



The Oasis Short Course opens at Cabo's premier golf destination.

CABO SAN LUCAS, MEXICO: Roger Clemens, 11-time All Star, two-time World Series champion, and seven-time Cy Young Award winner, has been busy in retirement. "I can't believe it! I am now a granddad," said Clemens. "My son Koby and his wife Callie had twin boys. I guess I'm going to have to renew my relationships with the folks at Disney. I imagine trips to see Mickey are around the corner."

Roger's time is split among family (watching his two younger boys play at the University of Texas), the Houston Astros, golf, and raising funds for the Roger Clemens Foundation.



"I also try to sneak in a few University of Oklahoma football games with my good buddy Toby Keith," said Clemens. "He is the ultimate Boomer Sooner."

Golf is a big part of Roger's life in retirement, so it is fitting that Diamante Cabo San Lucas has become his favorite resort destination in Cabo over the years. "Diamante has the best golf in Mexico and some of the best in the world."

Roger participated in Diamante's grand opening of the Tiger Woods designed Oasis Short Course in December 2016.

"It's a fun par-3, 12-hole course," pro-

"I'VE ALWAYS LOVED THE OLD, TRADITIONAL LAYOUTS by MacKenzie, Ross, and Tillinghast. Their courses have influenced my design philosophy. I designed EL CARDONAL AT DIAMANTE to make you think. You must be willing to weigh risks and make smart choices." – TIGER WOODS

THE DUNES COURSE, designed by Davis Love III, is currently ranked by *Golf Magazine* as the 38th best course in the world and the No. 1 rated course in Latin America. Diamante's residence club and real estate offerings will allow you to customize your membership to match your travel schedule."

– BRENT UNDERDAHL, DIRECTOR OF SALES, DIAMANTE



claimed Clemens. "I found it a little nerve-racking because I don't practice my wedge game. It was enjoyable to play with Tiger during the event. We have become good acquaintances over the years. I love talking about the mental aspects of the game with him. I reminded him that 40 years old is by no means old."

During the inaugural round of the Short Course, Tiger and Roger went head to head in a little friendly competition in front of hundreds of Diamante members. Tiger started the round birdie, birdie. But, Roger had a surprise up his sleeve. "On the final hole, I brought out a couple of baseballs and gloves," recalled Clemens. "We took turns trying to lob baseballs from the tee to the green, a task that is harder than it might sound. Tiger is one heck of an athlete. His throwing technique is more like a mid-infielder who kicks his leg up."

ONE OF THE MOST AMBITIOUS GOLF DEVELOPMENTS

The depth of amenities at Diamante is among the best in Los Cabos. In addition to its Tiger Woods and Davis Love III courses, it has a 1.5-mile white sand beach, a 10-acre saltwater lagoon, a kids' camp, multiple restaurants, a members' only spa, and a sports activity center—and now Tiger's Oasis Short Course.

The 14-acre practice facility at the Dunes Course is unlike anything else you will find in golf. Its four hitting bays are separated by large stone formations for privacy.

Surround sound rock music plays softly in the background and complimentary drinks and cooked-to-order snacks are served at the adjacent Slider Bar.

"The Love Course is spectacular and Tiger's course is really fun to play," detailed Clemens.

"My wife Debbie and I travel to Diamante a couple of times per year. It is one of our favorite destinations and it keeps getting better. The man-made lagoon is unbelievable and jumping off the trampolines into the clear water makes me feel like a kid again. Diamante offers everything you could want to do with your family. The developer, Ken Jowdy, has a master plan that is well thought out. It seems every time we visit, something new has been added.

"I have been in my fair share of fitness facilities over the years," continued Clemens. "My routine at Diamante includes an early morning workout in its modern facilities and then trek to the back part of the property to run 'The Dune Hill' barefoot. It may not look like an intimidating challenge, but I promise it will take your breath away. When I reach the top and pause to recover, my breath is taken away again by the calming Pacific Ocean views." ■

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