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NK'MIP CANYON DESERT COURSE OKANAGAN VALLEY

Owned and operated by the Osoyoos Indian Band, Nk'Mip Canyon is a championship course which re-opened after a major renovation in 2001. Its local designers listened to the symmetry of the elevated land to the north of the original nine and responded with a daring reply – adding 13 expansion holes and renovating five existing ones. The result is a striking blend of natural contrasts divided into the desert-dominated Canyon Nine which delights in throwing the elements at an unwary golfer, and the more laid-back Grove Nine whose verdant fairways and greens welcome a long drive and a satisfying putt. You will play through the spectacular vineyard, sage and stone vistas and watch the sun play tricks on the mountains.

Centuries before the course was created, the Okanagan people who lived here had formed an affinity with the canyons, the wildlife, the wind and the water that nurtured their lives and added dimension to this region of the valley. The course design is part desert, part links. Desert golf requires you to carefully place your tee shot, and although not short at 6729 yards from the championship tees, length off the tee is not necessary on most holes. The farther you drive the ball the narrower the fairways become and it is far more important to keep your ball in play.

This is a great walking course and doing so will give you time to savour the tranquillity and silence of the landscape, marvelling at the extraordinary desert vistas which form the very northern reaches of the Sonoran desert, extending more than a thousand miles south. After your round, you can enjoy some fine wine in the spectacular adobe style clubhouse, featuring 20 foot high ceilings and great views of the 263 acres of Nk'mip vineyard.



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