# IRON EVALUATION

## Iron Fitting Interview And Iron Score Cards

The golfer needs to think out the information they want to discuss with the clubfitter. The clubfitter may also have a short form to fill out like the example shown here for a "Personal Interview" which will indicate the golfer's iron hitting tendencies along with any of their goals, wants and preferences. Also, it is recommended that any golfer wanting to get fit for new irons fill out 3 or more "Iron Score Cards" on page 651. These cards provide actual playing information which is quickly and easily analyzed to point out the golfer's possible strengths and weaknesses. However, more importantly, they help with the approach the clubfitter needs to take to correct any faults and/or satisfy the golfer's wants or needs. So, a good, straight forward Personal Interview between the clubfitter and the golfer is a necessity for a good iron fitting session.

Customer Name_____ Phone_____ Date_____

Address_____ City _____ State____ Zip _____

# Iron Fitting

## *PERSONAL INTERVIEW*

### STATISTICS

1. ☐ Right-Hand Golfer ☐ Left-Hand Golfer
2. Number of years playing golf ____ yrs.
3. Current Handicap _____
4. ☐ Handicap is going up ☐ Handicap is going down
5. What is your average score _____
6. Lowest score previous 12 months _____
7. Average number rounds played in a year _____
8. Have you ever taken lessons? ☐ Yes ☐ No
   When _____
9. Do you hit practice balls before playing?
   ☐ Regularly ☐ Never ☐ Sometimes
10. Do you ever hit practice balls just to practice?
    ☐ Regularly ☐ Never ☐ Sometimes

### PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS

11. Do you have any physical pain when you swing?
    ☐ Yes ☐ No
    If yes, explain _____
    Is it ☐ Permanent ☐ Temporary ☐ Recurring
12. Do you have any other physical limitations that affect your swing? ☐ Yes ☐ No
    If yes, explain _____

### PLAYING CHARACTERISTICS

13. When you hit a poor iron shot, do you have a specific tendency to: (Answer more than one if necessary)
    ☐ Top it ☐ Push it right ☐ Sky it
    ☐ Slice it right ☐ Hit it very low ☐ Straight but unsolid hit
    ☐ Pull it left ☐ Very inconsistent ☐ Hook it left
    ☐ Don't know
14. What is your confidence level with your irons?
    ☐ Very confident ☐ Some confidence ☐ No confidence
15. How does the weight of your irons feel to you?
    ☐ Too heavy ☐ Weight OK ☐ Too light ☐ Don't know

### GOALS, WANTS & PREFERENCES

16. My immediate goal in golf is:
    ☐ I'll spend a lot of time and energy to improve as rapidly as possible
    ☐ I'll spend a reasonable amount of time and effort to improve
    ☐ I can spend very little time but want to improve my game
    ☐ I just want to find out if my irons are right for me

My future goal regarding my handicap is to be:
- ☐ A scratch handicap (72)
- ☐ A low handicap 1-8 (73-82)
- ☐ A middle handicap 9-15 (83-89)
- ☐ An average golfer 16-22 (90-98)
- ☐ Don't know

17. From your own point of view, check off any personal wants that apply: (Check as many as you like, but only if you feel you have a problem in that area)
    - ☐ I want to hit the ball higher
    - ☐ I want to hit the ball lower
    - ☐ I want to stop slicing the ball
    - ☐ I want to stop pushing the ball
    - ☐ I want to stop hooking the ball
    - ☐ I want to stop pulling the ball
    - ☐ I want to hit the ball straighter
    - ☐ I want to hit the ball longer
    - ☐ I want to be more consistent
    - ☐ Any other wants, explain _____
18. Do you have any preferrence in the type of irons you play?
    - ☐ Blade Style
    - ☐ Cavity Back Style - some game improvement features.
    - ☐ Cavity Back Style - all game improvement features.

### CURRENT IRON SPECIFICATIONS

19. What is the brand irons you play? _____
20. What is the model irons you play? _____
21. What is the playing length of your #6 iron? _____
22. What is the swingweight of your irons? _____
23. What is the grip size on your irons?
    ☐ 1/64" Undersize ☐ Standard ☐ 1/64" Oversize
    ☐ 1/32" Oversize ☐ Other_____

Any additional information_____