

# Bandon Crossings Golf Course

## Our Story

We didn't plan on making a golf course. The golf course wanted to be made.

**Rex and Carla Smith  
on #7**



**Behind # 11**

- 18 holes
- Par 72
- Around 7000 yards
- 5 miles south of Bandon
- Highway 101 at Dew Valley Lane
- Opening Summer 2007

# Where it all began...

Bandon Dunes to Coquille Point to Bandon Golf Supply  
Golf “addict” Rex loved the Bandon Dunes Experience  
(what’s not to like?)



## We made Bandon a second home, with a place over looking the ocean at Coquille Point



On a perfect weekend visit we bought a lot in Bandon



It is a vacation rental duplex with 3 bedrooms, 2 ½ bath each side, with great views



# Great ideas are born...

Always looking for another course to play, we chat about it at Bandon Golf Supply.



After talking about golfing in Bandon too long in the shop, the concept of a new course lead to a tour of the property and our future hole #7





**Former cattle and sheep Ranch, 340 beautiful acres with 2 year-round streams and lots of wildlife**

Aerial view of the property as a ranch in the 1980's (top, looking north) and below under construction as a golf course in 2006 (looking south)







## Aerial Topo

An aerial flyover provides a topographical view too allow us to plan the routing



# Dan Hixson – Designer and Milo – Designer Dog



Milo rests from his hard work



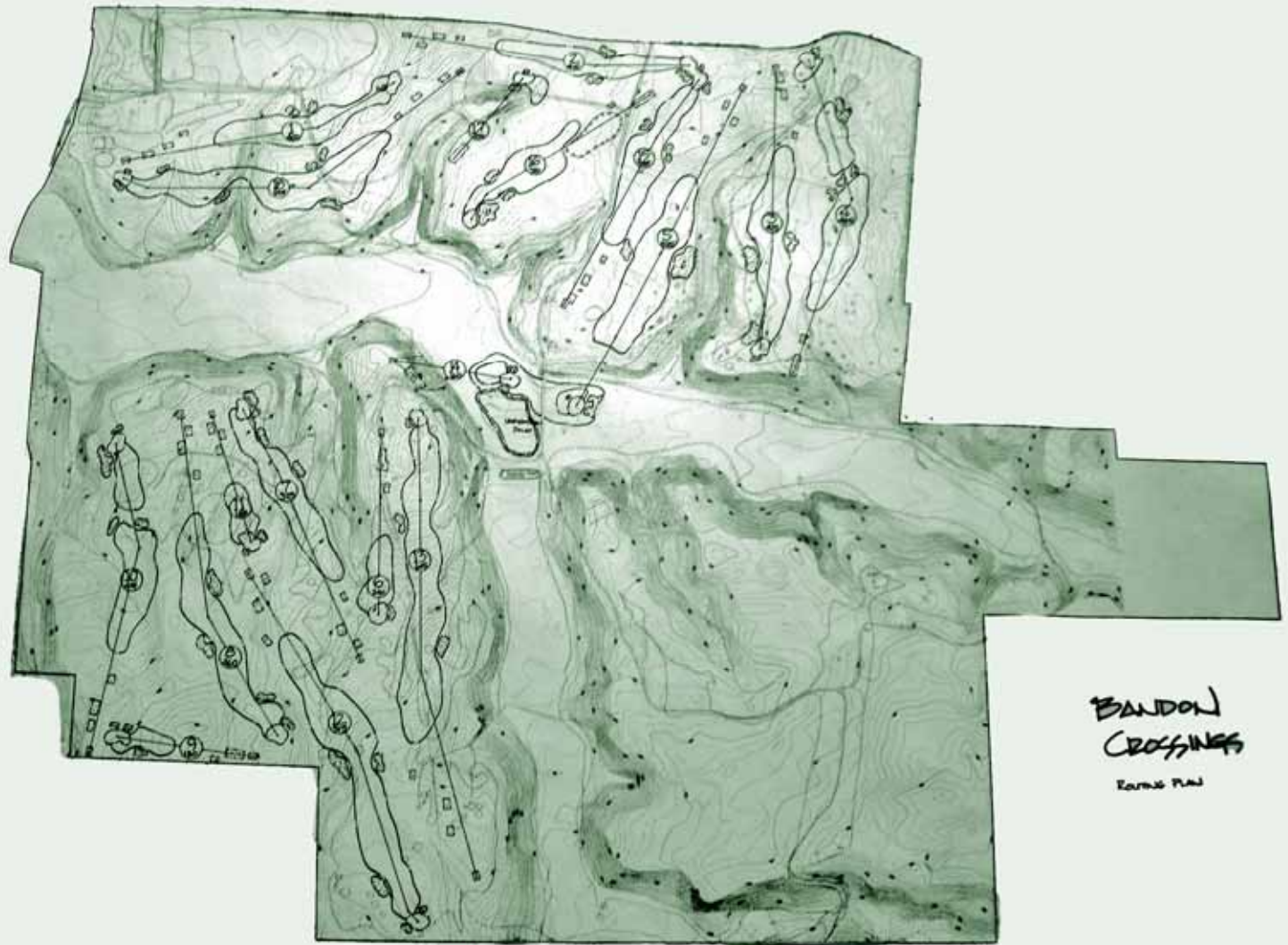
Dan and Milo on what will become #13 fairway

Oregonian Dan Hixson has created a spectacular golf design, utilizing the natural beauty of the land, creating challenge and interest in every hole



In front of #9 green before the sand fill

# Routing Plan



Utilizes the natural rolling features of the uplands, with 2 greens that drop between 35 and 55 feet to a par 5 and a challenging par 3 in the lowlands



# Construction – collaborative effort



**Brian, superintendent Brant, Tony and Dan make a decision on #11 green**

Tony Russell and his crew bring great expertise, having helped construct at least 3 “Top 50” golf courses



**Milo Helps Jeremy in the cab**



**Milo supervises fill**





**Views of #8: We were excited to see “first grass”,  
but grown in is even more rewarding**





# 2006/2007 What a Winter!



22" in November was more rain than we really wanted, and it wasn't over, only just beginning.

And it "never" snows in Bandon, but did 3 times this winter. This is #6 "green".



# Worth the Effort





# We're wrapping up construction – **COME ON Spring Weather!!**



**Seeding 17 green 02/22/2007**

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