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 NORTHSTAR
MEETINGS GROUP

★ GOLD WINNER

Best Golf Resort 📍 SOUTHEAST

KIAWAH ISLAND GOLF RESORT



Kiawah Island Golf Resort rewards groups on an unspoiled barrier island in South Carolina's Lowcountry. All five championship golf courses have been fully renovated for pristine

conditions. World-class amenities include a five-star spa, 12 eateries, a private beach and abundant nature and recreation programs. Accommodations include the five-star Sanctuary Hotel and versatile Resort Villas. The resort offers 35,000 square feet of flexible meeting space both indoors and out. Always refining its game, this oceanfront resort will introduce several new additions in time for the 2021 PGA Championship.



★ BRONZE WINNER

Best Golf Resort 📍 SOUTHEAST

ROSEN SHINGLE CREEK HOTEL ORLANDO



With a legendary design by the renowned Arnold Palmer Design Company, Rosen Shingle Creek's 18-hole golf course balances player strategy and gameplay challenges amid

the beauty of the grounds' natural preserves. The world-class golf club features 70,000 square feet of driving range, 15,000 square feet of practice areas and the state-of-the-art Brad Brewer Golf Academy. A new 1,850-square-foot covered pavilion offers serene views of the course for special events. Exemplary tournament service and an inviting staff round out the ultimate golf experience.



★ SILVER WINNER

Best Golf Resort 📍 SOUTHEAST

THE NAPLES BEACH HOTEL & GOLF CLUB



Not resting on its laurels, the AAA Four Diamond, 319-room The Naples Beach Hotel & Golf Club has completed \$50 million in impressive renovations over the last few years, which

includes the dramatic renovation in 2016 of its championship golf course by Jack Nicklaus and John Sanford. In addition to being Southwest Florida's only beachfront resort with an on-site championship golf course, spa and tennis center, it offers 34,000 square feet of meeting space, beautiful outdoor and beachfront venues and multiple dining options.



★ GOLD WINNER

Best Golf Resort 📍 MIDWEST

GRAND GENEVA RESORT & SPA



Grand Geneva Resort & Spa offers two championship courses lauded by *Golf Magazine*, *Condé Nast Traveler* and more. The Brute is one of the most challenging layouts in the

Midwest and is considered one of Wisconsin's best courses. Enhanced with 68 bunkers and rolling greens, the par-72 course is well manicured and maintained. The Highlands, which was originally designed by Jack Nicklaus and Pete Dye, is a Scottish-style links course and was transformed in 1996 by Bob Cupp and in 2006 by Bobb Lohmann with several major hole renovations.

