



Jug Mountain Ranch Ranked 2nd Best New Course by Golf Digest

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MCCALL -- Jug Mountain Ranch, located 7 miles south of McCall, was ranked the No. 2 Best New Public Golf Course under \$75 in Golf Digest's annual survey.

A panel of over 800 golfers rated courses based on shot values, design variety, resistance to scoring, memorability and aesthetics. The January 2008 issue ranked the top courses across the country that opened between May 1, 2006 and April 30, 2007.

"We are thrilled to represent Idaho and the McCall area with this national honor," said David Carey, family owner of Jug Mountain Ranch. "McCall is an ideal setting for golf; our goal has always been to showcase the natural beauty the Ranch has to offer. With the recognition Osprey Meadows at Tamarack received last year, it is clear that this area has become a true destination for golf."

The par 72 championship course opened its first nine holes in 2004 and completed the second nine holes in August of 2006. The course was designed by Don Knott, of Knott-Brooks-Linn Golf Design Group, an environmentally sensitive architect whose work includes the widely acclaimed Links at Spanish Bay (Pebble Beach), Rancho La Quinta, Sun Valley Resort and more than 60 other courses around the world. The course is the newest edition to the Idaho Golf Trail, which includes some of Idaho's premier golf courses.

Jug Mountain Ranch sits on a 1,410-acre private residential community, set beneath Jughandle Mountain's rugged peak.