longer than expected.

Roll-aways are a possibility on the green.



2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK

13

GROUP 1
PAR 3
98m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
98m

GROUP 3
PAR 4
98m



MAKE SURE IT IS
SAFE BEFORE
THROWING

ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE TO THE RAISED BASKET

BLACK:

- ISLAND GREEN
- IF MISSED PLAY NEXT SHOT FROM THE DROP ZONE WITH A ONE SHOT PENALTY



The iconic raised basket hole is definitely a real score separator.

Only Black play this as an island hole. The island is marked by blue flags.

The drop zone for missing the island is just in from the right of the island.

It's just a 9.5m putt, but with the elevated basket, along with a drop away in terrain, 5 becomes a real possibility if you don't fully commit.

When teeing please be aware of players coming towards you playing the 15th hole. There should be a marshall here managing flow.



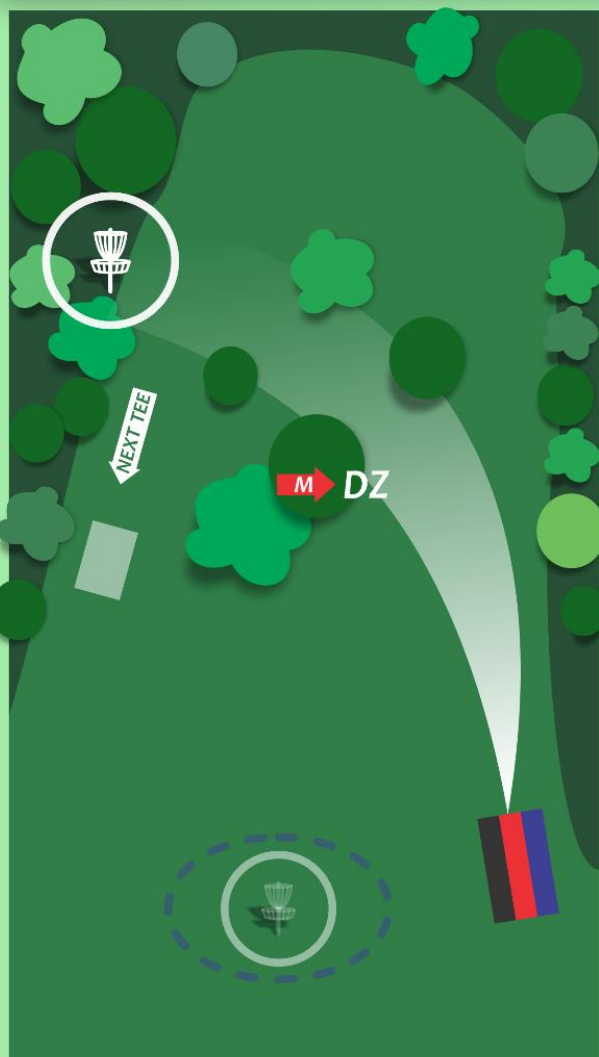
2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS SPA PARK

14

GROUP 1
PAR 3
80m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
80m

GROUP 3
PAR 3
80m



ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE
- PLAY TO THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE MANDO



A shortish sharp right to left par 3 with plenty of trees.

Play to the right side of the mando tree to a well guarded basket.

There are some parts of C1 that don't have a line, so placement is key here.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK **15**

GROUP 1
 PAR 4
 161m

GROUP 2
 PAR 4
 161m

disc mania

GROUP 1/GROUP 2:

- PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE
- SPOTTER OR MARSHALL REQUIRED FOR TEE SHOT

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TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP REG DISC SHOP ZÜca.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK **15**

GROUP 3
 PAR 3
 75m

disc mania

GROUP 3:

- PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE
- ENSURE THE BASKET AREA IS CLEAR BEFORE THROWING

TAUPO NUI-A-TIA Disc Golf Classic NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS 2023

TAUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP REG DISC SHOP ZÜca.

Double dog leg from left to right. Lefty backhand or righty forehand dream!

Ensure you have clearance from the marshall before you tee off, as it is a blind tee shot.

Basket is tucked into a recessed clearing (sloping away), with plenty of guardian bush and trees.

Again, make sure it is safe to play before throwing.



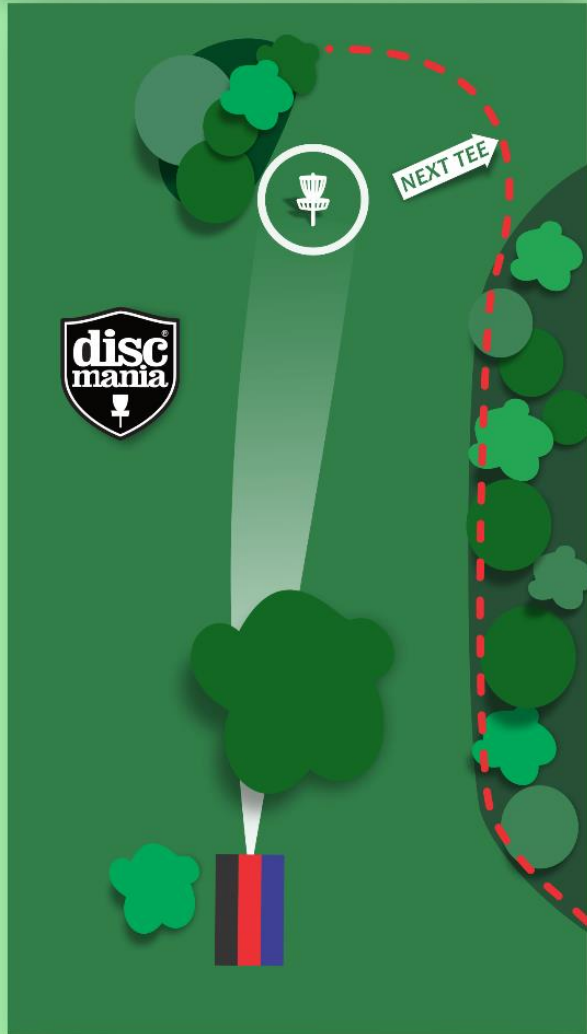
2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS SPA PARK

16

GROUP 1
PAR 3
104m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
104m

GROUP 3
PAR 3
104m



ALL GROUPS:

- PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE
- OB MARKED BY RED FLAGS

THIS HOLE KINDLY SPONSORED BY:

Jennifer Joynt



This is a challenging downhill par 3, with a large pine early, dictating terms.

There are a number of options, although some recent (post cyclone) trimming has ensured the straight low arch shot is probably your best choice.

Out of bounds comes up quickly right and long as the terrain slopes in that direction.

This is the men's CTP hole for the event (all 3 days) – prize provided by discgolfwordsofwisdom.com



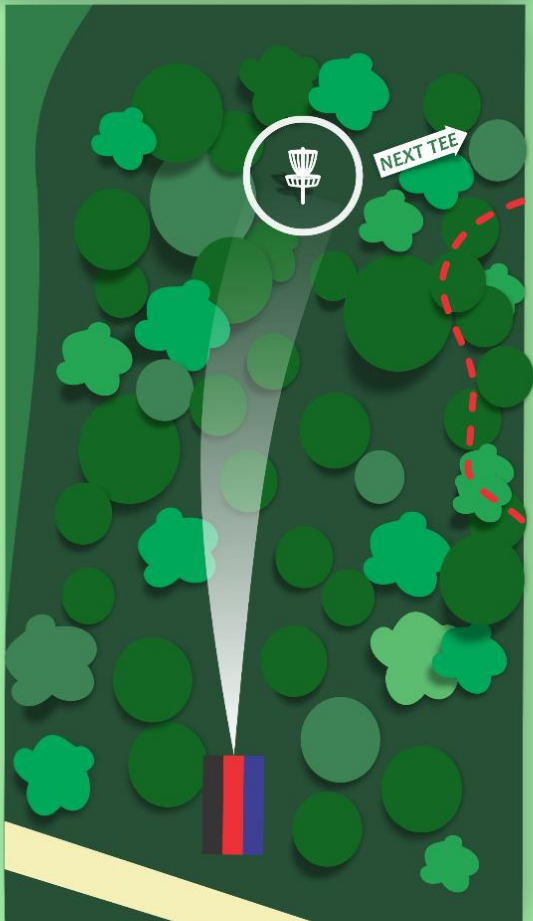
2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS SPA PARK

17

GROUP 1
PAR 3
58m

GROUP 2
PAR 3
58m

GROUP 3
PAR 3
58m



ALL GROUPS:

- **PLAY FROM THE SAME TEE**
- **OB MARKED BY RED FLAGS**

THIS HOLE KINDLY SPONSORED BY:

*Jenny Lim
Katalyst Social*



A brand new hole with it's official release for this tournament!

It may be short but with it's basket perched high on a hill, and considerable pines to thread through, it should not be taken easily.

OB in the pit of doom and beyond (on the right) marked by red flags.

Major rework has happened on this hole due to cyclone damage. Please be careful with footing!

This is the women's CTP hole for the event (all 3 days) – prize provided by discgolfwordsofwisdom.com

*****please note***** Tree damage from Cyclone Gabrielle has made the OB area very hazardous. No one is to retrieve their discs from this area! Do not enter. Please leave them for the event crew to collect at the end of days play, they can be collected from the lost property at Spa Park hole 1.

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK **18**

GROUP 1
 PAR 4
 147m

GROUP 2
 PAR 4
 147m

disc mania

GROUP 1/GROUP 2:

- PLAY FROM THE LONG TEE
- OB MARKED BY RED FLAGS AND WOODEN FENCE ON LEFT SIDE
- PLAY TO THE RIGHT OF THE MANDO (DZ IS BLUE TEE)

TAMUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP DISC SHOP ZUCA

2023 NORTH ISLAND CHAMPS
SPA PARK **18**

GROUP 3
 PAR 4
 105m

disc mania

GROUP 3:

- PLAY FROM THE SHORT TEE
- OB MARKED BY RED FLAGS AND LOW WOODEN FENCE ON LEFT SIDE

TAMUPO DISC GOLF NZ DG RPM GRIP DISC SHOP ZUCA

Spa's final hole is a classic, and has so much going on! A fitting end to the round.

The tee shot is demanding, with multiple OB's, a mando, and trees galore.

Second shot is uphill. A number of trees on this hole came down during Cyclone Gabriel, including 2 massive guardians just before the basket.

Please note: this caddy book was prepared by a lefty. No responsibility will be taken for bad shots using the info enclosed! 😊