


Lahaina Maui	Kapalua Bay
	One of three Kapalua Courses this is the easiest of the three and is regular favourite for first timers at the Bunker.


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Major events held:
 Not available

Notable Champions:
 Not available

Par: 35+37=72

Outdoor Course Record: not available




TCB Indoor Difficulty Ratings and Rankings			
	Rating out of 20	Ranking (1 st is hardest)	
Front 9	12.0	90 th	
Back 9	14.0	59 th	
18 Holes	13.0	41 st	

Website:
Other Website:

Built:		
Designed:		
Re-designed:		
Type:	Coastal	
Green Fees:		
Signature Hole:	5 th	

Notes: This course was designed alongside the shores of Oneloa Bay. The Bay Course measures 6,761 yards from the championship tees and 6,151 from the regular men's tees, with four par threes, 10 par fours and four par fives for a par-72 total. The front nine holes begin behind the Kapalua Bay Hotel and meander uphill before turning down to the ocean at Oneloa Bay, then uphill again and back down. The back nine holes run up to Pineapple Hill, down toward the bay, back up around a small lake and down to the clubhouse. Panoramic views of the Pacific Ocean and the Islands of Lanai and Molokai from nearly every hole can be distracting but quite pleasing to golfers.

Hole by hole descriptions and Out of Bounds Lines

<p>No1 Par 5 Play a power fade around the few trees down the right side to make this a reachable opening hole. OB is right and trees are awkward left. Get it on the fairway or walk away with bogie or worse. From the men's regular tee, the first hole is a 472-yard par five with trees and a fairway bunker right and two sand traps protecting the green.</p>	
<p>No2 Par 4 The only real trouble here is the OB right off the tee, although any tee shot that finds the trees left will punish on what should really be a birdie hole. The 2nd hole, a 340-yard par four, has the number-one handicap rating. The undulating fairway has trees right and left, and a kidney-shaped green protected by three sand traps, one front and two rear.</p>	
<p>No3 Par 3 The wind and slope can mess with your club selection. Watch back right pins which can make for some interesting putts. The par-four 3rd hole is a tough dogleg left with trees narrowing the fairway and a bunker at the back of the knee. The approach to the green must be accurate to avoid the trees on the right and a sand trap on the left. The 4th is another dogleg left with trees on the left side and a large bunker also on the left, at the bend in the fairway. The second drive goes toward the ocean and usually into the trades, adding distance. The large green, perched on a lava peninsula, sports a sand bunker on its right flank.</p>	

No4 Par 4

One of the most loved holes at The Bunker. Start the tee shot down the right side and allow the trade winds and a right to left trajectory to shape the ball around the down hill right to left dog-leg. Some players at The Bunker have hit this green off the tee. Get the ball drawing or pay the price into the hazard as you run through the fairway.

**No5 Par 3**

Aim tee shot to left side of the green. If the Pacific Ocean isn't enough of a problem the hazard surrounds the approaches to the green front and right. Getting over the ocean isn't enough here as the hazard encroaches towards the greenside bunkers. This picturesque par three destroys many rounds. The shot across Oneloa Bay should be just another golf shot but somehow the ocean grabs more than it's fair share of balls.

**No6 Par 5**

The 6th is a par five that measures 471 yards from the regular tee and doglegs slightly to the right. There is a large fairway bunker right and a line of tall Cook pines left to add to the challenge. The large target is flanked by two bunkers. This is a sneaky difficult hole. Stay out of the trees at all costs but avoid the OB that runs all the way down the tree line left. Par here is a good score.



No7 Par 4

The 7th par-four dogleg right, has a large fairway bunker on the right at the bend, plenty of trees and four sand traps surrounding the green.



No8 Par 3

The 8th hole is an easy par three with trees along the left side and four bunkers around the target. The green slopes back to front so try to get your ball past the hole.



No9 Par 4

The 9th features trees along the left side and a large fairway bunker left at the bend. The large green has a pair of bunkers flanking it. Out of bounds down the right must be avoided.



No10 Par 5

The back nine starts with a par-five dogleg right measuring 489 yards from the middle tee. There are trees and a large sand trap on the right side of the fairway, but the five bunkers encircling the green demand the precise approach shot; not an easy hole.



No11 Par 4

The 11th is a dogleg right with a bunker on the right side at the bend, trees and another sand trap to the left of the green and another bunker to the right of the target. The 12th is a fairly easy par three that measures 170 yards and has three bunkers protecting the green.



No12 Par 3

The scene of several hole outs from the tee. From the men's tee this can cause more than a few problems.



No13 Par 4

The 13th, a 333-yard par four, is a dogleg right with trees left and four huge sand bunkers narrowing the fairway below the knee. Two more sand traps guard the opening to the target, requiring a precise approach. The 14th is a slight dogleg right par four measuring 315 yards. It has trees left and sand right (at the bend) taking width from the fairway. The green has a single bunker on the left.



No14 Par 4



No15 Par 4

Number 15 is a par four that plays longer than its 441 yards when the trades are blowing. A pair of sand bunkers narrow the fairway halfway to the target, which is large and trapped at the back and left. The 345-yard 16th is a difficult green, which sports a pair of large sand traps. The 17th plays 168 yard to a triple-bunkered green that also has a small lake on the left. An easy par three.



No16 Par 4

A challenging par 4 that demands your best drive of the day. The tee shot must carry a water hazard and then find its way to a fairway that is divided by a winding creek. After negotiating this, your second shot must carry to an elevated two tiered green. If this hole sounds tough it's because it is. The most challenging tee shot is to the left of the creek reducing the length of your approach shot or the more forgiving right hand side of the fairway and play directly back into the wind toward the green. The approach shot will play much longer than metreage will indicate.

**No17 Par 3**

Just don't miss this one green high left.

**No18 Par 5**

How you play this hole will depend on your drive. A strong tee shot will set up a chance to go for the green in two. Shorter hitters can use the slope of the fairway to position their second shots, leaving them a short iron to the green. Players at The Bunker will notice a poorly positioned blossom tree to the right of the tee block which forces a shot down the left side with a fade required to produce the best results. Some of the biggest tee shots have been hit from this tee though, including the all time longest seen inside (334m). Walk off with par here and you will feel like you just dropped a shot.



Kapalua Bay Hall of Fame

Tournament Champions

Division	Tee	Name	4 Round Total (72)	Total	Points	Date
Open Scratch	AM	Bryan Werner	64+69+70+85 (E)	288	-	2 Sep 07
Open H'cap	AM	Anthony Mackey	62+71+67+67 (-21)	267	-	2 Sep 07
Ladies Scratch	Ldy	Shirley Willis	72+75+79+77 (-15)	303	-	2 Sep 07
Ladies H'cap	Ldy	Sue Handley	61+69+62+60 (-36)	252	-	2 Sep 07
Div 2 H'cap	AM	Phil Sylvester	61+62+62+59 (-44)	244	188	2 Sep 07
Div 3 H'cap	AM	Hagan Crawford	65+64+57+66 (-36)	252	180	2 Sep 07

Course Record Holders

Tees	Name	Total 36+36=72	Score	Event	Date
Champ/Back	Matt Sturgeon	38+39=77	+5	S	31/10/02
Amateur/Mid	Bryan Werner	29+35=64	-8	T	2/9/07
Ladies/Fwd	Shirley Willis	34+38=75	+2	T	2/9/07
Junior U17/Mid	Nick Cochrane	40+40=80	+8	S	5/1/07
Junior U14/Fwd	Nathan Rees	48+54=102	+30	S	21/4/05

Long Drives (Max 15mph wind)

Division	Name	Distance (m)	Event	Date
Open	Sam Lang	334.97	T	2/9/07
Ladies	Suze van Strien	244	C	26/12/05
Junior U17	Steve Boden	272	S	3/7/07
Junior U14	Nathan Rees	182	S	26/4/06

NTP or Hole in One

Hole	Name	Distance	Event	Date
3 rd	Mark Haberkorn	1.1m	S	23/2/05
4 th par 4	Anthony Mackey	6.5m	T	20/7/07
5 th	Adrian Brunker	1.1m	C	30/8/04
8 th	John Kiley	40cm	T	17/8/07
12 th	Shirley Willis	Hole in One	T	2/9/07
13 th par 4	Dave Benson	3.3m	T	12/7/07
17 th	Paula Anderson	66cm	T	28/8/07

Lowest 9 Hole Teams Championships

Team Name	Tee	Names	Score	Date
Ace Holes	Pro	Bryan Werner/Peter Nilsson	-6	1/3/07
Temps	Ldy	Denise Whyte/Sue Powell	-5	2/10/05
Birds & Bogeys	Mix	Scott Caban/Vicki Bartle	-3	11/4/07

Longest Putt Holed (from green)

Name	Distance	Hole	Date
Jessica Manning	23m	6 th	30/3/07

Fewest Putts (18 Holes)

Name	Putts	Date
Sue Handley	22	2/9/07

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