

Trip protection

Techy, state-of-the-art travel bags give golfers peace of mind

If you are the type who feels a travel bag is an afterthought, you've never jammed a week's laundry or a 45-inch driver into one of those cardboard boxes the airlines give you. In short, a good travel cover is an essential, not an accessory. Here's a quartet to consider before your next golf trip.

Ogio Mammoth

Firm construction helps the bag stand upright, while four spinning wheels allow it to easily move in any direction. Detachable shoe bag is a plus (\$250, ogio.com).

Bag Boy T-1000

Five internal pockets leave ample room for extra gear. Padded top provides plenty of club protection. Holds a staff bag and a driver up to 51 inches in length (\$170, bagboycompany.com).



Sun Mountain ClubGlider

Wheeled legs extend (and retract) to support bag's weight, reducing bending and lifting. Dual-entry storage pockets and heavy duty two-way zippers add to ease of use (\$259, sunmountain.com).



Club Glove 10th Anniversary Last Bag

The industry standard for the last decade is tour-player favorite for its durable Cordura fabric, in-line skate wheels and high-impact plastic base. Handles are stitched and riveted to the bag (\$279, clubglove.com).

