



THE RITZ-CARLTON GOLF CLUB®  
DOVE MOUNTAIN

SAGUARO  
Hole-by-Hole Description

<b>Hole 1</b>	<b>Par 4</b>	<b>Tournament 460</b>	<b>Blue 453</b>	<b>Copper 414</b>	<b>Yellow 395</b>	<b>Green 307</b>
Straightaway and slightly downhill, the wide fairway eventually runs into a crossing wash. The approach is uphill over the wash to a green unguarded by bunkers, with open space on the right.						
<b>Hole 2</b>	<b>Par 5</b>	<b>Tournament 574</b>	<b>Blue 504</b>	<b>Copper 493</b>	<b>Yellow 482</b>	<b>Green 408</b>
A gradual dogleg left and a bit downhill, bunkers line the left side of the landing area. A bunker 67 yards short of the elevated green determines strategy for laying up, or going for the green in two.						
<b>Hole 3</b>	<b>Par 3</b>	<b>Tournament 208</b>	<b>Blue 191</b>	<b>Copper 175</b>	<b>Yellow 155</b>	<b>Green 124</b>
The only pond on the course is to the right and partially in front of the green, enticing a left-to-right trajectory. The green, surrounded by bunkers, slopes left to right, and down toward the water.						
<b>Hole 4</b>	<b>Par 4</b>	<b>Tournament 393</b>	<b>Blue 385</b>	<b>Copper 369</b>	<b>Yellow 349</b>	<b>Green 271</b>
The pond stretches in front of the tees, which look out to a fairway with five bunkers that stud the landing area. The approach is a carry over a wash to a small green with a devilish false front.						
<b>Hole 5</b>	<b>Par 4</b>	<b>Tournament 536</b>	<b>Blue 439</b>	<b>Copper 429</b>	<b>Yellow 419</b>	<b>Green 361</b>
A wide, welcoming fairway forms a gentle double dogleg, first left and then right. A series of pot bunkers lines the final 40 yards on the right to the back of the elevated green.						
<b>Hole 6</b>	<b>Par 3</b>	<b>Tournament 185</b>	<b>Blue 177</b>	<b>Copper 161</b>	<b>Yellow 146</b>	<b>Green 131</b>
A straightforward target, the relatively level green is angled right to left, wrapping around a bunker that is set right-center. A tightly mowed swale on the left is safe, unlike the waste area on the right.						
<b>Hole 7</b>	<b>Par 4</b>	<b>Tournament 486</b>	<b>Blue 439</b>	<b>Copper 421</b>	<b>Yellow 386</b>	<b>Green 318</b>
An uphill dogleg right, the wide fairway is guarded by a bunker 60 yards long at the right corner. A deep "Black Hole" bunker fronts the elevated green, which slopes sharply to the front, left-to-right.						
<b>Hole 8</b>	<b>Par 5</b>	<b>Tournament 576</b>	<b>Blue 567</b>	<b>Copper 539</b>	<b>Yellow 506</b>	<b>Green 408</b>
A wash splits the fairway into a dogleg right, with bunkers along the wide landing areas. An impressive hilltop bunker complex 40 yards short of the green can hide most of the flagstick.						
<b>Hole 9</b>	<b>Par 4</b>	<b>Tournament 476</b>	<b>Blue 467</b>	<b>Copper 406</b>	<b>Yellow 394</b>	<b>Green 317</b>
A wash creates a carry from the tee and reappears in front of the green, wrapping around it as well. A raised fairway bunker hides the green, which slopes in front to a grassy area on the right.						
<b>Totals</b>	<b>Par 36</b>	<b>Tournament 3894</b>	<b>Blue 3622</b>	<b>Copper 3407</b>	<b>Yellow 3232</b>	<b>Green 2645</b>