



## NEWS

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### FACT SHEET 2019 WASTE MANAGEMENT PHOENIX OPEN PRESENTED BY THE AK-CHIN INDIAN COMMUNITY

**DATES:** Tournament Week: January 28 – February 3, 2019  
72-hole PGA TOUR event: Thursday, Jan. 31 – Sunday, Feb. 3  
Part of the PGA TOUR's FedExCup  
(84th annual event that was first played in 1932 – 5<sup>th</sup> oldest on  
PGA TOUR)

**TITLE SPONSOR:** Waste Management, Inc. (**WM**)

**PRESENTING SPONSOR:** The Ak-Chin Indian Community

**SITE:** TPC Scottsdale

TPC Stadium Course designed by Jay Morrish and Tom Weiskopf (1986), Redesigned  
by Tom Weiskopf in 2014.

Par: 35-36--71, Yards: 7,261

1: 403 yards, par 4	10: 428 yards, par 4
2: 442 yards, par 4	11: 472 yards, par 4
3: 558 yards, par 5	12: 192 yards, par 3
4: 183 yards, par 3	13: 558 yards, par 5
5: 470 yards, par 4	14: 490 yards, par 4
6: 432 yards, par 4	15: 553 yards, par 5
7: 215 yards, par 3	16: 163 yards, par 3
8: 475 yards, par 4	17: 332 yards, par 4
9: 453 yards, par 4	18: 442 yards, par 4
Out: 3,631 yards, par 35	In: 3,630 yards, par 3

### 2019 WASTE MANAGEMENT PHOENIX OPEN CALENDAR OF EVENTS (subject to change)

#### MONDAY, JANUARY 28

Practice Rounds for PGA TOUR pros only  
9:30 a.m. — Kadima.Ventures Pro-Am, TPC Scottsdale Stadium Course

## **TUESDAY, JANUARY 29**

Practice Rounds for PGA TOUR pros only

10:00 a.m. — R.S. Hoyt Jr. Family Foundation Dream Day Activities

- Motivational Speeches by PGA TOUR Professionals
- Trick Shot Show
- Junior Golf Clinic Presented by PING
- Located on the TPC Scottsdale Champions Course Practice Range

11:00 a.m. — San Tan Ford Special Olympics Open

Located at the TPC Scottsdale Stadium Course Putting Green, the Special Olympics Open features Special Olympian athletes, celebrities or sports stars and business leaders from the community. The event is open to all ticket holders and media and lasts about an hour.

## **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30**

8:30 a.m. — Annexus Pro-Am, TPC Scottsdale Stadium Course

3:30 p.m. — Phoenix Suns Charities Shot at Glory, TPC Scottsdale 16<sup>th</sup> hole

3:30 p.m. — Coors Light Birds Nest entertainment tent opens

## **THURSDAY, JANUARY 31**

7:30 a.m. — Waste Management Phoenix Open 1st round

3:30 p.m. — Coors Light Birds Nest entertainment tent opens

## **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1**

7:30 a.m. — Waste Management Phoenix Open 2nd round

3:30 p.m. — Coors Light Birds Nest entertainment tent opens

## **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2**

9:00 a.m. — Waste Management Phoenix Open 3rd round

3:30 p.m. — Coors Light Birds Nest entertainment tent opens

**ALL DAY GREEN OUT – EVERYBODY IS ENCOURAGED TO WEAR GREEN TO SUPPORT THE GREEN/ECO-SENSITIVE EFFORTS OF THE TOURNAMENT**

## **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3**

9:00 am — Waste Management Phoenix Open 4th round

## **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4**

9:00 a.m. — Ewing Post Open – TPC Stadium Course

**PURSE: \$7,100,000**

**WINNER'S SHARE: \$1,278,000**

**FIELD: 132 players (cut to low 70 & ties after 36 holes)**

**DEFENDING CHAMPION:** Gary Woodland (-18) 266 – \$1,242,000

**TELEVISION:** First two rounds are scheduled to be televised live in Phoenix on Golf Channel in the afternoon, then rounds three and four will be televised on Golf Channel in the morning and on NBC in the afternoon.

*(TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)*

**Thursday, Jan. 31**

1 p.m. – 5 p.m. (Golf Channel)

**Friday, Feb. 1**

1 p.m. – 5 p.m. (Golf Channel)

**Saturday, Feb. 2**

12 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. (Golf Channel)

2 p.m. – 5 p.m. (NBC)

**Sunday, Feb. 3**

11 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. (Golf Channel)

1 p.m. – 4 p.m. (NBC)

**CHARITIES**

The Waste Management Phoenix Open and the tournament host Thunderbirds raise money for charities, most of which provide programs that benefit youth. Recent beneficiaries include Phoenix Children's Hospital, First Tee of Phoenix, Special Olympics Arizona, Homeward Bound, Boys & Girls Clubs, YMCA, Waste Not, Junior Golf Association of Arizona, Elevate Phoenix, A New Leaf and Tumbleweed. The 2017 Waste Management Phoenix Open raised more than \$10.1 million dollars for charity, setting a tournament record, and The Thunderbirds have raised more than \$122 million in the tournament's 82-year history.

**TICKETS**

**Daily general admission is FREE on Monday and Tuesday thanks to Ford Free Days, \$45 Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday, and \$60 Friday and Saturday.**

Children ages 17 & under are free when accompanied by an adult. The Waste Management Phoenix Open is never sold out and tickets will be available at the gate during tournament week. Advance daily general admission tickets will be available until Friday, Jan. 25, 2019, at all Ticketmaster ticket centers, by phone at (800) 745-3000 and online via [www.wmphoenixopen.com](http://www.wmphoenixopen.com) or [www.ticketmaster.com](http://www.ticketmaster.com).

**COORS LIGHT BIRDS NEST**

The popular Waste Management Phoenix Open entertainment tent returns Wednesday through Saturday evenings. The Birds Nest is located directly across from the tournament entrance at the corner of 82nd St and Bell Road. Visit [www.coorslightbirdsnest.com](http://www.coorslightbirdsnest.com) for more information.

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## **PARKING**

Public Parking (with shuttle access to the tournament gates) is **FREE**. From the WEST, public parking is at Loop 101 and Hayden Road (**Lot H**). We recommend that eastbound Loop 101 drivers exit at Hayden, and drive south into the parking lot. From the EAST, parking is at WestWorld (**Lot W**). We recommend that drivers exit Frank Lloyd Wright Blvd., then drive north to Bell Road on 94th street, then into the parking lot entrance. The FREE shuttles from Lot H will operate Monday and Tuesday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Wednesday through Saturday from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.; and Sunday from 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. The FREE shuttles from Lot W will operate Wednesday through Saturday from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.; and Sunday from 7 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. ***THERE IS NO SHUTTLE SERVICE FROM LOT W ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY.***

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