



Los Flamingos

The ideal venue whether for competitions and large tournaments as well as for enjoying a nice and relaxing golf game. As you go around the course, you will perceive the great attention to detail given to ensure the preservation of nature. The 18 hole course, par 71 with is 5714 meters was designed by renowned architect Antonio García Garrido.

Los Flamingos can be found in what can only be described as one of the most beautiful enclaves of the Costa del Sol. From each of the 18 holes you will enjoy breathtaking views of the Mediterranean, Africa and Gibraltar while experiencing all the peace and tranquillity you desire from a golf course. Designed by the famous Spanish Ryder cup player Antonio Garrido, the course was first opened in 2001. It offers an exciting and varied design with ample but tiered greens along with undulating fairways that will impress even the most discerning golfer. A special feature is the "Arroyo del Taraje" stream that passes through the course and ends in a lake that is a natural border for the course at the beginning of holes one and ten. What you will notice is that every detail has been considered and cypress, oranges, olives, pines, carobs and chestnuts are the types of tree that give each hole its own identity.

The course is very enjoyable with a good mixture of both long and short holes. It is demanding for even the most experienced golfer, particularly the front nine holes. Just remember the views if you are not playing well - they are well worth the visit! The par 4 tenth is the most challenging hole where water plays its part. A good tee shot is required to set up the chance of playing over the water to reach the huge but undulating green. There are also two artificial lakes on the fifteenth and the right hand side of the seventeenth that make this even more interesting. Another feature is that all the bunkers are filled with ground marble. Although the course can be walked it is advisable to take advantage of the buggies on offer so you can sit and admire the scenic landscape between shots.

When you have finished playing you can enjoy a drink or snack at the bar-café "La Cantina" where you can admire the beautiful views of the lake, sea and golf course. In the evening, "La Cantina" with its terrace becomes a unique place for celebrating a special evening.

Other facilities include a practice area with putting green and for the golfer with relatively little experience or with limited time there is the short 9 hole Flamingo Blanco to enjoy. Eventually there will be four golf courses here. The pro shop and changing facilities are in the clubhouse which itself is located within the beautiful Hotel Villa Padierna constructed in the style of a Tuscan Villa. It offers all the comforts one expects from a 5 star luxury hotel and is absolutely majestic in appearance and would grace any part of the world. Why not let Med Golf organise your holiday or golfing break here so that you are only a step away from the tee?

Los Flamingos is one of the newest complexes on the Costa del Sol and is becoming increasingly popular. You should let Med Golf arrange your tee time to avoid disappointment. The scenery and the maturity of the course in such a short time is impressive and you should make sure you take time to play here as part of your itinerary.

Additional facilities: restaurant, bar, refreshments on course, changing rooms, showers, parking, clubhouse

Directions: Turn right off the N-340 at km 166 after El Paraiso Golf and before Cancelada. The course is located about 500 metres inland from the main road.

Address: Ctra. De Cadiz, Km 166 (CN 340 - Salida Cancelada), 29669 Benahavis Marbella

Pro:

Designer and date of opening: Antonio Garrido 2001

Number of holes and par: 18 hple par 71

Length off white tees: 5456 m (6002 yards)

Length off yellow tee: 5714 (6286 yards)

LOCAL POLICIES

Cancellations:

The client will be given the following periods of time to provide notification of booking cancellations: Any booking made and confirmed in writing that is not consumed at the agreed time and that has not been cancelled within the stipulated periods shall be considered a **“No Show”**. Any **“No Shows”** will be invoiced to the client at 100%.

Dress code

All the players must be dressed appropriately wearing shirt with collar & sleeves if gents and collar and/or sleeves if ladies, dress trousers or golf skirt and golf shoes. It is not allowed to play in swimsuit, jeans, casual shorts, sport trousers, any kind of tops without collar & sleeves or wearing inappropriate shoes.

Rules of Etiquette

Players are always required to:

- Follow the indications of the Marshall or staff
- Keep their mobile phones silent
- Keep a low tone of voice during the entire course
- Rake bunkers, replace divots and repair pitch marks
- Buggies must stay on the existing paths and keep 10 metres away from greens and tees
- Maintain a good rhythm of playing, trying not to exceed 4h 30m for the 18 holes. In case of slow playing, give way for the players that follow.

It is not permitted:

- Metal golf shoe spikes
- To use range balls on the course
- To share clubs
- To use more than 1 ball per player
- To be accompanied by pets on the course
- More than two persons and two golf bags per buggy
- More than 4 players per flight

Children under 18 years old must be with an adult in every moment. They are not allowed to drive buggies.

If the course is highly occupied the Caddie Master put players together to a four-ball.

Handicap certificates are required with maximum of 28 for men and 36 for ladies

To make your booking all you need to do is complete our booking form and we'll send you your quot