



## REFLECTION BAY GOLF CLUB

# A Good Steward of the Land

*Five holes play directly alongside the lake. Its signature par-3, No. 8 is where you are most likely to lose a golf ball. Your target is the left half of the green, no matter the pin position.*



High Performance  
Golf Institute at  
Lake Las Vegas



HENDERSON, NEVADA (30 minutes from the Las Vegas Strip): Although gambling is synonymous with the Silver State, golf is a major contributor to the economy. In a recent study, \$1.9 billion was generated annually in golf tourism (direct and indirect revenue) and supported 17,000 jobs.

One of the iconic golf retreats outside Las Vegas is Reflection Bay Golf Course at Lake Las Vegas. Its Jack Nicklaus Signature design plays around the largest man-made lake in Nevada that holds roughly three *billion* gallons of water. “It’s not often you get the opportunity in a body of water like this, in a setting like Lake Las Vegas, to design a golf course. Reflection Bay Golf Club is a pretty special place with a course I’m proud of,” lauded Jack Nicklaus.

### VOTED “BEST IN VEGAS”

As Reflection Bay Golf Course approached its 25th anniversary, renewal, with a nod to the environment, is in the air. “Our city’s population is expected to double in the next 50 years,” explained Eric Dutt, director of golf

operations at Reflection Bay. “No matter what Mother Nature throws at us, one thing is clear, access to fresh water will be an omnipresent issue. So, during our upcoming renovation, we chose to sod our new greens with paspalum. The benefit will be a water savings of 3 to 5 percent with better playing conditions!”

Lake Las Vegas has been an ambitious development from its inception. The destination provides an ideal combination of an expansive practice golf facility, Westin and Hilton hotels, 10 miles of shoreline with acres of white sandy beach, multiple dining and shopping diversions, and a modern fitness and swim club.

“I like to refer to us as the Newport Beach [California] of the desert,” said Dutt. “They have access to the Pacific Ocean while we have access to a large, pristine lake. While we are much warmer during the summer, our upscale lifestyle and access to fine dining and a village of shops provide a similar feel.” ■

For information, please visit [www.ReflectionBayGolf.com](http://www.ReflectionBayGolf.com).

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**“We provide a sense of calm and quiet when compared to the nearby Strip.** The setting is magnificent. As you view the reflection in the lake of the cluster of palm greens hugging the 18th green, your mind is set for a perfect day.” — ERIC DUTT, DIRECTOR OF GOLF OPERATIONS