



# THE G.A.S.P. GAZETTE

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## Details For 2002

The time has finally come to let everyone know the details for the upcoming 2002 version of the G.A.S.P. Our crack planning team of Lyle and John have passed on the following.

### Dates:

June 21 - 23, 2002

### Golf Course:

Fernie Golf and Country Club  
Fernie, B.C.  
Telephone: (250) 423-7773



### Accommodations:

Mountain Shadows Campground  
606 Sparwood Drive  
Sparwood, B.C.  
Telephone: (250) 425-7815

Cost:  
\$220



## Things You Need To Know

Okay, now that you know the major points about the tournament, here are a few other important things you might be interested in.

### The Players:

Group A	Group B
Doug	John
Lyle	Jim
Joe	Brad
Group C	Group D
Mark	Dave
Gary	Al
Alvin	Tony

As usual, one player from each group will be used to form the teams. This will be done on Friday night. Notice that Ron, Sean, and Trevor have managed to escape yet again - boy, the slander around the campfire will be particularly heated this year.

### The Course:

From the blue markers the Fernie course is a par 70, measuring 6556 yards (6106 from the white markers), with a slope/rating of 69.8/123 (whatever the hell that means). It is pretty wide open without many hazards to get you into too much trouble. (Sounds pretty good, eh Al!) It features a new clubhouse & pro shop (shown below), and it appears that they will supply us with club storage during the event. The price includes your round and cart each day. John is planning some stuff to make the rounds more fun, perhaps including a calcutta. He also tells me that we will continue with the two man best ball format that has worked well the last couple of years. The course is just east of the #3 highway - watch for the signs near the Ford dealership and the Boston Pizza.



Tee times begin at 4:00, 3:00, and 11:00 on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, respectively.



### The Campground:

Yes, you read correctly, we are camping in Sparwood, not Fernie. The campground facilities were brutal in Fernie, so we are faced with the 15 - 20 minute drive between home and golf course. But once you see the campground, you will understand why it was chosen. Our sites are well treed, and equipped with power and water (and sewer if you need it Gary). Each site has one picnic table and a fire pit. Washrooms are a short distance away with large, free showers. Speaking of free, the firewood is also free! Beginning Thursday we have reserved sites 36, 37, 38, and 51, but if you see something you like better, Crazy Doug (the manager) is a pretty easy going guy. Sorry, no pool or hot tubs this year, but just across the highway is a liquor store and a pub/grill, and we are within a minute drive of the Sparwood golf course (a par nine that some of us might play a round on Thursday afternoon), grocery store, and fast food restaurants. The campground is on the east side of the #3 highway, just south of the golfcourse.

To make your stay more enjoyable, be sure to bring a good mattress/foamy as we are camping on the forest floor and gravel. Also, the electrical outlets are 240 V, so if you want to fire up your kettles, toasters, heaters, etc., you will need to purchase a 240 V -to- 120 V adapter. They only cost a couple of bucks, and are handy to have along if you do much camping. Finally, you are in squirrel country, so take the necessary actions to keep your food and campers safe!

### **George Carlin Ponders ...**

- ☺ If a man is standing in the middle of the forest speaking and there is no woman around to hear him, is he still wrong?
- ☺ If someone with multiple personalities threatens to kill himself, is it considered a hostage situation?
- ☺ The main reason Santa is so jolly is because he knows where all the bad girls live.

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