



Colorado Disc Sports Association
Supporting, Enhancing & Promoting Disc Sports Statewide.
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7th Annual Denver Classic July 17 - 18, 2010

Federal Heights, CO PDGA B-Tier CDSA Thin Air Tour Disc Golf Event

The 4th stop of the 2010 Thin Air Tour is one of the most popular courses in Denver, the Badlands DGC. We'll play 3 rounds, also a CTP Shootout, Ring of Fire and a Pro Final 9 Safari.

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2010 CDSA
Thin Air Tour

April 24 - 25
33rd Grateful Disc Festival
Ft. Collins & Red Feather
Lakes, CO PDGA B-Tier

June 12 - 13
High Plains Challenge
Fort Morgan, CO
PDGA A-Tier

July 10 - 11
Colorado State
Championships
Conifer & Bailey, CO
PDGA A-Tier

July 17 - 18
Denver Classic
Denver, CO PDGA B-Tier

August 7 - 8
Grand Valley Open
Palisade, CO PDGA C-Tier

September 4 - 5
Johnny Roberts Memorial
Arvada, CO PDGA B-Tier

September 19
CDSA Awards Party and
Thin Air Tour
Skins Tournament

The CDSA, Badco Disc Golf Club and Black Ace Disc Company announce the 7th Annual Denver Classic, July 17 - 18 at Badlands disc golf course in Federal Heights in North Denver. Some of the regions top disc golf competitors are expected including Erie's Mitch Sonderfan, Telluride's Joe Rovere and Pat Blazek from Palmer Lake.

The tournament format includes all divisions playing three rounds. Two rounds of 18 holes on Saturday plus a CTP Shootout and one round of 27 holes plus the professionals final 9 safari round on Sunday. The 1st round will be 18 holes in short position, 2nd round will be 18 holes in medium position and the 3rd round on Sunday will be 27 holes in long position, including the back nine holes called 'Blair Witch'. There will be a Ring of Fire event where everyone putts at once and also an awards ceremony Sunday evening after the final 9. The final 9 is a wonderful spectator opportunity for amateurs and non-players alike. Public admission is free and we welcome anyone to come see all the action!

What is disc golf? Disc golf is played much like traditional golf. Instead of a ball and clubs, however, players use a flying plastic disc. The sport was formalized in the 1970's, and shares with "ball golf" the object of completing each hole in the fewest number of strokes, or throws. A golf disc is thrown from a tee area to a target, which most commonly a metal basket with chains that catch the disc. Disc golf shares the same joys and frustrations of traditional "ball golf", whether it's sinking a long putt or hitting a tree halfway down the fairway. There are few differences, though. Disc golf rarely requires a greens fee and you never get stuck with a bad "tee time." It is designed to be enjoyed by people of all ages old and young, male and female, regardless of economic status.

The Colorado Disc Sports Association is a non-profit organization devoted to supporting, enhancing and promoting disc related sports activities in Colorado. Specializing in disc golf, the CDSA runs a series of quality, statewide, annual tournaments called the Thin Air Tour. We have over 80 courses here in the state of Colorado and an active tournament schedule. According to the Professional Disc Golf Association, three to five million people have played disc golf on nearly 900 disc golf courses worldwide. Please visit www.coloradodisc.com for more information.

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