

Edgemont Disc Golf Course AGM Update

What's New?

The Edgemont Disc Golf Committee (“EDGC”) continues to run the trial disc golf course on the west side of John Laurie Park. Based on feedback from players, Edgemont residents, the City of Calgary and the Edgemont Community Association (“ECA”), the EDGC designed an 11 hole course (see map), which prioritizes safety and minimizes disruptions to existing infrastructure, while ensuring a high amount of fun for players of all skill levels. The Edgemont disc golf course was carefully planned to be beginner friendly to encourage new player and family participation.

Next Steps

The next steps for Edgemont Disc Golf Course are as follows:

- June/July - Continue to run the trial course and seek feedback.
- June - Install temporary baskets for a weekend and run an introduction to disc golf for residents.
- June/July - Hold a virtual open house to review final layouts, review signage, review baskets, and answer any additional questions.
- July – Finalize funding and grant applications. EDGC has secured \$17,500 in grants. \$10,000 from Parks Foundation and \$7500 from Calgary Foundation.
- July/August – Order baskets, finalize signage for holes and course maps.
- July/August – Receive final approval and sign off from Calgary Parks for construction.
- July/August - Course build. Install baskets and signage.
- Summer 2022 – Install tee pads. EDGC proposes to delay the installation of tee pads for one year to assess the impact disc golf has on the surrounding area.

How can I help get the Disc Golf course built?

If you would like to see this project come to fruition, the EDGC encourages you to go and play a round at the course and send your thoughts to discgolf@edgemont.ab.ca. The EDGC further asks you to record your round on the Udisc App and encourage friends and family to do the same. The more positive momentum built will help ensure that disc golf in Edgemont can become a reality.

For further updates on the disc golf course, please check the Edgemont Community Association’s website at www.edgemont.ab.ca or follow the ECA on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram.

Should you have any questions or concerns, or would like to become involved with the Edgemont Disc Golf course project, the EDGC asks you to send your queries to discgolf@edgemont.ab.ca.

