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The mini-Death Valley, a half-sized replica of the real thing, sits at The Reserve at Lake Keowee, Clemson football coach Dabo Swinney's home golf course.

Tigers honored with half-size field

Swinney's home golf course even painted in the paw

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Clemson football coach Dabo Swinney's home golf course is once again honoring his team with a miniature replica of the Death Valley field.

The Reserve at Lake Keowee transformed the lawn outside its clubhouse into a half-sized football field complete with the official Clemson tiger paw in the middle. The Reserve's golf maintenance crew had the idea for the field. They even borrowed the same stencil used in Death Valley at Memorial Stadium to paint the paw.

This is the second year in a row The Reserve has transformed its lawn for Clemson. Last year, the display drew national attention as Clemson played for the national championship.

The Tigers take on Ohio State in the College Football Playoff's Fiesta Bowl on Saturday at 7 p.m. on ESPN.

The field will remain decorated through New Year's Day. Guests and member families are invited to use it for flag football and other games.

"It's no secret we live and work in "Tiger country," said Dave Fleming, general manager for The Reserve at Lake Keowee, "We're proud of that, as are our members, and we all want Coach Swinney and the players to know that we are cheering them on."

Coach Swinney plays golf on the course. He also holds his football media day golf outing there each year.

Visit GreenvilleOnline.com to see drone video of the miniature football field.