

Golf events from the Scotch Open to Golf-toberfest, showcase the best the resort has to offer.

COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO: When asked what to bring during a trip to Coeur d'Alene Resort, head golf professional Andy Mackimmie's answer wasn't typical. "I imagine you would expect me to suggest sticking your lob wedge or trusted driver in your bag," said Andy. "My advice? Bring your friends.

"Our resort is not a plain vanilla golf experience and we have so many themed outings and tournaments, there is always something on the calendar."



Dressing the part at the Scotch Open.

BAGPIPERS TO BRATWURSTS

Two themed events celebrate their 10th anniversary at the resort next year.

"Our Scotch Open, held in April, and Golf-toberfest, which takes place in October, both sell out quickly," explained Andy. "During the Scotch Open, it has become tradition for several groups to dress in kilts. The fun day of golf includes several Scotch tastings. This may help, or hurt, your chances as you approach the 14th hole and its island green. If the indulgence isn't enough to steady your nerves and your ball finds the lake, you are in good company. We pull 25,000 golf balls from the water each season."

Coeur d'Alene Resort's annual Golf-toberfest takes place later this month. "With the chill of fall in the air, the combination of spicy bratwurst and seasonal harvest beers seems appropriate," commented Andy.

"If you can't join us for one of our golf events, we can coordinate a day on the course to suit your needs, from a buddies golf outing to a board of directors annual retreat," said Andy. "Our lakefront golf course, accented by a vivid color palette of 1,500 wild flowers, 25,000 junipers and 30,000 geraniums during season is well suited to create the ultimate experience."

For more information on 2017 golf packages and special offers, please visit CDAResort.com or call (800) 688-5253.

THE COEUR D'ALENE RESORT, in addition to its beautiful lakeside golf course, offers 338 guest rooms, most with lake views and private balconies, nine restaurants and lounges, a world-class spa, four tennis courts, and 32,000 square feet of event space highlighted by the Hagadone Event Center, which overlooks the famous floating green.