

About GRITTYGOLFGUIDE

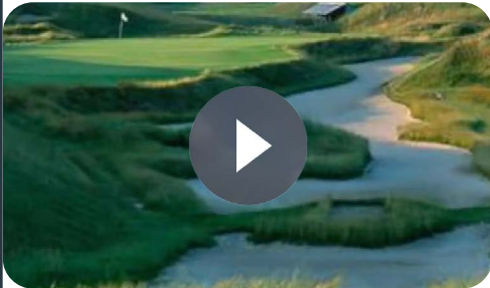
A Dyeabolical Experience



Meet Jeff Klaiber

(AKA Captain Von Sandtrap: The Guy Behind The Grit).

Golf course architect, designer, craftsman. As a former protégé of world-renowned golf course architect Pete Dye, Jeff has spent decades in the trenches, literally, designing and dirt sculpting the most maddening, seemingly impossible courses in the world, with meticulous detail. The vision behind these iconic courses is to challenge the players' strengths and expose their weaknesses, creating the love/hate relationship with this game most golfers can't resist. Now Jeff is sharing his unique perspective and know-how through an exclusive opportunity with other golf enthusiasts as the Gritty Golf Guide. During his private excursions, players will get a behind-the-scenes look at golf course architectural critique at the highest level, play on some of the world's most majestic golf destinations, and develop a deeper appreciation for the best game in the world. With the Gritty Golf Guide by your side, you'll experience golf like you've never imagined.



At Gritty Golf Guide, we are passionate about the game of golf, yet we don't take ourselves too seriously. In a relaxed, high-touch atmosphere, you'll deepen your understanding of the game, discovering the "you don't know what you don't know" about the game you think you know everything about. Unearth the evil intentions of golf course architects and how to neutralize and combat them on the course. Experience the creation of architectural memorability, designed to simultaneously provide excitement, challenge and frustration. While playing on some of the most coveted courses in the world, you'll get an inside perspective on important elements that impact the game, such as creative drainage, course balance and a personal favorite, the exact line between success and failure.

This is the opportunity of a lifetime to experience golf alongside an expert and completely engulf yourself in the game you love. We offer everything from one-on-one sessions to group excursions so players can choose a custom experience that matches their style. Now, we can't guarantee you will go home with a better back swing. But, with Gritty Golf Guide, we can guarantee lots of laughter and the skills to become the best golf course architectural critic at your club. Create life-long memories that will impact your next round of golf and those thereafter.

“Aspiring golf architect attends fine school, learns to design with pens, paper and principles. Then he apprentices with a world famous designer, hops on a tractor and doesn't see or pick up a pen for years. From academic and hypothetical to brilliant and real. Shares all he's learned and thought as well as the reflective brilliance of one of the world's most unique golf course architects. Also lots of delightfully funny stories.” –Ward Holmquist

Testimonials



“If you want to play some of the toughest, bucket list courses in Europe, Jeff is your man. The Open courses we played kicked our arses and bunkers certainly kept me grounded, but the tour guide made sure with the on course banter!! Oh and he happily makes it easy to give it back as he hits a 1-iron badly any chance he gets... can't wait for the next trip! Just tell me where and when.”

–Peter, Dublin, Ireland

“I have been on a couple of golf trips with Jeff. Both were a lot of fun. His knowledge of golf course design and architecture coupled with the interesting people he has met and worked with, allows him to share many interesting stories and tidbits. Listening to stories about Pete Dye or Greg Norman or listening to why a certain golf hole is designed the way it is, adds significant enjoyment to a regular golf trip.”

–Keith, Pinehurst, North Carolina

“I am a below average golfer, but wanted to see the pinnacle of golf challenge, playing strict rules of golf from the championship tees. I shot 220 and had the time of my life. I think Jeff had more fun watching me than playing his own ball.” –Steve, St. Louis.

“I have played golf religiously for decades, but until Jeff first took me to one of these monster courses, I had no idea the level of challenge pros face daily. Thanks to his guidance, I look at golf in an entirely different light now.”

–Tim, Kansas City

