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Look out, golfers. Nearby Montgomery, Texas, will soon be home to the world's first course designed by Tiger Woods. He comes into a region already noted for its many exceptional courses; here's the lie:

**1. Bluejack National Golf Club**  
4430 S. FM 1486, Montgomery, bluejacknational.com, membership pricing upon request



Tiger Woods, whose Bluejack National course is set to open in fall 2015

**2. The Club at Carlton Woods**  
1 Carlton Woods Dr., The Woodlands, carltonwoods.com, memberships from \$50,000 per year

**4. The Clubs of Kingwood**  
1700 Lake Kingwood Trail, clubcorp.com, membership pricing upon request



**3. Champions Golf Club**  
13722 Champions Dr., championsgolfclub.com, membership pricing upon request

**5. The Golf Club of Houston**  
5860 Wilson Rd., Humble, membership pricing upon request

**8. Top Golf**  
1030 Memorial Brook Blvd., topgolf.com, bay rentals from \$20 per hour



**7. Wildcat Golf Club**  
12000 Almeda Rd., wildcatgolfclub.com, memberships \$350 per month

**6. Hermann Park**  
2155 N. MacGregor Way, hermannparkgc.com, green fees from \$20.50



The Golf Club of Houston

1. Construction began July 21 on Woods' challenging 18-hole experience, the Bluejack National. "One of the best natural settings for golf I have seen," says the world-famous pro, noting the changes in elevation and abundant pines. A 400-home residential development will be built in conjunction with the

course, with other amenities including a bowling alley, movie theater, pottery room, zip lines, archery range, fishing dock and restaurants. 2. The Woodlands-area private club boasts two 18-hole courses and recent renos to its spa, pool and fitness room. 3. Tiger Woods probably took a liking to

the Houston area for a reason: When this club hosted the PGA Tour Championship in 1999, the winner was none other than Woods himself. Champions has also hosted Arnold Palmer and Mike Weir for big tourney wins. 4. Hole No. 4 on this club's Deerwood Course is continually lauded as one

of the most challenging in America. The par-4 hole was also featured (as the 18th hole) in the '96 Kevin Costner film *Tin Cup*. 5. Formerly known as Redstone, the 36-hole Golf Club of Houston, home to the annual Shell Houston Open, was renamed last year. 6. Possibly the most popular public course

in town, the course at Hermann Park—which this year celebrates its 100th anniversary—is the oldest in Houston, and was the first in America to allow golfers of all races to play. 7. During a round at this public club near Sugar Land, you're likely to spot a pro athlete or two. Roger Clemens,

Johnny Manziel and J.J. Watt are among those who have taken a swing. 8. Top Golf, not a course but a high-tech mega-driving-range, recently added a second location in Spring. It reports more than \$500,000 in monthly liquor sales, making it one of the highest grossing bars in Houston, per the TABC.

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