

## Frequently Asked Questions

**1. Is Stewart Creek a private club?**

Stewart Creek is a semi-private course, meaning we do have members but non-members can also play the course. Please note that we are members only on Saturdays & Sundays until 10:30am. Stewart Creek is currently accepting new members and we encourage anyone interested to please view our membership page on the website.

**2. What is the Dress code at Stewart Creek?**

All individuals accessing either the golf course or the practice facility must adhere to the following dress code. Jogging shorts, swim trunks, cut-offs, halter tops, tank tops, tube tops, t-shirts and denim jeans will not be allowed. Men must wear a collared shirt with sleeves. Women may either wear a shirt with sleeves or a sleeveless shirt with a collar. All skirts, skorts and shorts must be an appropriate length.

**3. How long does it take to play?**

It takes approximately 4 hours 20 mins to complete 18 holes of golf at Stewart Creek. Our course ambassadors work with all groups on the course to ensure that everyone is playing at pace to ensure the enjoyment of all golfers on the course. We also offer 9 hole tee times available after 5:00pm daily which usually take just over 2 hours to play.

**4. Can I walk instead of using the cart?**

All green fees include the use of a power cart. We do not recommend golfers to walk the course for the following reasons: Wildlife on the course, large distances and elevation between some of our holes, and pace of play expectations. For those wishing to walk please discuss with the golf shop at check-in as our main concern will be your safety and the ability to maintain pace of play.

**5. Can we play as a group of 5?**

The maximum group size per tee time is 4.

**6. Do you have a junior rate?**

We do offer a 40% discount off the posted rate for any junior players (18 and under). Juniors do not have to be playing with an adult, however, all players driving a golf cart must have a valid driver's licence.

**7. Do you get a reduced rate if you play 2 rounds (replay rate) the same day?**

Yes, you can play twice in a day. Your 1<sup>st</sup> round of golf will be the full green fee rate however your 2<sup>nd</sup> round of the day you will receive a 40% discount off the posted rate of that tee time. Our green fees are lower in price after 3:00pm so if your 2<sup>nd</sup> round starts after 3:00pm then this will be a great value!

**8. Can people ride along and not play golf?**

Yes, there is a \$30.00 fee for people who want to ride along but are not playing golf. If an extra cart is needed for this we cannot guarantee that they will be available.

**9. Who can use the driving range?**

The use of our practice facilities (driving range, short game complex & putting green) are all included in your green fee. A fee of \$20/visit applies to anyone who does not have a tee time on the day but wishes to access the facilities. Practice facility hours are from dawn to dusk (except Thursday evenings when the range is closed for maintenance).

**10. Is there a snack shack concession on course?**

There is a snack shack between the ninth and tenth holes (which is located behind driving range for pre- round needs). There is an assortment of snacks, sandwiches, wraps & beverages (both alcoholic and non-alcoholic). On busy days there is also a BBQ offering burgers and hot dogs.

**11. Do you really see wildlife on the golf course?**

Stewart Creek golf course is built within a wildlife corridor which is a natural pathway that the wildlife use to move through the Bow Valley. With this in mind seeing wildlife on the golf course is a common occurrence and sightings include such animals as elk, deer, coyote, black bears, cougars and even grizzly bears. The course has a great working relationship with local Fish & wildlife officers to ensure that any interaction between golfers and wildlife remains safe for the golfer and minimizes the impact to the animals.

**12. Does the course have an ATM?**

No, the course does not have an ATM on site. The club does accept debit and credit card anywhere on course and in the clubhouse. The closest ATM would be 10 mins away in Canmore.

**13. Does Stewart Creek have a beverage cart?**

Yes. We do have a beverage cart on course from approximately 10am until 4 pm. This cart has a selection of beverages and snacks.

**14. Can you share a set of clubs?**

No. Every golfer must have their own set of clubs. We do rent golf clubs to people who do not have their own for a fee of \$55 (plus GST), which includes a sleeve of balls.

**15. Do we have a blue medical flag?**

Yes we do. A blue medical flag can be requested and placed on your cart if you have mobility issues. This will allow fairway access on all of our holes regardless of the current cart path rule. We do request that you still respect your distance from greens, tee boxes and long fescue grass.

**16. Do we have GPS on the carts?**

No. We do not have GPS. Guests will find that there are several yardage indicators on the course that will assist you in your shot selection. All distances are to the centre of the green.

- Cart path marked in 25yds increments along the path from 275yds to 75yds.
- A 150 yard black/white pole in the centre of each fairway with twin rocks on either side of the fairway act as aiming points for your tee shot.
- Several sprinkler heads on each hole are marked with distances.
- 200yd, 150yd, 100yd yardage plates in the centre of each fairway are marked.
- A complimentary yardage guide can be picked up in the golf shop or from the starter on the 1<sup>st</sup> tee.

**17. Can we use our own golf GPS device at the course?**

Yes. Our course is supported by Sky Caddie, Garmin & Bushnell. Please note that you may have to **upload/update your device before coming here** to ensure the most current course details are on your device.

**18. Do your flagsticks have reflectors?**

All of our flag sticks have reflectors on them at the top of the actual stick. These are used to better pick up handheld rangefinders which tell you the distance to the flag.

**19. Can you bring a stroller on the course?**

For safety reasons, strollers are not allowed on the course. Stewart Creek is a difficult course to walk with a lot of elevation gain. Babies are not recommended on the course.

**20. Is there a restaurant at the golf course?**

There is a restaurant at the golf course and it is open to the public. Please visit the restaurant page on the website for more information including the current menu and operating hours.

**21. Can I purchase a gift card for someone?**

Yes. Gift cards can be issued and mailed out to any address in Canada. Gift cards can be bought in any denomination and used for green fees, merchandise or at our restaurant & on course snack shack. Please call us to order your gift card or purchase one during your next visit to club.

**22. What is the weather like there?**

As we are 100km west of Calgary our weather is similar to that of the city however with the mountains and a slightly higher elevation we are typically a few degrees cooler than Calgary on any given day. With mountain ranges surrounding the club the weather can be hard to predict and we often see forecasted systems pass right by us or blow past in a matter of minutes. For the most current weather forecast see [www.weather.gc.ca](http://www.weather.gc.ca)