

Academy of Electrical Contracting
Golf at TPC Sawgrass
Stadium Course
June 5, 2010

Playing the **Stadium Course at TPC Sawgrass** should be a memorable experience. The clubhouse is a 10-15 minute drive from the resort. We have 4 tee times so this is limited to the first 16 golfers signing up. Greens fees are **\$370** and include a cart, tournament fee and mandatory caddie gratuity of \$20. Rental clubs are **\$85**.

- **Saturday, June 5** at TPC Sawgrass (Stadium Course) Limited to the **first 16 players**. Specific times to be determined, but they will be in early afternoon so they don't interfere with the Academy programs or evening events

The creation of TPC Sawgrass as host to THE PLAYERS was based on several unique concepts: First, it would be the permanent home of THE PLAYERS, and it would be owned by the players. Second, the course and surrounding areas would be built with spectators in mind. It would be the first true "Stadium Course," designed and built to improve the overall on-site fan experience. Third, the TPC would be a course of great design and character that would be accessible to all golf fans.

Working with golf course architect Pete Dye, Commissioner Deane Beman wanted a course design that would favor no particular player or style of play. To meet this goal, an extensive effort was made to design a balanced golf course. There had to be a selection of short, medium and long holes within the categories of par-3s, par-4s and par-5s. There had to be both right and left doglegs. The course routing was laid out so no two consecutive holes ever played in the same direction.

Accomplishments of THE PLAYERS Stadium Course:

- Rated No. 45 in "America's 100 Greatest Golf Courses," Golf Digest, 2009-2010
- Rated No. 9 in "America's 100 Greatest Public Course," Golf Digest, 2009-2010
- Rated No. 2 in "Best in State of Florida," Golf Digest, 2009-2010
- Rated No. 14 in "50 Toughest Golf Courses," Golf Digest, 2009-2010