

# NC Statesville

# Bell & Howard

**My Enjoyment:**

3

(0-10)

**Level:**

Blah

**Length** 5855

**18 Holes**    **Date Played** Oct 2009

**Year Established** 2007

**Designer:** Russell Schwarz

**Course Level(s)** White

## I. Design

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Multiple Teepads	1	1 Set
Multiple Basket layouts	1	1 layout
<b>Fairways</b>		
Fairway Rating	5	7 St/ 5 Lt/ 3 R/ 2 S/ 1 L. Lots of variety.
Clear and reasonable Fairways	9	Front extremely clear and open, back all but one hole (13)
Elev. Variety	2	11 F/ 3 Up/ 4 D. All elevation changes on the back 9.
Elevation Differential	2	Front is flat; back has 6 holes with good change, up to 30 ft. diff
Terrain Rating	3	5 G/ 13 Mix. Front is open, back is more interesting
Length variety	6	1 of 175/ 7 of 200-299/ 7 of 300-399/ 3 of 400-450
Green Rating	4	Front = 3, Back = 5
Use of Water	1	Stream on the left side of 17.

## Overall

Course Beauty	3	Front is rather blah, back 9 is much prettier
Hole Safety Issues	10	Good, no issues
Hole Difficulty	6	Front due to length; back due to elevation, trees, and foliage
Fun Factor		
Overall Hole Quality	3	Front = 3, Back = 4

## II. Basics

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
<b>Signs</b>		
Signs: well marked	10	Excellent. Metal with hole map and sponsor
<b>Tees</b>		
Tee Pad Design- esp. Length	10	
Tee Pad Material	10	Raked concrete
Tee Pad Condition	10	Very good
<b>Baskets</b>		
Baskets	8	DISCatcher- double chain
Baskets easy to find	5	Front 9 wide open. Can't see 10, 12, 13, 15, 16, 18
<b>Other</b>		
Ease of Navigation	4	Tee 11 very hard to find
Rough - Fair yet adequate	2	Front too open; back 9 can be thick
Lost Disc Potential	7	Some thicker rough on the back 9
Beauty of Surrounding Area	4	Suburbia

### III. Amenities

	<u>Rating</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Map of the course	0	Needed
Restrooms	0	None
Score Cards	0	None
Current Basket Positions	5	[Not applicable]
Warm up Basket	0	None
Message Board	0	None
Benches and trash cans	0	None

### Special Features

#### Miscellaneous

There can be lots of wind on the open front 9.

#### Holes Birdied

none

#### Favorite Hole(s)

12. A long tight, slightly downhill S curve fairway where you have to hit your lines.

#### Toughest Hole(s)

3. White Score Avg of 3.7 on a par 3, there are more trees than on the other front 9 holes too.

#### Comments

I'd only play here again if I was driving by on I-40 anyway and had some time to kill. Even then I'd only play the back 9 and skip the front.

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