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LATEST NEWS - PATRIOT PARK OPENING

The Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc. is proud to announce the opening of Patriot Park Disc Golf Course. This project was made possible by a collaboration between Victoria Parks Coalition (VPC) and Victoria County. VPC donated 18 disc golf baskets, and they were installed by City of Victoria Parks & Recreation Department. Cement, 5 gallon buckets and hardware were donated by Zarsky Lumber of Victoria, Texas. Over the next year, when course design becomes finalized, 18 tee signs will be installed at Patriot Park Disc Golf Course.



HISTORY: 2014 – PRESENT

In 2014, Parks Commissioner, Gail Repka, began proposals to develop new disc golf courses at Fox's Bend in Riverside Park and at Patriot Park. In 2016 the Victoria Parks Coalition, a nonprofit, was established as a means of raising funds to support parks projects.

Serving both as a Parks Commissioner and a member of the board for the Victoria Parks Coalition Ms. Repka worked with the City of Victoria Parks Department on the Fox's Bend Course and Victoria County Commissioner Gary Burns on the Patriot Park Disc Golf Project.

It has been a long road, full of daily challenges, compromises and new learning opportunities while building relationships and collaborations with the City of Victoria and Victoria County Government Administrators in efforts to establish more Disc Golf Courses in Victoria, Texas.

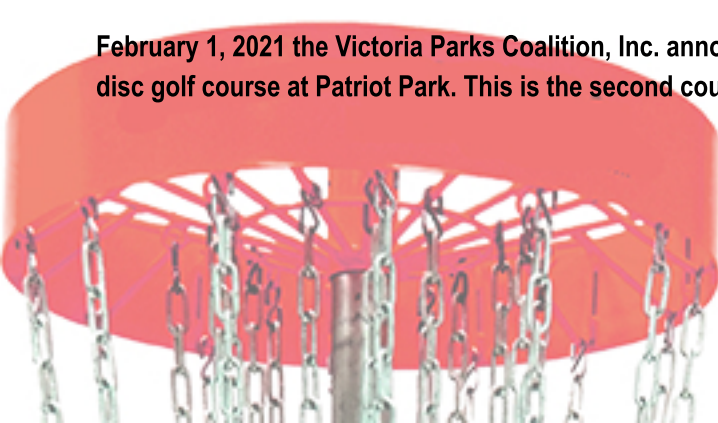
Initially in 2014, an attempt was made to secure Houck Design for the City's new course at Fox's Bend to compliment the third design of Houck's career "The Iconic Riverside Disc Golf Course". However, a deal could not be made and Commissioner Repka was charged with establishing a volunteer design team comprised of professional disc golf players in order to move the Fox's Bend DG project forward. The task seemed simple, but support was scarce, until Kevin Willis (K-Dub) stepped up to help identify player partners who over time, have become affectionately known as The Fox's Bend Design Team.

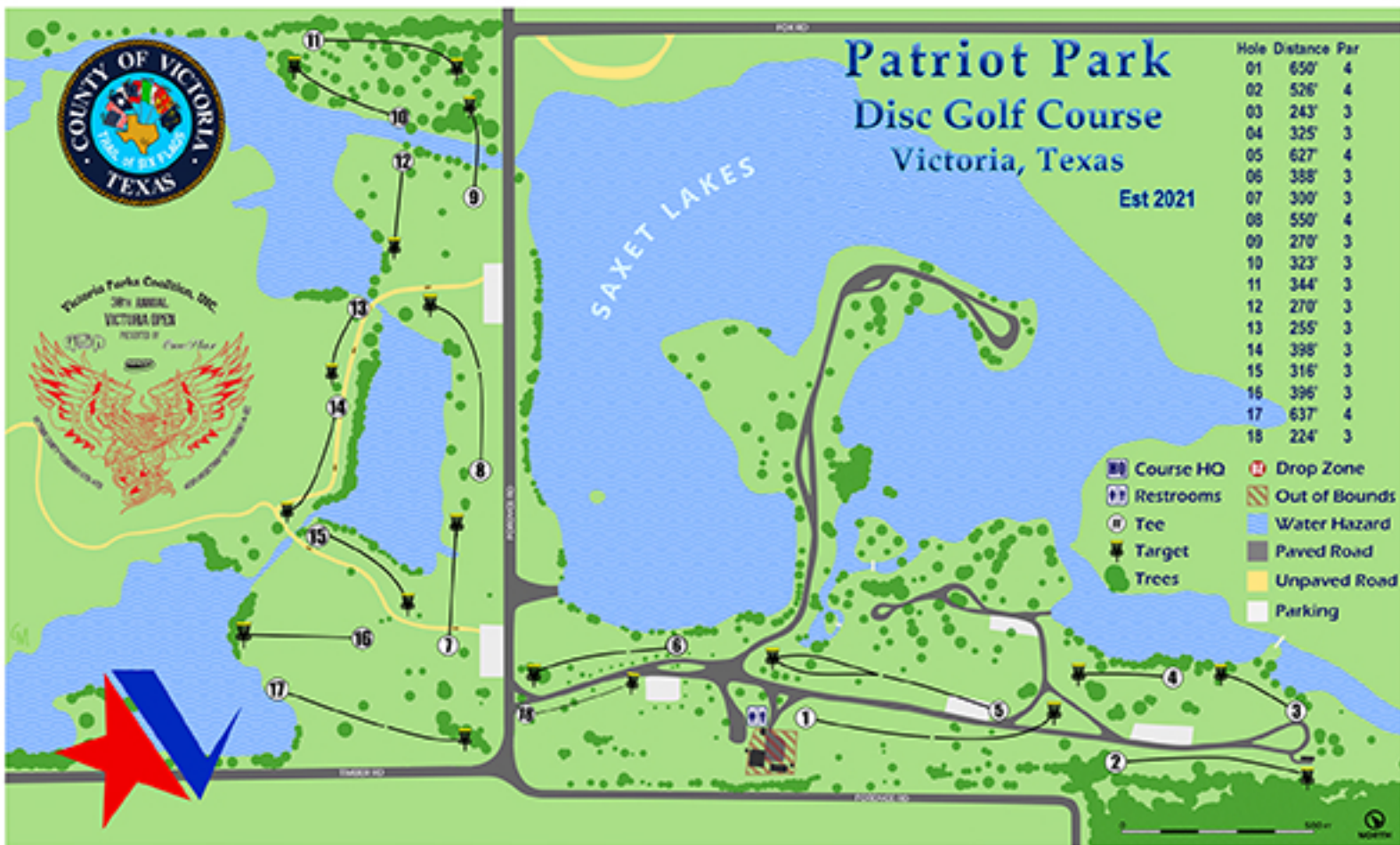
FOX'S BEND DESIGN TEAM

Since 2014, Ron Engebretson has taken on the role as Lead Course Designer for the Fox's Bend Design Team. We are grateful for his volunteerism, vision and commitment to growing the sport of disc golf in Victoria, Texas. Original design team members for phase one (9 holes) of The River Course at Fox's Bend included: Tim Engebretson, Bradley Williams and course contributor Garin Wootton. Wallace Hall III (Wally Gator) joined the design team in 2016 after phase one was completed at Fox's Bend.

February 2020 saw the Grand Opening of The River Course at Fox's Bend and the first ever, 18-hole temp course at Patriot Park. The Patriot Park project took 3 proposals and 3 course designs (36 holes, 27 holes, and then 18 holes) to finally secure an agreement between the Victoria Parks Coalition and Victoria County to establish the Patriot Park Disc Golf Course. This glorious day was July 30, 2020.

February 1, 2021 the Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc. announced the opening of a new permanent 18-hole championship disc golf course at Patriot Park. This is the second course design for The Fox's Bend Design Team (that has been installed).





Patriot Park Disc Golf Course

Hole 1 – Road & Beyond OB, OB Green, mark where was last inbounds.

Hole 2 – OB left ROAD, OB Right barbed wire fence.

Hole 3 & 4 – Take 2 meters from water edge if OB.

Hole 5 – Pylons and Beyond OB

Hole 6 – Pylons and Beyond OB, Fence and Beyond OB

Hole 13 & 14 – Pylons are NOT OB

Hole 15 – Pylons and Beyond OB

Hole 18 – Pylons and Beyond OB. Fence and Beyond OB

COURSE NOTES: All water is OB, ALL Pylons & Beyond are OB. If Pylon has line, the line is used to determine OB TWO METER RULE IS NOT IN EFFECT. Throw a provisional if in doubt for speed of play. All in the group must assist in searching for the disc, a disc is disclaimed lost if a player cannot locate within (3) minutes, after having arrived where it is thought to be. 805.03

Building Partnerships

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The City of Victoria Parks and Recreation Department played a huge role in the creation of the Patriot Park Course by partnering with the Victoria Parks Coalition to accept the course equipment shipment, assembling and prepping all the baskets into buckets, providing heavy equipment and parks crews to complete the installation. All this, under the direction of our City Manager, Jesus Garza. The City of Victoria Parks Department has extended multiple resources on an ongoing basis to support the growth of disc golf in Victoria. Many thanks and much appreciation for all city staff members!

Victoria County has agreed to host our newest 18-hole disc golf course at Patriot Park and provide mowing maintenance for the lifetime of the course. The Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc. secured funds for targets, tee pads and signage for this parks project.

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The River Course at FOX's BEND

Hole 1 - Mandatory Left of Marked Tree, use marked Drop Zone if missed. Pylons & Beyond OB.
 Hole 2 - HAZARD: If any throw comes to rest in marked hazard lake, play as it lies with (1) Stroke penalty. Pylons and Beyond OB.
 Hole 4 - Mandatory Right of Marked Tree, use Marked Drop Zone if missed. OB Right EDGE of BANK.
 Hole 7 - Pylons & Beyond OB. (NO MANDATORY)
 Hole 9 - Pylons & Beyond OB. (NO MANDATORY)
 Hole 15 - Mandatory Right off tee, if missed RE-TEE. 2nd Mandatory Right of Tree fairway, if missed proceed to drop zone.

Hole 18 - Pylons and Beyond OB.

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OTHER UPDATES:

The River Course at Fox's Bend is slated for several other phases of development which include more brush clearing, amenities, target on an elevated terrace, and an island hole.

The Iconic Riverside Disc Golf Course is also slated for improvements which include but not limited to: more clearing toward river, tree planting - replacing trees lost during Hurricane Harvey, bench installments, memorial bench installment, new kiosk, and culverts on fairways 2 & 4. Both Riverside courses have also been placed on pressure washing maintenance schedule.

Patriot Park tee signs are coming soon. Cement tee pads and a kiosk by hole one are pending County Approval. A new Playground has also been proposed to the County for Patriot Park also, pending approval.

JOIN OUR TEAM!

The Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc., 501(c)(3) was established in 2016 to promote, build and oversee new and additional parks and recreation projects. The Parks Coalition is a volunteer group of professionals who commit their time and talents to improve the places we live and play. The Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc. prides itself on establishing collaborations to promote, build and oversee new Parks and Recreation Projects. If you would like to become part of our enthusiastic team at the Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc. please fill out an application to serve. Join Today! www.VictoriaParks.org



Riverside Disc Golf Course



The Iconic RIVERSIDE DISC GOLF COURSE

Hole 2 – Mandatory Left of Marked Tree, use marked Drop Zone if missed.

Hole 4 – Pylons & Beyond OB, Fence & Beyond OB

Hole 5 – Pylons & Beyond OB, Fence & Beyond OB

Hole 7 – OB is Marked. Throw from Drop Zone if Tee Shot lands OB.

Subsequent shots thrown OB Mark where disc was last in bounds.

Hole 11 – Pylons & Beyond are OB. Fences and Beyond are OB

Hole 14 – Pylons & Beyond are OB. Fences and Beyond are OB.

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PLAYER POOLS

A POOL (All PRO DIVISIONS)

B POOL (ALL ADVANCED DIVISIONS)

C POOL (MA-2, MA-3, FA-2, FA-3)

JR POOL (MJ-15)



COURSE ASSIGNMENTS

(RD 1&2 SAT / RD 3 SUN)

A POOL: Riverside DGC, FOX's BEND, Riverside
(11:30 1st tee time Sunday)

B POOL: FOX'S BEND, PATRIOT, Riverside
(8 AM 1st tee time Sunday)

C POOL: PATRIOT, RIVERSIDE, FOX's BEND
(8 AM 1st tee time Sunday)

JR POOL: Riverside DGC, FOX's BEND, Riverside

SCHEDULE - FRIDAY DOUBLES

Friday, FEB 12th

9 AM – 5 PM CASUAL CHECK-IN

(All Players please report to HQ by Saturday @ 4 PM)

To receive player packs, T-shirts, meal tickets and 3 question survey for #ExploreVictoria

9 AM – 3 PM Flex Start BYOP Doubles (Hosted by OneStar)

Doubles Info: Riverside and/or Patriot Park available to play

\$30 AM TEAM, \$40 PRO TEAM, \$30 MIXED TEAM

CHECK IN FOR BOTH COURSES AT HQ LIONS PAVILLION

@ Riverside Park. *Each Course is a separate event.

6 PM Virtual Players Meeting (OneStar FB)

(Check DG Scene, Facebook, Website for link)



SCHEDULE CONTINUED

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Tournament Director: Wallace C Hall III
Tournament Director: Chris Vandagriff
Tournament Director: Patrick D Womack

Saturday, February 13th

8 AM Round 1 Tee Times start.

Check PDGA <https://www.pdga.com/tour/event/48009> for your tee times

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6 PM Dinner Lions Club Pavilion A

Menu: King Ranch Casserole, Green Beans, Fresh Rolls.

Golden Corral.

6–10 PM Live Music by DJ ROCKETMAN.

Player Party Lions Club Pavilion A



Victoria Parks Coalition, Inc.

Event Chairperson: Wallace C Hall III

Co-Chairs: Gail Repka, Lanell Rachid.

SUNDAY:

8 AM Round 3 Tee Times for B&C Pools

11 AM – 2 PM Player Lunch available at HQ Lions Club.

Ham or Turkey Lunch Boxes on wheat, Chips, Cookie & Pickle.

Catered by Jason's Deli.

11:30 AM Round 3 Tee Times for A pool

Check PDGA <https://www.pdga.com/tour/event/48009>
for your tee times

12 PM - 5 PM Amateur Payouts, Vending, and Raffle Pavilion A.

5 PM Awards and Closing Ceremony HQ Lions Club Pavilion A

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March 6-7th @ Moodys DGC
PDGA B-Tier event

★ *April Hatt Event* (LOCATION TBD)

April 24th @ To Be Announced
PDGA C-Tier event

★ *The 30th Capital of Texas Open*

May 15-16th @ MetCenter DGC
PDGA B-Tier event

★ *The Half Moon Rising*

June 19th @ Shiner Tx
PDGA C-Tier Event

★ *The 12th Gonzo Liberty Battle*

July 17th @ Gonzales TX DGC
PDGA C-Tier Event

★ *Rumble at the Ranch*

Date TBD - Course in Development
PDGA C-Tier event

★ *13th Kyle Open*

Sept 4-5th @ Steeplehcase DGC
PDGA B-Tier event

★ *The 22nd Oktoberfest*

October 9-10th @ Moodys DGC
PDGA B-Tier event

How Do I Sign Up?

https://www.discgolfscene.com/clubs/MINT_Discs

Due to Covid, we are waiting to open event sign-ups until closer to the date of each event.

2021 Tour Champions

- ★ Awarded at end of season(per division).
- ★ Accumulate points at each stop.
- ★ Must play at least 3 events in your division.

The 2021
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