

Junior Golf Program For Ages 7 – 17

How our Junior Program works.

The program is held on Thursday mornings in July and Aug beginning Thursday July 11th and ending Thursday August 22nd. The Program is a seven-week program consisting of a series of seven, 2-hour lessons taught on the course and at the practice facilities. All skill levels will be taken through a learning progression, beginning with putting then move through chipping, pitching and then the full swing. Proper golf course etiquette, course care and rules of the game are taught as part of the 4-to-8-week program. Groups will be separated by skill level. Beginners start by playing a 3-hole chipping and putting course and will progress to a 4-hole short course and finally up to a 9-hole regulation course. Juniors advance through the levels by scoring at or better than a target score. The program is directed and taught by guest instructors.

Walking Parents: Your help is needed:

Please phone the golf shop and let us know the dates you will be available to help. Most of the time we will try to place you with your child or grandchild, however if we are shorthanded, we may need to assign you to another group.

Phone 945-5553 ext. 1 and inform anyone on the golf shop staff when you will be available, and we will then assign you a group to walk with. Thank you for your assistance, the program would not be successful without parents who volunteer their time.

Also, many parents have come to realize that listening in on the Junior Golf Clinic may help their own golf game. We highly encourage parents to be a big part of it all.

Special Rules for 3- and 4-Hole Walking Parents:

- a. Count all swings including whiffs.
- b. After 2 whiffs, carry the ball 10 steps forward and play again. (The purpose of this rule is to speed up play)
- c. After 12 strokes, pick up the ball, proceed to green and putt out. Count each putt and add to the 12 for a total for that hole.
- d. Count all penalty strokes for water hazards and out of bounds and lost ball.
- e. 1 Stroke for ball in the water
- f. 1 Stroke and distance (must replay from original position) for Out of bounds.
- g. 1 Stoke and distance for lost ball (must replay form original position)
- h. All 3- and 4-hole groups will tee off at noted yardage marker on the special scorecard.

Rules for ALL Walking Parents:

- a. Keep Juniors moving.
- b. Watch for Juniors who are not raking bunkers, replacing divots, or repairing ball marks.
- c. Help Juniors with proper rules of golf and etiquette.
- d. Correct Juniors unnecessary clowning around.
- e. Alert Juniors to come in off the course if you see lightning or a storm is approaching.
- f. Carry extra scorecards, pencils, and tees.
- g. Keep a rule book handy. Juniors should have one in their bag.

Parents: Please remember - Junior golfers "green fee" rates are discounted 50% off the adult "green fee" rates. Your junior golfer rides along with you at a NO CHARGE CART FEE. Please bring your juniors out to play.