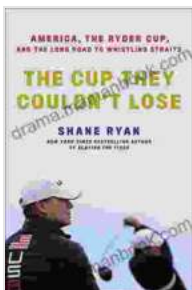


America, the Ryder Cup, and the Long Road to Whistling Straits

The Ryder Cup is one of the most prestigious events in golf, and the 2021 edition will be held at Whistling Straits in Wisconsin. The United States team will be looking to reclaim the trophy after losing to Europe in 2018. This article will take a look at the history of the Ryder Cup, the teams involved, and the course that will host the event.



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The History of the Ryder Cup

The Ryder Cup was first played in 1927 at Worcester Country Club in Massachusetts. The event was created by Samuel Ryder, a British businessman who was a passionate golfer. Ryder donated the trophy that is awarded to the winning team.

The Ryder Cup is a team competition between the United States and Europe. The event is held every two years, alternating between courses in

the United States and Europe. The United States has won the Ryder Cup 26 times, while Europe has won 13 times. The event has been tied twice.

The Teams Involved

The United States team is selected by the PGA of America. The team consists of 12 players, including eight automatic qualifiers and four captain's picks. The European team is selected by the European Tour. The team consists of 12 players, including nine automatic qualifiers and three captain's picks.

The United States team is the defending champion, having won the event in 2016 at Hazeltine National Golf Club in Minnesota. The European team is looking to regain the trophy after losing in 2016.

The Course

The 2021 Ryder Cup will be held at Whistling Straits in Wisconsin. The course was designed by Pete Dye and opened in 1998. Whistling Straits is a par-72 course that measures 7,687 yards. The course is known for its challenging layout and its stunning views of Lake Michigan.

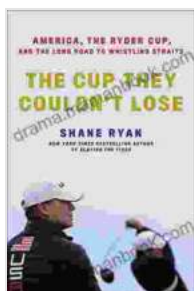
Whistling Straits has hosted several major golf tournaments, including the PGA Championship in 2004 and 2015. The course is sure to provide a challenging test for the players in the Ryder Cup.

The Road to Whistling Straits

The road to Whistling Straits has been a long and winding one for both the United States and Europe. The United States team has been through a lot of changes in recent years, including the departure of several key players. However, the team is still confident that it can reclaim the Ryder Cup.

The European team is coming off a victory in the 2018 Ryder Cup. The team is looking to build on that success and win the trophy again in 2021.

The Ryder Cup is one of the most exciting events in golf, and the 2021 edition is sure to be no different. The United States and Europe will be battling it out for the trophy at Whistling Straits, and the fans are sure to be treated to some great golf.



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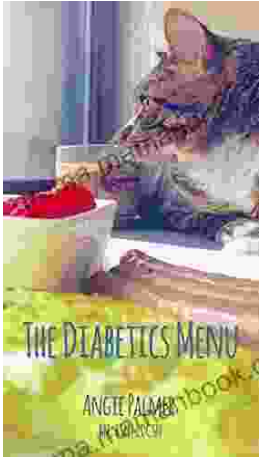
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