# Dominican Republic Mickey Walker Golf Tour 12<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2016

The Tortuga Bay is an exquisite boutique beach hotel at Punta Cana, this is a special property where attention to detail is everything. Every unit has a villa manager to look after you during your stay, personal attention here is paramount. The privacy and tranquility is a major feature at Tortuga Bay, with stunning lead in rooms, great staff and ambience, superb cuisine and an excellent beach club and just a short shuttle away access to the Six Senses Spa which is one of the finest spas in the Caribbean. The hotel has a stunning white sand beach and close proximity to the impressive La Cana 27 hole golf course, which has such an impressive golf clubhouse and courtesy transfers are available to this course and indeed to the premium course designed by Tom Fazio, the amazing Corales.

One of the other big advantages of the hotel is that the owners also own the airport at Punta Cana (the largest privately owned airport in the world), this means that when you arrive or depart you have access to the totally unique express VIP Fast Track facility. You are picked up at your aircraft in a golf buggy and whisked away through immigration in a very fast and efficient manner, you can be at the resort in less than 1 hour from landing - amazing! Similarly on departure you can avoid all queues and go straight through to a VIP lounge off the main departure lounge and then taken out in a buggy across the runway to the plane.

## **Dining:** All inclusive Food and Beverage

You can dine at the hotel restaurant called Bamboo which is fine dining. You can also dine at their restaurant on the Marina called La Yola (restricted to one visit per stay only), Playa Blanca Beach Seafood/Fish restaurant and the two restaurants at the Westin Punta Cana Resort — so you have a choice of 5 restaurants. You are also entitled to complimentary beverages from the buggy bars and lunches at the Corales and La Cana Golf Clubs. **NB:** Food and beverages at Punta Espada Golf Club are not included.









#### La Cana

27 holes of magnificent golf on the ocean side – in fact 14 of the 27 holes have direct ocean view, all designed by PB Dye one of America's finest architects. The three nines are Tortuga, Hacienda and Arrecife. This is one of the first courses in the Caribbean to be designed with paspalum grass. La Cana is a little easier than Corales, but definitely one of the Caribbean's top 5 courses.

#### Corales

Corales is an exhilarating golf course with very generous wide fairways, beautifully manicured, a multitude of fairways bunkers and greenside bunkers, raised greens and the difficulty here is all about the approach play and the chipping and putting rather than difficult tee shots. Holes 7,8 and 9 and 16 -18 are the stand out holes, but honestly one could argue that the inland holes here at Corales are the best holes! Corales is a superior course to La Cana and caddies are mandatory only payable locally, who accompany you on your buggy and the fee is US \$30 per 18 holes plus a tip of circa US \$30 minimum.

#### Punta Espada

Situated in the exclusive Cap Cana Estate close to Punta Cana, the course has stimulating ocean views on all 18 holes with a dramatic climax to your round right alongside the ocean on holes 16-18. However the Signature hole is the incredible par 5 second hole from the top of a cliff sweeping left to right around a sea of bunkers to a green located next to the Ocean. Punta Espada was designed by Jack Nicklaus as one of his Signature courses in 2009 he wrote ~

"Nowhere else in the world will the golf experience be like this" Jack Nicklaus

### <u>Flights</u>

Elegant Golf Resorts recommend the **BA** flights from Gatwick to Punta Cana (approx. 8.5 hours). Probable flight times are outbound 14.05 – 19.20 and inbound 20.50 – 08.55.

Elegant Golf Resorts estimated current costs:

- Economy From £699 per person
- Premium Economy From £999 per person
- Club World From £1,599 per person



## Package includes:

- Main Group arrival 12-22 November 2016 (Saturday Outbound to Tuesday Inbound) 10 nights
- Based on 2 sharing Junior Suite sea facing at Tortuga Bay Punta Cana Resort & Club
- All inclusive food & beverage
- Fast Track VIP Service on arrival & departure (allowing quick transfers through airport in both directions)
- Private luxury airport transfers to Punta Cana
- Golf Shuttle transfers to all 3 golf courses
- 3 rounds of golf on La Cana with buggy included
- 3 rounds of golf on Corales with caddy (mandatory)
   US \$30 caddies fee plus US \$30 tip
- 1 round of golf on Punta Espada with caddy (mandatory) US \$30 fee plus US \$30 tip

**NB:** Tipping of caddies is mandatory

Ground Package Price: £4,500 per person Non Golfer Price: £3,700 when sharing with golfer Single Room Supplement: £1,500

Initial deposit of £200pp for the ground package, with an additional £300pp when the flights come on sale. The balance is due 8 weeks prior to departure.

This event will only go ahead with 12 guests

**NB:** BA flights are on sale from 1<sup>st</sup> December 2015, so exact costs and timings will be known then.

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