



# Help Name Our Golf Course!

## Contest Rules

Come up with a new name for the Casta del Sol golf course! The Mission Viejo City Council will choose the winning name and the person who submitted it **FIRST** will win a golf or food and beverage package at the newly named course (valued at \$300).

## General Description

The City of Mission Viejo recently purchased the Casta del Sol Golf Course. Because the course is not associated with the adjacent community of Casta del Sol, the City plans to rename the course. We would like to engage the community to help with ideas for a new name.

Individuals, aged 18 years and older, are encouraged come up with a name for the golf course, **taking into account the community of Mission Viejo, the location of the course, adjacent typography, amenities, etc.**

The name and form information must be submitted electronically on our [Contest Submission Page](#) by **June 30, 2020, at 5:00 pm** to be eligible to enter the contest. A review committee will evaluate each submission and will select twenty names. Then, the City's Community Services Commission will narrow the names down to five finalists. Finally, the City Council will **choose** the new golf course name and the Grand Prize winner and 4 finalists will be invited to a grand reopening celebration at the golf club where the winner/finalists will be announced.

If more than one person submits a name that is chosen as a finalist, only the **FIRST** person who submitted the name (based on the electronic time stamp from the submission) will be included as a finalist to receive a prize.

## Eligibility

- A. The contest is open to all individuals aged 18 and up.
- B. All information on the entry form must consist solely of the original work of the individual that submits the entry.
- C. City staff and/or their family members may enter a name for the golf course but will NOT be eligible for a prize.

## Naming

- A. Your entry must be submitted digitally at <https://cityofmissionviejo.org/golf-course-naming-contest>.
- B. Your entry may not contain profanity.

C. If the City of Mission Viejo contest review committee deems the content of the entry inappropriate, the entry may be disqualified from the contest.

## Contest Entry and Submission

A. Visit <https://cityofmissionviejo.org/golf-course-naming-contest> to complete the contest entry form.

B. Entries must be submitted between June 5, 2020, and June 30, 2020, no later than 5:00 pm PST.

C. Verify email address on entry form prior to submitting. The City of Mission Viejo will use this email address to contact you.

D. The contest entry will have been officially submitted when a confirmation page appears (see below). Questions concerning submission can be emailed to [cr@cityofmissionviejo.org](mailto:cr@cityofmissionviejo.org).

Thank you for your submission!

## Selection of Winner

A. A committee of judges from the City of Mission Viejo will evaluate entries in a blind review based on the name's relevance to the golf course and the City of Mission Viejo. The committee will select up to twenty names.

B. The City's Community Services Commission will then choose five finalists.

C. The City Council will consider the five finalists and the one with the most votes will be the grand prize winner.

D. The winner and 4 finalists will be contacted via email (using the email provided in the contest entry). All five will be invited to a grand reopening celebration at the golf club where the grand prize winner will be announced.

## Prizes

A. One Grand Prize winner will be selected and will receive a **Winners Package** (valued at \$300). The winner can choose between one of two prizes listed below:

### Option 1 - Golf Package

- 4 prime-time full rounds of golf at the golf club for four people
- Use of 2 golf carts
- \$100 credit towards food at the golf club restaurant

## **Option 2 - Food & Beverage Package**

- Food and beverages for up to 6 people (valued at \$50 per person)
- Prime location on the golf club terrace with fire pit and after-hour access

**B.** The **four finalists** will receive a \$50 gift card which can be used for a round of golf or for food/beverages at the golf club restaurant or bar.

**C.** Winner and finalists may be featured on the City's website, eNewsletter, and/or publications.

**D.** Winners must submit required contest documentation forms before prizes can be officially awarded. These forms will be emailed to the winners in the winner notification email. Forms include:

- a. A W-9 form requiring a Social Security number.
- b. A Release Form giving the City of Mission Viejo the permission to use the individual's name on their website.

**E.** The City of Mission Viejo will distribute the prizes and reserves the right to substitute a prize of equal or greater value in the event the prize cannot be awarded as stated. Prizes are non-transferable and may be subject to IRS tax reporting.

## **Contest Timeline**

**A. June 5, 2020 PST:** Contest begins!

**B. June 30, 2020, 5:00 pm PST:** Contest ends, deadline to submit.

**C. Date to be determined:** Contest winner and finalists will be notified by email and invited to the golf club for a grand reopening celebration where the winner will be announced.

## **General Terms and Conditions**

**A.** The City of Mission Viejo reserves the right to cancel the *Help Name Our Golf Course!* contest for any reason at any time during the contest duration.

**B.** The City of Mission Viejo reserves the right to amend these rules and policies at any time and without notice. Any changes will be posted online on this page.

**C.** Winners of any prize are solely responsible for all applicable federal, state, and local taxes.

**D.** Each individual agrees that the City of Mission Viejo and its respective affiliates, employees, or funding agency shall not be responsible or liable for damages or losses of any kind arising out of or resulting from entry in this contest, acceptance or use of a prize or any other matter related to the contest, including, without limitation, claims based on property damage, personal injury and/or death, publicity rights, defamation or invasion of privacy.

**E.** By entering the *Help Name Our Golf Course!* Contest, each individual agrees to abide by and are bound by all decisions from the City of Mission Viejo committee, Commission and Council Members relating to the determination of winners.

**F.** Upon submission of the entries, the individual agrees that the City of Mission Viejo owns the rights to the golf course name and may use it in any way deemed necessary.