

# NC Wilson

# Lake Wilson

**My Enjoyment:** 8.5 (0-10)

**Enjoyment:** Very High

**Length** 5920

**18 Holes**    **Date Played** Oct 2011

**Year Established** 2010

**Designer:** Russell Scwharz

**Course Level(s)** White

## I. Design

|                               | <u>Rating</u> | <u>Comments</u>   |
|-------------------------------|---------------|---|
| Multiple Teepads              | 1             | 1 set. Drop zone tee on 5; Alt tee on 18                        |
| Multiple Basket layouts       | 1             | 1 layout  |
| <b>Fairways</b>               |               |   |
| Fairway Rating                | 7             | 4 Lt/ 4 R/ 9 St/ 1 S. Half are straight.                        |
| Clear and reasonable Fairways | 8             | Most are good, but 13 and 14 each need one tree cut             |
| Elev. Variety                 | 4             | 5 Up/ 4 D/ 9 Flat. Half are flat                                |
| Elevation Differential        | 2             | Minimal changes. Max are +6 and -8. Half of the holes are flat. |
| Terrain Rating                | 7             | 4 Woods/ 13 Mix/ 1 Open. Water holes are the nicest!            |
| Length variety                | 9             | 2 of 180-185/ 8 of 200-299/ 4 of 300-399/ 430, 560, 565, 680    |
| Green Rating                  | 6             | Above average; quite a few are rather open                      |
| Use of Water                  | 10            | In play or in view on 16 holes!                                 |

## Overall

|                      |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|
| Course Beauty        | 8 | I love water, and the lake was beautiful!                         |
| Hole Safety Issues   | 7 | Some walking trails and dog walkers could get in the way          |
| Hole Difficulty      | 6 | Above avg for White level. Difficulty ranges from 4 to 9.         |
| Overall Hole Quality | 8 | I enjoyed the back 9 more than the front, esp holes by the water. |

## II. Basics

### Baskets

|                      |   |                                     |
|----------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Baskets              | 8 | DISCatcher- double chain. Some rust |
| Baskets easy to find | 7 | Can't see 11, 12, 14, 15, 16        |

### Tees

|                             |   |   |
|-----------------------------|---|---|
| Tee Pad Design- esp. Length | 6 | Fine  |
| Tee Pad Material            | 4 | Gravel; they have the potential to get uneven |
| Tee Pad Condition           | 5 | Average                                       |

### Signs

|                    |   |                     |
|--------------------|---|---------------------|
| Signs: well marked | 4 | Metal with map, par |
|--------------------|---|---------------------|

### Other

|                            |    |   |
|----------------------------|----|---|
| Ease of Navigation         | 10 | No problems                                 |
| Rough - Fair yet adequate  | 9  | Not much and manageable where it is in play |
| Lost Disc Potential        | 5  | Some discs could be lost in the water       |
| Beauty of Surrounding Area | 6  | On the outskirts of a small town.           |

### III. Amenities

|                          | <u>Rating</u> | <u>Comments</u>                              |
|--------------------------|---------------|--|
| Map of the course        | 9             | Online. Colorful, very helpful               |
| Restrooms                | 0             | None   |
| Score Cards              | 0             |  |
| Current Basket Positions | 5             | [Not applicable]                             |
| Warm up Basket           | 0             |  |
| Message Board            | 0             |  |
| Benches and trash cans   | 8             | Many trash cans; benches but not just for DG |

### Special Features

(A) Water! Lake can be seen, but is not in play, on holes 6, 8, 10, 11, 15, 17; (B) Wind of the lake + water means lots of Risk vs. Reward. (C) I love the carpet of pine needles on holes 13-15. (C) Cotton and tobacco fields to the right of holes 6 and 10.

### Miscellaneous

A) On 16, the tee needs to be realigned. The view is gorgeous but the drive requires an impossible ~500 ft drive to the nearest landing zone. I teed off left at a 60 degree angle to the front. B) On 18, with the long walk around the finger of the lake t

### Holes Birdied

1, 17 (3 on a par 4)

### Favorite Hole(s)

15. A beautiful hole with the lake on the right side.

### Toughest Hole(s)

12. Long and narrow in the trees. It has a White Score Avg of 4.5 on a par 4 hole.

### Comments

I love water, so I really like this course! Some of the basics like tees and signs could be strengthened, but the beauty of the water overcomes these drawbacks. It was well worth the 1 hour drive to play, and I want to go back again soon!