

## Golf Trivia: Questions, Answers, and Facts Printable Trivia Pack

Golf trivia spans centuries of history, from the game's early development in Scotland to the global major championships that define it today. This page offers a family-friendly mix of easy, funny, and challenging facts about iconic courses, memorable players, and the traditions that make golf distinctive.

### HARD GOLF TRIVIA

1. In what year did the Ryder Cup begin?

Answer: 1927

2. What was the starting year of the Masters Tournament?

Answer: 1934

3. Which year marks the beginning of the PGA Championship?

Answer: 1916

4. When was the first U.S. Open played?

Answer: 1895

5. The LPGA Tour was founded in what year?

Answer: 1950

6. What year saw the first Solheim Cup?

Answer: 1990

7. Golf returned to the Olympics at Rio in which year?

Answer: 2016

8. Who became the first Italian men's major champion in 2018?

Answer: Francesco Molinari

9. Who won The Open at Royal Portrush in 2019?

Answer: Shane Lowry

10. Which player won The Open at Royal St George's in 2021?

Answer: Collin Morikawa

11. Who captured the U.S. Open title in 2022?

Answer: Matt Fitzpatrick

12. By how many strokes did Tiger Woods win the 2000 U.S. Open?

Answer: 15 strokes

13. How many Masters titles did Jack Nicklaus win?

Answer: 6

14. How many Masters victories does Tiger Woods have?

Answer: 5

#### FUNNY GOLF TRIVIA

1. Which actor took a swing as the star of the 1996 golf movie 'Tin Cup'?

Answer: Kevin Costner

2. What 1996 golf movie shares its title with a piece of course hardware?

Answer: Tin Cup

3. What do golfers call an unofficial do-over shot in casual play?

Answer: mulligan

4. What slang term describes a golf ball half-buried in sand?

Answer: fried egg

5. In golf slang, what chilly nickname means a score of eight on one hole?

Answer: snowman

6. What is another name for a hole-in-one?

Answer: ace

7. If a player is two over par on a hole, what score term applies?

Answer: double bogey

8. A golfer who scores better on the inward half than the outward half made a negative split on which side of the course?

Answer: back nine

9. What warning shout should you yell for an errant ball?

Answer: fore

10. What's the casual-play word for a very short putt that's conceded?

Answer: gimme

11. What nickname do golfers use for the clubhouse bar?

Answer: 19th hole

12. Which term describes a very low shot that scoots near the ground?

Answer: worm burner

13. For a right-handed player, what do you call a low shot that curves sharply left?

Answer: duck hook

#### FUN GOLF TRIVIA

1. Which event is staged across three Scottish courses?

Answer: The Alfred Dunhill Links Championship

2. Royal Melbourne Golf Club is located on which continent?

Answer: Australia

3. Who founded the Ping golf equipment company?

Answer: Karsten Solheim

4. Which course designer created the Stadium Course at TPC Sawgrass?

Answer: Pete Dye

5. TPC Sawgrass is the home of which championship?

Answer: The Players Championship

6. Who won the U.S. Open in 1999?

Answer: Payne Stewart

7. What iconic clothing item does the Masters champion receive?

Answer: Green Jacket

8. Which trophy goes to the winner of The Open Championship?

Answer: Claret Jug

9. What is the name of the trophy awarded to the PGA Championship winner?

Answer: Wanamaker Trophy

10. The USGA presents what silver cup to the U.S. Open winner?

Answer: U.S. Open trophy

11. Which women's golf organization was founded in 1950?

Answer: LPGA

12. What golf body was founded in 1916?

Answer: PGA of America

13. Which governing body dates back to 1894?

Answer: USGA

#### GOLF FAMILY TRIVIA

1. Which golf great helped co-found Augusta National Golf Club?

Answer: Bobby Jones

2. What is the famous three-hole stretch at Augusta National called?

Answer: Amen Corner

3. What is the white footbridge at Augusta National's 12th hole called?

Answer: Hogan Bridge

4. Pebble Beach Golf Links is located in which U.S. state?

Answer: California

5. Bethpage Black can be found on which New York island?

Answer: Long Island

6. In which country is Royal Troon?

Answer: Scotland

7. Which club is located in Northern Ireland: Royal Portrush Golf Club or Carnoustie Golf Links?

Answer: Royal Portrush Golf Club

8. Carnoustie Golf Links is in what country?

Answer: Scotland

9. Oakmont Country Club is in which state?

Answer: Pennsylvania

10. Pinehurst Resort is located in what state?

Answer: North Carolina

11. Kiawah Island is found in which state?

Answer: South Carolina

12. What course at TPC Sawgrass sits in Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida?

Answer: Stadium Course

#### EASY GOLF TRIVIA

1. What is the golf term for finishing a hole one under par?

Answer: birdie

2. If a player scores one over par on a hole, what is that called?

Answer: bogey

3. Which scoring name means two under par on a single hole?

Answer: eagle

4. What do golfers call a score of three under par on one hole?

Answer: albatross

5. In golf, what is the sandy hazard usually called?

Answer: bunker

6. At which club is the Masters played every year?

Answer: Augusta National Golf Club

7. Which event is the team match between Europe and the United States?

Answer: Ryder Cup

8. Which legendary golfer was known as 'The Golden Bear'?

Answer: Jack Nicklaus

9. Who won the 1997 Masters?

Answer: Tiger Woods

10. The famous Old Course is located in what town?

Answer: St Andrews

11. Which tournament is one of golf's four men's major championships?

Answer: U.S. Open

12. What championship is often called the British Open?

Answer: The Open Championship

13. Which star won four Masters titles?

Answer: Arnold Palmer

Source: <https://triviagong.com/themes/golf>