

## LOCAL GOLF

Dorset is well favoured with many beautiful challenging courses and just as a taster of what Dorset has to offer there are five such golf courses within an easy drive by car. Folke is the closest golf course some 10 minutes away:

We have golf clubs, trollies etc available for hire if you prefer not to load up your car with your own clubs.

### **Folke Golf Centre - 4 Miles**

<http://www.folkegolfcentre.co.uk/>

Alweston, Sherborne, Dorset, DT9 5HR - Tel: 01963 23330

Folke is a great design parkland course; nine hole course with alternate tees form a 18 hole, 6000 yard course with water features, trees, doglegs and tricky greens . It is set in the beautiful Dorset countryside away from the hustle and bustle and noise of everyday life. The standard scratch score is 71 . Folke Golf Club has stood just outside the quiet little village of Sherborne since it opened in 1991. A fine challenge for high and low handicappers alike, there are plenty of challenges.

### **Sherborne Golf Club - 8 miles approx. 20 minutes**

<https://www.sherbornegolfclub.co.uk/>

Higher Clatcombe, Sherborne, Dorset DT9 4RN, UK (tel: 01935 814431)

Sherborne is a members club that is open to all regardless of ability  
Beautiful, mature 18-hole parkland course with specimen trees and stunning views over Somerset and the Blackmore Vale. Just over 6,400 yards from the white tees and set out over undulating terrain, Practice ground. Visitors should telephone in advance and a golf handicap certificate is required. Thursday is Ladies' Day.



### **Yeovil Golf Club - 8 miles - approx. 20 minutes**

<https://www.yeovilgolfclub.com/>

Sherborne Rd, Yeovil BA21 5BW Tel. 01935 422965 Fax.

Parkland 18 holes (Old Course), 6087 yards Par 71. also 9 holes (Newton) , 4867 yards. Par 68.

Visiting golfers, groups and golfing societies are very welcome at Yeovil. Tee times can be arranged between 9:30 and 16:30 Sunday - Friday

Driving range is a fully equipped 16 bay all weather facility. Eleven of the bays have Power Tee technology which enables you to automatically hit balls from the tee, also 2 tier putting green. The 1st hole lies by the River Yeo before a gentle climb to the high downs. The 14th & 15th holes are challenging being below the player with a deep railway cutting on the left of the green. Course designer is Fowler & Allison, founded in 1907.



### **Wolfedale Golf Club- 9 miles**

<http://www.wolfedalegolf-dorset.co.uk/>

Wolfedale Golf Course, Charminster, Dorchester, Dorset DT2 7SG, UK (tel: 01305 700076)

A parkland golf course with 18 holes, Set over chalky soil and an excellent drainage system, our par-69 course spans 18 holes and 5,467 yards for men, or 4,798 yards for ladies. A 700-yard, six-hole starter course is also available for beginners to develop their skills. Visitors are welcome anytime, although Sundays are mainly competition days.

### **Came Down Golf Club - 13 miles**

<https://www.camedowngolfclub.co.uk/>

Higher Came Dorchester DT2 8NR Tel. 01305 813494

A downland course on chalk downs, situated 1 mile off the A354 between Dorchester and Weymouth. Established in 1896 and steeped in Ryder Cup and Open Championship history. Visitors and societies welcome. Professional shop, buggy hire, practice putting green and nets, comfortable bar and restaurant. Beautiful views over Dorset countryside and Weymouth harbour, home of the Weymouth and Portland