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## **THE GOLFURZE PRO –TIP - 73**

### **Establishing a Game Plan**

The goal of a practice round is to learn as much as possible about the golf course conditions.

To ensure that you have an effective game plan in place and that your game plan is realistic of your golfing skills.

Practice rounds can serve as a means to be well prepared for anything that might come your way during the actual event.



Establishing a Game Plan/Strategy during a practice round should be your top priority.

An effective practice round can go a long way to being well prepared for tournament competition.

Establishing a productive practice round habits will enable you to be well prepared for tournaments now as well as practice rounds in the future.

The following are a number of **keys** to consider prior to and during a practice round.

1. Utilise the practice round as a means to understand the conditions of the golf course and to establish a game plan given your golf skills.
2. It was Jack Nicklaus who said that when playing in a Major, that he got there one week prior to the event and played 18 holes a day for four straight days.
3. He actually played one ball just as though he was playing in the tournament and kept his score.
4. He stated that he knew approximately what the other players in the field would shoot so that gave him HIS target score to win the championship.

Look forward to making the most out of your next practice round.

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