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Oregon native Henninger eyes 2014 Champions Tour

Eugene native Brian Henninger is now 51 and is using his former PGA Tour status to play on the 2014 Champions Tour. He played in 16 events last year and made over \$240,000. He hopes for bigger paydays this year and is excited about the chance. See Page 2 for more on Henninger.



Photo by Scott Bisch

WHAT'S NEW IN NW GOLF

Cascadia development looks for a comeback

No one is saying for sure but there could be new golf on the way in the Pacific Northwest as news of the Cascadia development project took a turn with the sale of the development.

Cascadia, a master-planned community which had expected to feature a pair of golf courses, was sold by HomeStreet Bank to San Diego developer Newland Real Estate Group. Newland is one of the largest planned-community developers. The company has working on 40 large-scale planned communities in 14 states.

Cascadia, located near Bonney Lake south of Seattle, had called for 6,000 homes, schools, shops and the two golf courses but the project went south when the mortgage crisis hit. The only building construction within the former Cascadia community so far is an elementary school. The Newland group hopes to get some of the lots ready for sale soon.

And stay tuned for the golf.

Swinomish Tribe buys Similk Beach Course

The Swinomish Indian Tribe, which calls Northwest Washington its home, has purchased the Similk Beach Golf Course in Anacortes.

The Swinomish tribe bought the course from the Morgan-Turner family, which had owned the course since it opened for play in 1927. The course opened with nine holes in 1927 and then expanded to 18 holes in 1955.

The purchase puts the Swinomish Tribe in the good company with other Indian Tribes that own golf courses in the Pacific Northwest. It seemed like a natural purchase for the tribe because of their interest in golf and the location of the golf course being so close to the hotel and casino - and it gives the tribe land back it had been looking to reclaim for years.

The deal is part of a 250-acre parcel the tribe has been looking to get its hands on since 1873. The property was removed from its reservation via an executive order signed by President Ulysses S. Grant. Since the early 20th century the property had been owned by the Morgan-Turner family. Part of the property is tidal and beach land and the tribe says it plans to re-start shellfish farming. And part of the property comes with a golf course.

The Swinomish Tribe will continue to operate the golf course as a daily-fee course.

Rules Quiz

A player in your group has hit their ball very close to an out of bounds line painted on the ground. His ball is in bounds but just out of bounds is a sprinkler control box that interferes with his backswing. He asks you where he takes relief from the immovable obstruction. How do you answer? See answer to this month's question on Page 2 of this section of Inside Golf Newspaper.

Bandon Dunes gets a land deal to proceed with its sixth golf course

Oregon Governor John Kitzhaber has signed a letter that allows the developer and owner of Bandon Dunes, Mike Keiser, to proceed with another course at the famed golf destination along the state's southern Pacific coast, according to Cybergolf.com.

The proposal involves a complicated land swap. But the bottom line is the Bandon Dunes will soon start work on

its sixth golf course called Bandon Links, which will be designed by Gil Hanse.

Under the agreement, Keiser's company, Bandon Biota LLC, will provide \$2.5 million to help the state parks department buy much of the Grouse Mountain Ranch in Grant County. The 6,100-acre parcel in eastern Oregon contains rangeland and about 1,000 acres of Ponderosa pine forest.

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A sixth course is planned for Bandon Dunes.

Top NW instructors can tune up your game



If you are in the market for a golf instructor to help you with your golf game, *Inside Golf* will help you out this month with a special section on Pacific Northwest golf instructors. Golf teachers like Jordan Cooper and Matt Crofts of GolfTEC (top photo) work with Carl Tipton and the golf instructors at Interbay in Seattle (right) have the tools to help you shave strokes off your game. See inside for more on the top instructors in the Pacific Northwest.



Another course bites the dust as Shelton's Bayshore closes up

A call to Shelton's Bayshore Golf Course says it all. The recorded voice on the other end greets the caller but then goes on to apologize for the course being closed.

And another Pacific Northwest golf course bites the dust.

Bayshore Golf Course, a nine-hole public course on Puget Sound outside Shelton, closed for good in December. The course opened for play in 1948 and had been a popular spot for golfers around the Shelton area.

"We just can't afford to run it any more," said Brian Davis, a part-owner. He blamed the economy and oversaturation of courses for Bayshore's decline.

"We've tried every marketing tactic we could think of," Davis said.

Bayshore was one of several nine-hole courses in the south Puget Sound area that had proven popular through the years. But now with its closing, golfers will be left searching for another place to play.

In September, Flowing Lake Golf Course in Snohomish and Summer Meadows Golf Course outside Sumner both closed.

Bayshore becomes the 15th golf course in the Greater Puget Sound region to close in the past four years. Two — Holmes Harbor on Whidbey Island and Carnation (now Blue Heron Golf Course) — have reopened.

Pacific Northwest golf shows help get 2014 season rolling

You know it's time for the upcoming golf season when the Pacific Northwest golf shows get close. And that is the case this month with golf shows in Spokane, Portland and Seattle area getting set.

Everything in the Pacific Northwest in terms of golf shows kicks off with the Spokane Golf Show on Feb. 14-15.

The Portland Golf Show will be the next stop on Feb. 21-23 at the Oregon Convention Center. And finally, the Seattle Golf and Travel Show wraps up the golf show season Feb. 28-March. 2.

Henninger looks for some top finishes in his first full Champions Tour season

Brian Henninger has been around the golf game in the Pacific Northwest for years. He was a top-ranked junior playing while growing up in Eugene. Was a state champion at Sheldon High School. Walked on at Southern Cal and became a two-time All-American.

He grinded his way to the PGA Tour and even finished 10th at the Masters in 1995 besides winning twice on tour. A solid career that also had him put together his own foundation which helps various organizations around the Pacific Northwest.

But now, Henninger's golf career is taking a different path - one which leads to the Champions tour. When he turned 50 last year, he got into 16 events on the Champions Tour, using an exemption because he was a two-time winner on the PGA Tour. He won over \$240,000 - he wanted more.

This year, he hopes to use that same exemptions to get into more events and see if he can land in the top 30 money winners and earn a place for good on the tour.

"The Champions Tour is great - it's like reincarnation for old guys," said Henninger. "You feel young again. And there are still opportunities for you to succeed playing a game you love to play. Guys are all working hard out on this tour. Nobody takes it for granted."

Henninger had a solid professional career. First on the Ben Hogan Tour, where he won three times and earned a spot on the PGA Tour. He won the Deposit Guaranty Classic in 1994 and had his second win in 1999 at the Southern Farm Bureau Classic.

His major moment came in 1995 at the Masters where he shared the third-round lead with eventual winner Ben Crenshaw. He shot a final-round 76 to tie for 10th but wouldn't trade that experience for anything.

"That would be have been life changing, winning The Masters," said Henninger. "I



Steve Turcotte

was in the last group and it was unreal. I was pretty confident but just lacked experience in a situation like that. I had never teed off late but we went off at 3 and that was strange. I was kind of worn out by the time we teed off. I was so excited all day. I wasn't very well prepared for that experience."

Henninger's family is in his court for this Champions Tour journey. Wife Cathy and kids Carlin, Hunter and Mia like it when dad plays good and does well. "I think they like the road trips to places like Hawaii," Henninger said with a laugh.

Henninger and his new caddy Teddy Joyce will start the season in February in Florida. Henninger met Joyce at Bandon Dunes. Joyce had been a full-time caddy at Bandon and Henninger liked him right away. They worked together last year in those 16 tournaments and the paring seemed to click right away.

In 2013, it took Henninger a while to get in his first Champions Tour event. Just because a former PGA Tour player turns 50 doesn't mean he gets to play the next week on the Champions Tour. There are certain exemptions and Henninger had to wait to use his, which was being a two-time winner on the PGA Tour. His first event was in Mississippi in

June and he didn't know what to expect when he showed up on the driving range that first day of tournament week.

"When I showed up I was really welcomed," said Henninger. "There were all these guys I had played with years ago and they were all friendly. It was like an old home week kind of deal. It was great."

In fact, Henninger's caddy couldn't quite believe his eyes. This was not Bandon Dunes. When Joyce saw Fred Couples walk up to Henninger on the range he had to do a double-take. "Teddy was blown away by the whole thing," Henninger said. "It was funny to see. But now he sees that he fits in out here like I do. This should be great for both of us."

Henninger runs an event through his foundation every year at Bandon Dunes and had Joyce as his caddy a couple of years ago. Things clicked right away. "It's all about chemistry for me," said Henninger. "I don't like buddies on the bag. This is too professional for something like that. I want to spend time with a guy and enjoy it. This is working out great for both of us so far."

His best finish last year was a tie for sixth in Hawaii in September. He did get a little airtime on the Golf Channel but got a bunch of face time with Golf Channel announcer Lanny Wadkins who told him, during a chance meeting around the hotel pool before the final round, that he could win the tournament.

After a round with Jay Haas in North Carolina, Haas told Henninger "I don't know how you ever shoot over 68 with that swing."

"I like my chances this year, but you never know," said Henninger. "I will tee it up and see what happens."

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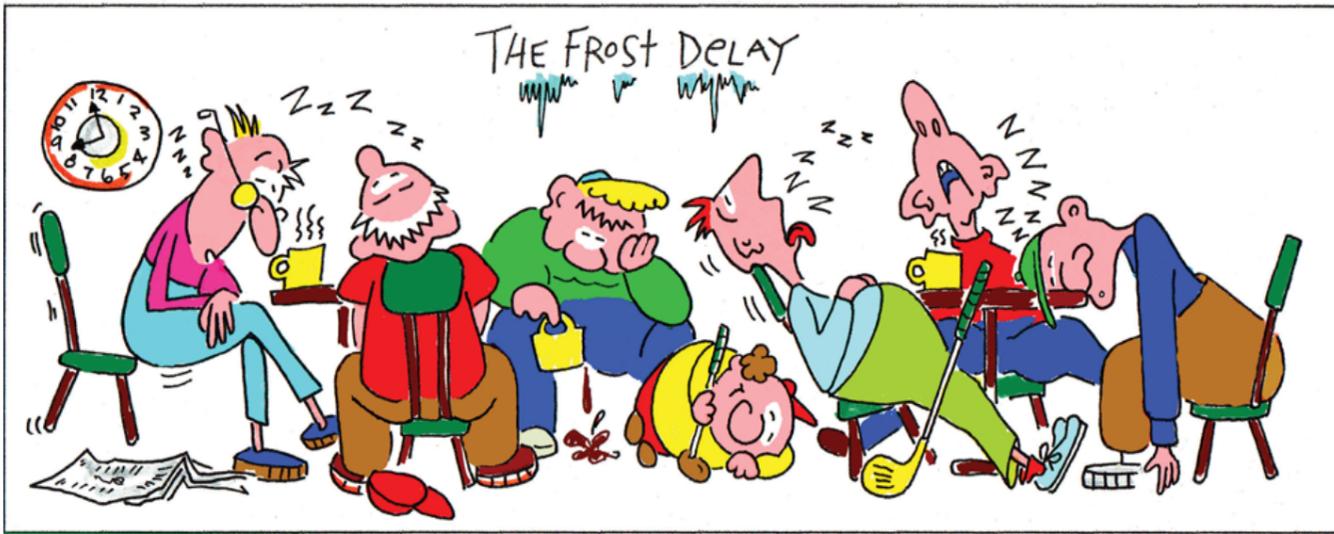
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Rules Answer

The player may either play the ball as it lies or opt to declare his ball unplayable and under penalty of one stroke proceed as prescribed in Rule 28.

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Pacific Northwest PGA honors 2013 award winners; WSGA offers a winter series for golfers to try out

The Pacific Northwest Section PGA of America named their 2013 Special Award Winners. The top Pacific Northwest PGA professionals in 15 categories were recognized by their peers for outstanding performance during 2013. The winners listed below represent the very best of the Pacific Northwest Section's 1,100 PGA Professionals in Washington, Oregon, Northern Idaho, Western Montana and Alaska.

- Marcus King, PGA General Manager at Overlake G&CC in Medina, Washington received the Section's highest honor being named Golf Professional of the Year.

- Roger Wallace, PGA Director of Golf at Polson Bay Golf Course in Polson, Montana was awarded the Bill Strausbaugh Award in appreciation for his service to his fellow PGA Professionals and contributions to his community.

- Bill Morach, PGA Head Professional at Eugene Country Club in Eugene, Oregon was named the recipient of the Horton Smith Award in recognition to his commitment to advancing education opportunities for his fellow PGA Professionals.

- Jason Owens, PGA Teaching Professional at Waverley Country Club in Portland, Oregon was recognized as Teacher of the Year for his outstanding performance as a teacher and commitment to expanding his teaching credentials.

- Chris Garrison, PGA General Manager at Camas Meadows Golf Club in Camas, Washington was presented the Player Development Award for his innovative programs welcoming new players to his facility.

- Joey Esh, PGA Head Professional at Lewiston Country Club in Lewiston, Idaho

received the Youth Player Development Award for his efforts to support Junior Golf at his club and in his community.

- Chris Runyan of Sun Dance Golf Course, in Nine Mile Falls, Washington was honored with the Patriot Award for his support of our Nations Veterans and development of programs and fundraising for veterans in his community.

- Derek Siesser of The Creek at Qualchan in Spokane, Washington was named the Assistant Golf Professional of the Year for his commitment to his customers, his efforts to increase play and his service to the association.

- Mark Rashell, PGA Head Professional at The Golf Club at Newcastle in Newcastle, Washington was named the Merchandiser of the Year for Public facilities for his innovative approach to unique displays, continual event promotions and emphasis on club sales.

- Mark Sursely PGA Head Professional at Overlake Golf and Country Club in Medina, Washington was named the Merchandiser of the Year for Private clubs.

- Tom Davidson, PGA Director of Golf at Circling Raven Golf Club in Worley, Idaho was named the Merchandiser of the Year for Resorts for his creative displays, unique product offerings and personal involvement in the daily merchandising operations.

- Corey Prugh, PGA Teaching Professional at Manito Golf and Country Club in Spokane, Washington earned both the Sterling Cut Glass PNW PGA Player of the Year Awards and the Assistant Player of the Year thanks to outstanding play all year long.

- Jeff Coston, PGA Teaching Professional at Semiahmoo Golf and Country Club in Blaine, Washington earned his eighth consecutive PNW PGA Senior Player of the Year Award. Coston

has won the award every year he is eligible.

- Jim Hofmeister, PGA Professional from Liberty Lake, Washington was named the recipient of the Perry Williams Award for his service to the Section's Rules of Golf Committee.

These fifteen outstanding PGA Professionals will be honored at the Pacific Northwest Section Special Awards Ceremony, March 16 at Royal Oaks Country Club in Vancouver, Washington.

WSGA offers winter series

The Washington State Golf Association has announced the slate of sites for the 6th season of the popular WSGA Winter Series. The Winter Series consists of four tournaments, one per month from January through April, and with each being played in a different format.

The series kicked off in January. The second leg in the series will be a 2-Person Scramble held at the RMG Club at Oakbrook in Lakewood, Wash. on February 28.

The Olympic Course at Gold Mountain Golf Club in Bremerton, Wash. will host an Individual stroke play tournament on March 14.

Rounding out the 2014 Winter Series will be a 2-Person Four-Ball (Best-Ball) tournament at White Horse Golf Club in Kingston, Wash. on April 18.

Online entries are now available on the WSGA Winter Series webpage. The tournament series is open to men and women amateurs who are in good standing of a WSGA member club and have a USGA Handicap Index, provided by the GHIN service, not exceeding 36.4 for men and 40.4 for women. Formats include Stableford, Two-Person Scramble, Individual Stroke Play, and a Two-Person Four-Ball (Best-Ball).

For more see www.thewsga.org.

NW golf shows set for February, March

Mark your calendars: Golf shows in Seattle, Portland and Spokane will help kick off the 2014 Pacific Northwest golf season in February.

The Portland Golf Show, which will be celebrating its 20th year, will be held Feb. 21-23 at the Oregon Convention Center. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$10 for seniors. A two-pack of Bridgestone golf balls will be given to the first 500 through the door.

For more information, see www.portland-golfshow.com

The Seattle Golf and Travel Show will be held Feb. 28-March 2. It has become more than just about golf. More than 70 travel booths will also be part of the show, which is the largest consumer golf & travel show on the west coast with over 200 exhibitors, travel destinations, manufacturer's and demonstrators. For more information, see www.seattlegolfshow.com.

Golf Show in the NW

• Spokane Golf and Travel Show:

Set for Feb. 14-15, 2014 at the Spokane Convention Center. Show features both golf and travel information.

• Portland Golf Show:

Set for Feb. 21-23, 2014 at the Oregon Convention Center. Show will be celebrating its 20th year in 2014.

• Seattle Golf and Travel Show:

Show will be held Feb. 28-March 2, 2014 at the Century Link Events Center. Show is the largest consumer golf show on the West Coast.



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LPGA adds a season-long points race for 2014 season

The millionaires club on the LPGA is a tight crew. So tight, in fact, that in 2013 there were only eight members. When commissioner Mike Whan says that adding a million-dollar payout is of significance on his tour, he's not kidding.

The LPGA's announcement of its new Race to the CME Globe, a season-long points competition within the schedule that boasts a \$1 million unofficial payout, is the cherry on Whan's 2014 sundae – or as he put it, “the bow on the present that we really wanted to get done.”

Consider Whan's recent accomplishments:

- Added four tournaments for the 2014 schedule, bringing the total to 32. (In 2011, the LPGA played 23 events.)

- Added the new International Crown event
- Dramatically increased the amount of TV exposure.

And now this: a lucrative season-long race that culminates at the newly renamed CME Group Tour Championship.

The Portland Classic which will be held the last week of August is sure to help spice up the competition on the tour for the new chase.

2013 marked the first time in LPGA history that two players (Suzann Pettersen and Inbee Park) topped \$2 million in season earnings.

So how does it work?

Tournaments will carry the same point values (regardless of field size), with the exception of the majors, which will carry 25 percent more value. For example, a tournament victory is worth 500 points at a regular-season event, and 625 points for a major.

For tournaments with a cut, all players who make it to the weekend will earn points. For tournaments without a cut, the top 40 and ties will earn points. At the Lorena Ochoa Invitational, the tour's smallest field, points will be awarded to players who finish in the top 20 and ties. To keep

the math simple, players who tie will receive the same number of points (so no decimals).

The top 72 players on the Race to the CME Globe point standing after the Ochoa event will qualify for the Tour Championship in Naples.

The points will then be reset, giving 60 percent of the weight to the season-long performance and 40 percent to their finish at the Tour Championship. Only the top nine players on the list will mathematically have a chance to win the \$1 million. The top three players can win the race with a victory at the Tour Championship, which will feature a first-place prize of \$500,000.

Coston eyes Champions Tour starts

Jeff Coston, the 20-time Pacific Northwest Player of the Year, will make the most of his finish at the Champions Tour qualifying school during the 2014 season.

Coston, who teaches at Semiahmoo Resort in Blaine, Wash., missed out on finishing in the top five of the school which would have meant earning full-time status on the Champions Tour for 2014. But his top-10 finish earned him the chance to Monday qualify at all of the Champions Tour events. In addition, he is also working on getting some sponsor exemptions into some events during the 2014 season.

Trio goes low to win Glenacres event

The team of Joe Langer, Ryan Jelly and Matt Stutsman fired a 59 to win the Glenacres Winter Scramble, held at Glenacres Golf and Country Club. The team of Troy Kelly, Jason Follen and Jamie Follen tied for second with Brian Pruitt, Tony Robydek and Ryan Welborn at 61. The team of Connor Robbins, Scott Sargent and Andy Lay won low net with a 59.2. The team of Bob Gemmell, Doug Purdy and Webster Judd shot a 66 to win low gross in the second division.

Tour Players With Northwest ties

PGA Tour

- Ben Crane • Portland • 86th on the list with \$183,723
- Robert Garrigus • Gresham • 65th on the list with \$245,473
- Troy Kelly • Bremerton • No events
- Richard H. Lee • Bellevue • 148th on the list with \$66,010
- Ryan Moore • Puyallup • 6th on the list with \$1,690,350
- Alex Prugh • Spokane • No cuts made
- Michael Putnam • Tacoma • 119th on the list with \$121,648
- Kyle Stanley • Gig Harbor • 109th on the list with \$133,037

Web.com Tour

- Jason Allred • Ashland • Season starts Feb. 21
- Andres Gonzales • Olympia • Season starts Feb. 21
- Jeff Gove • Seattle • Season starts Feb. 21
- Andrew Putnam • Tacoma • Season starts Feb. 21
- Chris Williams • Moscow/UW • No cuts made

Champions Tour

- Fred Couples • Seattle • 2nd on the list with \$159,000
- Bob Gilder • Corvallis • No events
- Brian Henninger • Eugene • No events
- Peter Jacobsen • Portland • No events
- Kirk Triplett • Pullman • 14th on the list with \$34,000

LPGA Tour

- Jimin Kang • Seattle • No events
- Paige Mackenzie • Yakima • No events
- Wendy Ward • Edwall, Wash. • No events

LPGA Symetra Tour

- Lindsay Aho • Brush Prairie • Season starts Feb. 22.
- Amy Eneroth • Spokane • Season starts Feb. 22.
- Jessi Gebhardt • Bellingham • Season starts Feb. 22.
- Renee Skidmore • Everett • Season starts Feb. 22.
- Christy Yun • Tacoma • Season starts Feb. 22.

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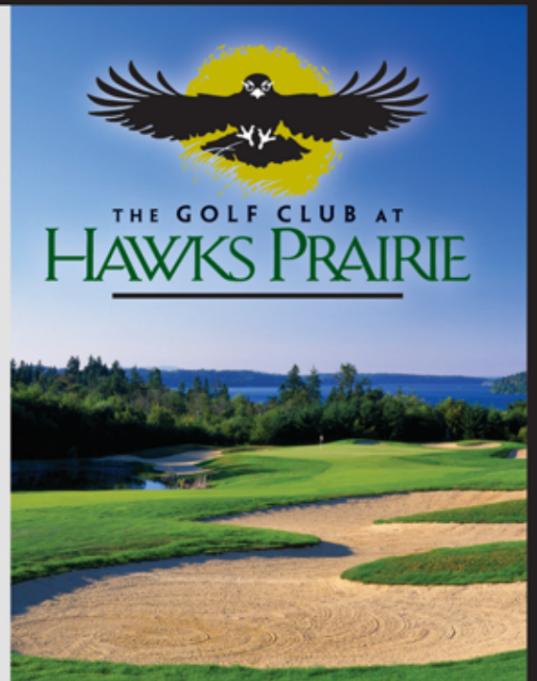
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The Northwest's Best Golf Teachers

Inside Golf's annual list of golf instructors in your area



PGA Professional, Jim Bennett, giving an indoor lesson at Pro Golf in Southcenter.

Plan to take lessons this year? You'll want to pull out this 8-page section and save it

If you are serious about getting your game in shape for spring then don't wait too long as one lesson is not enough to overcome swing faults that have accumulated over years, and some practice effort is necessary on your part. Give yourself adequate time for practicing your new skills so that you can hit the links with an improved game, be it your swing, your chipping technique or putting method. Also give some thought to course management. Most of these pros are tournament hardened so they can advise you on the mental side as well.

Don't start the 2014 golf season with the same old problems. Remember the information you take away from a professional instructor will stay with you for a lifetime and the rewards you will gain are priceless.

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Golf Teachers: Oregon

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Christopher M. Woods – PGA Member, Director of Instruction, Center Manager
Chris started his career in golf at the Golf Academy of America where he received his Associates Degree in Golf Business Management in 1999. After working at golf courses in the Southern California area, Chris quickly moved up to Head Golf Professional and General Manager at Talega Golf Club in San Clemente, CA. Since moving back to the Portland area and joining the GolfTEC team in 2010 he has become a Certified Club Fitter and taught thousands of lessons. Chris has a passion for coaching and enjoys helping his students reach their goals. Whether you are a low handicap player and just looking to make one or two adjustments in your swing or someone that has never played the game before, Chris is ready to help you improve your game. For more information about fees and instruction, please visit www.golftec.com/portland.



Brad A. Hunter - PGA Member, Certified Personal Coach
PGA Member, Director of Instruction, Center Manager
Jake is a second generation PGA member, instructing and coaching golf since the age of 15. Jake has a very high success rate and has helped his students achieve some remarkable goals. Jake uses a comprehensive approach when it comes to golf instruction. By utilizing state-of-the-art technology and his teaching experience, he's able to work on all areas of the game including tee to green skills, course management and mental approach. He is a Certified Club Fitter with many different manufacturers and can fit everything from a full bag of clubs to your golf ball. Jake is very passionate about helping all skill levels and finds it very rewarding to see his students achieve their goals. For more information about fees and instruction, please visit www.golftec.com/portland.



Jerred P. McKinney - PGA Member, Certified Personal Coach
Jerred is recent graduate from the University of Idaho PGA Golf Management Program. Originally a Colorado native, he relocated to the Portland Area to join the GolfTEC team in January of 2014. As a four year varsity player on the Summit High School golf team Jerred always knew that golf instruction is what he is truly passionate about and wanted to turn into a career. Teaching golf has been the focus of past work experience as the Director of Junior instruction at facilities such as Colorado Golf Club and Knickerbocker Country Club. Developing personal relationships with each individual student and seeing them reach their personal goals is what Jerred enjoys the most about his job. If you're a student looking for an instructor to help you exceed your goals and overall make the game of golf more enjoyable feel free to stop by Nyberg Wood's GolfTEC and say hello.

GolfTEC, Cascade Station



Jake Bader – PGA Member, Director of Instruction, Center Manager
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Craig Hunt – PGA Member, Certified Personal Coach
The older of the two "Craigs" at the Cascade Station GolfTEC, Craig has been a PGA Teaching Professional for over 25 years. Whether you want to be more CONSISTENT or just feel more comfortable on the course, break 70 or just break 100, CURE A SLICE or just make more putts, play on Tour or just BEAT YOUR BUDDIES, Craig has a PLAN to help you reach your goal. Craig uses high-speed video and body motion sensors to help players of ALL abilities play the best golf of their lives. Craig also has a Masters Degree in sport-related psychology to improve your on-course mental approach. Craig once received the San Diego PGA Junior Golf Leader Award and was coach to the SDJGA Junior Player of the Year. Craig LOVES BEGINNERS, so come on down! Call 503-281-1842 or 503-407-5821 to talk about YOUR game.



Craig Crandall – PGA Status: Apprentice.
Craig has been affiliated with the PGA since 2006. Craig is an accomplished player, finding success while playing on numerous mini-tours across the country, as well as being televised as a semi-finalist during the 2009 California TV Team Championships. Tournament competition is Craig's passion, besting some of the top players in Arizona, California, and the Canadian Tour in some of Craig's competition history. Craig is a certified fitter with Ping, KBS and Mizuno. Craig is a top player in the Pacific Northwest Section of the PGA, and he focuses on improving his students' mental approach and tournament preparation. Craig has worked for five top 100 golf courses and enjoys growing the game. He joined the GolfTEC in 2014 and coaches out of the Cascade Station center.

Golf lessons are the best investment you can make for your game. No matter what your experience level, you can improve your game for the rest of your life with proper golf instruction. What better way to start the season than with a solid golf game.

FUNdaMental Golf & Learning Center, Oregon City, Ore.



Shanda Imlay – PGA Head Professional
Shanda Imlay, co-owner and PGA Head Professional with over 30 years of experience in teaching all levels of players. These include: PGA and LPGA professionals, Coaching Girls Junior Americas Cup, beginning golfers and 15 years volunteer Coach for the Leisure Hour Junior Golf Program.
I believe that everyone, regardless of age, or physical ability, can learn to play golf. I have developed a "three element" program of instruction that is easy to understand and effective. I help the player identify his or her golf skills to play their best based on physical abilities, body type and personal goals. The instruction is Fine-tuned to the person, rather than a teaching methodology.

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RiverRidge Golf Complex, Eugene, Ore.



Sean McGowan – PGA Professional
Since 1991, PGA Professional Sean McGowan has enjoyed teaching golfers young and old the fundamentals and intricacies of the game and the swing. Teaching the short game has always been Sean's specialty and in the last few years he has moved much of his instruction to the golf course to help his students understand the importance of how the lie of the golf ball determines contact. Every swing is different, and how you make contact on the slopes of the golf course is more important than making a perfect strike on the flat surface of the range. Impact-based-learning is the basis for Sean McGowan's instruction. By working with Sean, you will have a clearer picture of how to hit your next shot and enjoy playing golf more than ever. Sean teaches at RiverRidge Golf Complex in Eugene, Oregon. RiverRidge has an 18-hole championship course, a nine-hole executive course, a nine-hole par three layout, full practice range with covered and grass teeing areas, several putting greens and short game practice areas. RiverRidge is an excellent place to learn and practice the instruction of PGA Professional Sean McGowan. Call Sean at 541-510-1241 and email him at smcgowan@pga.com.

Golf Teachers: Washington

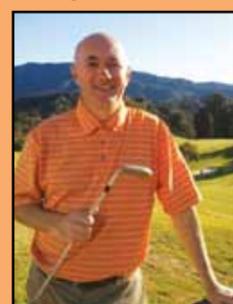
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Harold Bluestein – PGA Instructor
Cell phone: (541) 490-7999, email: hbluestein36@hotmail.com, website: haroldbluestein.com
A professional for more than 30 years Harold understands that every student is different and lessons have to be about the student and not about a method. His commitment to introducing new players to the game resulted in the 2009 Pacific Northwest PGA President's Award for player development and he was honored with *Oregon Teacher of the year nominations in 2007 and 2008* for his knowledge and dedication to instruction. Harold can be heard co-hosting "Golf in the Northwest" every Saturday morning 8 to 9 on *ESPN 1080 TheFan* in Portland, Oregon (1080 AM on your radio dial). Tune in for his tour updates, insights, tips and interviews with golf celebrities and industry insiders!

Lesson rates: "Get Golf Ready" series of 5 group lessons for adults \$99!
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Harold also offers group sessions through Clark Community College
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Kayak Point Golf Club, Stanwood



Dave Boivin – Director of Instruction at Kayak Point GC
WWC- *PGA Teacher of the Year 2012*
Have you ever hit a golf shot that made you feel great? It is an addictive experience that brings you back to play again and again. Have you ever wanted to re-create that golf shot? I help players of all levels create that shot / feeling more often.
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I have had the pleasure to discover and fine tune all aspects of enjoying the physical and mental game, from teaching with Hank Haney Signature Golf Schools, ESPN Golf Schools, with the Golf Channel's Yoga for Golfers expert Katherine Roberts, to being certified for FITfore-GOLF, TPI fitness programs as well as a being a B.E.S.T. Practitioner and a coach for The First Tee. I feature smaller classes to enhance the experience both personal and experiential. If you are looking to get started, or are a seasoned player looking for a fine tune, I look forward to helping you enjoy the game at a higher level. Dnboivin@aol.com daveboivin@pga.com
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Semiahmoo Resort, Blaine



Jeff Coston – The Jeff Coston Golf Academy officially opened at the beautiful Semiahmoo Resort in 1994 and has been there since. Prior to Jeff's 18 1/2 years at the resort, he played the PGA Tour and was a winner on the Nationwide Tour. Jeff is a 19-time *Pacific Northwest PGA Player of the Year*. He is also the all time major tournament winner in Pacific Northwest golf history.
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Editor's note: Jeff was recently inducted into the Pacific NW Hall of Fame.

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Interbay, Seattle



Ron Hanson – PGA Professional, Director of Instruction
WWC PGA Teacher of the Year 2007
Golf Range Magazine's Top 50 Golf Instructors in America 2009, 2011

Ron came to Interbay 1999 having been the Head Professional at Fairwood Golf and Country Club for seven years. He became a Class "A" PGA Professional in 1990. He has worked successfully with several satellite tour players, top adult and junior amateur players and countless golfers who wished to improve their golf games.

Ron was the featured instructor on the Golf Channel's Golf Make-over Episode "No Laughing Matter". He released his first instructional DVD, "Golf in Balance" in 2005. He has been the featured instructor at numerous golf shows. In 2007, Ron was named by his fellow golf professionals "Teacher of the Year" for WWC PGA and in 2009 & 2011 *Golf Range Magazine's* Top 50 Golf Instructors in America. Ron has an innate ability to present vivid and understandable examples that enable students of all levels to understand and duplicate the mechanics of the golf swing. His patience and demeanor allow his students to feel comfortable and at ease in their golf experience. Ron looks forward to helping you with your golf game. Phone: (206) 838-4549 rhanson@premiergc.com

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Peter A. Dixon – PGA, Jimmy Ballard Certified Teaching Professional

Pete is a Class A Member of the PGA since 1991 with 32 Years Experience. He has given more than 30,000 golf lessons, a number that ranks among the very top of PGA Teaching Professionals. Pete will help you learn the proven fundamentals of the golf swing. In 1999 and in 2001, Pete's teaching career was enhanced after working with Jimmy Ballard, one of America's top five golf instructors. He spent two weeks working with Jimmy. Since that time Pete has not wavered in the concepts that he teaches.

Pete has taught juniors and adults of all ages. He has spent more than 2,000 hours teaching juniors at Interbay. In 2012, Pete was one of three finalists chosen by the WWCPGA Board of Directors to receive the Junior Teacher of the Year Award. To this day Pete continues to compete successfully in PNWPGA tournaments. In 2006, 2007 and 2012 he was selected as one of twelve playing professionals to represent Washington vs. Oregon in the Hagen Cup. In the 2012 Western Washington Chapter Championship he had a high finish and earned the biggest paycheck of his playing career. Also, in 2012 he earned the most prize money of his playing career. Pete works hard and takes his work seriously. Teaching is a passion for him and he enjoys it immensely. If you are serious about learning golf and improving your skills, Pete is a great choice as an instructor. Scheduling is easy. Please e-mail to: pdixon@premiergc.com or call (206) 838-4549. You can now schedule online. Premiergc.com/Interbay/Instruction/"Schedule Lesson".

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Gilbert Quitlong – PGA Apprentice

Gilbert picked up his first golf club at a very young age and has since built a passion not only for the game but also teaching the game to others. In high school, Gilbert had his first taste of helping others with their golf swings serving as a student assistant golf coach for the girl's high school golf team.

Gilbert's passion and devotion toward golf went into full swing in 2002 when he entered the golf industry at Southcenter Golf where he gained valuable knowledge of the golf swing from several PGA Professionals and started the process of becoming a PGA Professional. Gilbert has not lost sight of his passion of teaching. Gilbert founded AWM Golf Foundation, a nonprofit golf foundation that focuses on teaching adult women and minorities the game of golf.

Golf has been an integral part of his life gaining experience in both competitive golf and teaching golf over the years, Gilbert has fostered the understanding and passion in helping others reach their golfing potential.

You can contact Gilbert at: gquitlong@premiergc.com



Ken Overby – PGA Professional

Ken brings a broad background of teaching experience from South Florida where he developed a love for the game at an early age. His strong interest in growing the game led him to create an instructional approach that works with students of all ages and skill levels. Ken is a member of the PGA of America and a graduate of the PGA's Professional Golf Management program. He is a Titleist Performance Institute Certified Golf Fitness Instructor Level 1 and Junior Coach Level 2.

Ken's teaching philosophy is based on Fundamentals, Fitness, and Fun! Focusing on strong fundamentals, adjusted to meet each individual's objectives and physical abilities, can yield positive results. The goal is to build a simplified, efficient swinging motion. Taking that into

the golf course allows you to play with more confidence, increases your level of personal satisfaction, and most importantly...increases the FUN! Ken's passion for the game is obvious in his teaching. His contagious enthusiasm helps make people feel comfortable and enhances the learning experience. To make a lesson appointment, phone: (206) 838-4549 koverby@premiergc.com or keno@pga.com.

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Legion Memorial, Everett



Shayne Day - Golf Professional at Legion Memorial Golf Course
425-259-4653 ext 4 - sday@premiergc.com

Shayne Day has been working in the golf industry for over 12 years beginning at Newcastle, Echo Falls and then for a year with Elite Golf Cruises, where he gave golf instruction on ships and all over the Caribbean Islands. The past 5 years Shayne has been the Golf Professional and lead instructor at Legion Memorial Golf Course.

His teaching philosophy is to breakdown the swing into parts. He likes to work on one aspect of the swing at a time and teach the student with visual aids as well as training aids. Shayne also uses video swing analysis to breakdown the swing and you can see your swing compared side by side with the top players in the world on the video program. His

patience, leadership and customer service skills will make for a great lesson experience for the student. By the way, for you left handed golfers, Shayne is also a lefty. Please call 425-259-4653 ext 4 to schedule a golf lesson.

Walter Hall, Everett



Zachary Cowan – Head Golf Professional at Walter E Hall Golf Course

Zac has been teaching since 2009 in the Everett area with experience in junior and ladies clinics as well as individual lessons. He started at Legion Memorial Golf Course as an assistant professional and became the Head Golf Professional at Walter Hall Golf Course in January of 2012. Zac was born and raised in Soldotna, Alaska and is a graduate of the PGA Professional Golf Management program from New Mexico State University. His teaching philosophy is that everybody learns differently, and he strives to find each individual's learning style to best teach the game of golf. In lessons, Zac uses on course experience as well as driving range and video sessions to teach.

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Bellevue Golf Course



Steve Wayne Wozeniak – PGA Director of Instruction

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Steve is the only instructor in the Pacific Northwest that has taught winners on all four of the major Tours. The PGA, LPGA, Champions and Nationwide. He consistently is working with the best Junior and amateur golfers in the state. He quickly turns any level of golfer into Masters of their own swings, with easy to understand sound fundamentals. See how easy the golf swing can be. "If you are not being video-taped you are not learning." Call for specific lesson prices. Discounts available for groups or multi-lesson packages. For more information or to book a lesson, call 425-452-7250 or visit www.premiergc.com.



Matt Anderson – Teaching Professional

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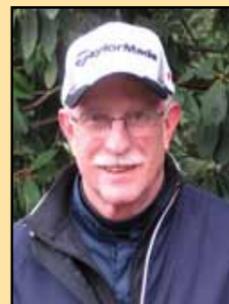
Matt Anderson has been a professional at Bellevue Golf Course since 2002. As a PGA apprentice with over 10 years of teaching experience and a unique outlook on the game of golf, Matt can help better your game regardless of your skill level. Matt understands that not every golfer is the same, we all move, learn, and feel things differently. It's this understanding paired with years of acquired golf knowledge that will allow Matt to help you become a better golfer. For more information or to book a lesson, call 425-452-7250 or visit www.premiergc.com.



Kenney Choi – Teaching Professional 425-452-7250

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Kenney has been playing golf for more than 35 years. As an Instructor, Kenney has been teaching the "Ben Hogan's fundamentals of golf" swing. Kenney also teaches golf rules, etiquette, and course management. Kenney has been involved with golf tournaments such as the US OPEN, US SENIOR OPEN and PEBBLE BEACH PRO-AM as a volunteer. Kenney has been an assistant coach at 'The First Tee' program and the Sammamish high school boys and girls golf team. Kenney came from Seoul, Korea in 1971. He graduated YS University in Seoul, Korea and DIT in Chicago, Ill. He is able to communicate in Korean and English. Lessons start at \$45 per 1/2 hour and include balls, video and all equipment. Discounts available for groups or multi-lesson packages.



Fred Mabbott - Teaching Professional 425-452-7250

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Fred has been an assistant golf professional at Bellevue Golf Course since 2000. Before becoming a golf professional, Fred spent over 30 years as a high school English teacher. For the past 20 years, he has been coaching both the boys' and girls' golf teams at Lake Washington High School. Fred provides lessons to people with a wide range of golfing experience. Those who are new to the game, and those who have been around the game for many years. Lessons start at \$45 per 1/2 hour and include balls, video and all equipment. Discounts available for groups or multi-lesson packages.

For more information or to book a lesson, call 425-452-7250 or visit www.premiergc.com.



Patrick Vaughan – Instructor/Leagues 425-452-7250

Patrick has been a teacher for over 40 years. After graduating from the University of Washington with a Masters degree in Physical Education, he taught at the High School level and coached various varsity sports including the boys' and girls' golf teams. He became a golf teaching professional in 1994 and has worked as an Instructor at Bellevue Golf Course for the past 12 years, working primarily with the beginning to intermediate level player. His teaching methods include drills that help develop the golf swing. He has great communication skills and the belief that golf lessons should be fun and result in a person learning to love the game.



Cheryl Mahan – Teaching Professional

Cheryl promotes learning the game of golf through solid fundamentals, building on each individual's natural athletic skills. Similar to the teaching methods taught by PGA Golf Professional Steve Wozeniak, she will show you how to reach your potential with positive actions rather than tired restrictions like "keep your head down" and "left arm straight." She encourages her students to find aspects of the game that they can succeed at to help them master new techniques and confidently apply them to their golf game.

GolfTEC Southcenter



Jordan Cooper – Director of Instruction
A Wenatchee native, Jordan is a Class A PGA Member and graduate of the Golf Academy of America. His passion for teaching led him to GolfTEC for their unparalleled video analysis, 3D motion measurement technology and ideal learning environment. He has taught over 6,000 lessons and fit hundreds of students for custom clubs in his time with GolfTEC. In 2013, he helped over 50 of his students shoot career low rounds, 5 of his students won their club championship, and he had multiple junior players qualify for the State Championship. Jordan is an Eyleine Golf 4 Putting Elements Certified Instructor. He is also a Titleist Performance Institute (TPI) Certified Golf Fitness Instructor and a certified fitter for Callaway, Taylor Made, Titleist, Mizuno, PING, KBS and True Temper. Jordan is a Western Washington Chapter PGA Committee member and enjoys competing in local PGA events. His teaching philosophy is to help his students better understand the physics behind how their ball flight is influenced by their swing, with an emphasis on swinging the club within their own unique physical abilities and limitations.



Matt Crofts is a graduate of the Professional Golf Management program through the PGA of America. Matt has been teaching golf since 2005 and was selected to PGA membership in February of 2009. Matt has taught over 3,000 lessons. He began his career at Carolina Country Club in Raleigh, N.C. and most recently the Golf Club at Newcastle. Whether it is a large group or private lesson Matt has the knowledge and expertise to take you game to the next level. Career low 67.

- Top 15 finish in 2013 PNWPGA Assistant's Championship
- Multiple top 10 finishes in WWC PGA events.
- Over 3,000 lessons taught

GolfTEC Bellevue



Brett Wilkinson – PGA Member, Director of Instruction
A PGA Member since 1991, Brett has been cemented in the PNW golf scene for over 20 years. Earning the admiration of countless students, he welcomes the challenge of helping golfers on all levels, abilities or disabilities, achieve their dreams. After a 14-year stint as Riverbend Golf Complex's head golf professional, Brett joined the GolfTEC Seattle team in 2008. His teaching credentials include giving over 25,000 lessons and hundreds of club fittings, and he is nationally recognized by GolfTEC as one of the few Select Instructors in the country. He has taught 30 college scholarship recipients, 4 All-Americans, and 9 USGA National Championship participants. A recipient of the PNWPGA President's Plaque award for player development and the WWCPGA Junior Golf Leader, Brett has also been nominated six times for Western Washington PGA's Teacher of the Year. He is the 2013 GolfTEC United States Coach of the Year and the 2013 Mizuno Top Club Fitter. He is committed to guiding every one of his students toward reaching their desired golfing goals. Please visit GolfTEC.com.



Erin Menath – LPGA Class A Member, TPI Certified
Erin has given over 7,000 lessons and is committed to the marrying of proper equipment and swing changes. She has been honored with Nevada's "Best Of" award 5 times, as the best pro in the northern Nevada region. Prior to joining GolfTEC in 2011, Erin spent 4 years as Director of Instruction and Tournament Director at Silver Oak Golf Club in Carson City, Nevada. She coaches Nevada's top juniors, instructed Tour Professionals, and winners on both the Pepsi and Golf Channel tours; as well as beginners and amateurs. Through her LPGA and Titleist Performance Institute training, she prescribes changes based on a Student Centered Model; since factors like strength, flexibility, balance, endurance, vision, and posture all influence the body's mechanics. Erin also is a Top Club Fitter at GolfTEC; fitting on average 100 clients per year into properly fit clubs. Preceding Silver Oak, she was the Golf Professional for Club Med Sandpiper in Port St. Lucie, Florida where she worked alongside the 2011 LPGA Teacher of the Year. The 2013 Mizuno Top Club Fitter. Please visit GolfTEC.com.



Eric Hambleton – Certified Personal Coach/Certified Personal Club Fitter
A native of Sammamish, WA and a GolfTEC Certified Personal Instructor since 2012, Eric has taught a wide range of students in his years as a golf professional. Also an expert Club Fitter and Builder, Eric possesses an extensive knowledge of all the latest clubheads, shafts, and technologies available to help his students improve. Prior to joining the team with GolfTEC, Eric instructed at Pumpkin Ridge Golf Club, Broadmoor Golf Club, Seattle Golf Club, and The Golf Club at Newcastle, where he served as the 1st Assistant Golf Professional. Eric has worked with several top amateur and collegiate players, as well as professionals. An accomplished player, Eric's career low round is 61. Eric is committed to helping his students meet and exceed their goals. The 2013 Mizuno Top Club Fitter. Please visit GolfTEC.com.



John LeDoux - PGA Class "A" member/Certified Personal Coach/Certified Club fitter A GolfTEC Seattle team member since February, 2012, John has given well over 2,500 lessons and worked with players of all ages and abilities. A golf business veteran, since 2004, with stops at Bandon Dunes and Harbour Pointe, where he focused on instructional programs for ladies, men, seniors, and junior golfers. John believes in getting his clients to understand golf swing cause and effect relationships to promote more consistent ball flight and improved scoring. Raised in the Southeastern United States, John is armed with a NC State degree in Professional Golf Management. Please visit GolfTEC.com.

GolfTEC Lynnwood



David McMillon – PGA Class "A" Member, Certified Personal Swing Coach and Certified Club Fitter
David learned to play the game in South Texas. He placed 7th individual in State during High School and played at the college level for Schreiner University. He also played as an amateur in the local state events before turning professional when he qualified for the Texas State Open with a 69 at San Angelo Country Club. David started his teaching career at Riverhill Country Club as the 1st Assistant working with all level of golfers, including developing junior golf programs. Now with GolfTEC for 2 years, David has taught over 2,000 lessons and is certified club-fitter. He is actively playing in the Western Washington PGA and has shot a career low 60 and a low tournament round of 65. In addition to his golf success, David has earned his 1st degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do. The key to lower scores and playing your best game is developing solid fundamentals and a versatile short game inside 100 yards.



Lyndsey Devenish – PGA Class "A" Member Certified Personal Swing Coach and Certified Club Fitter
Born and raised in Scotland, Lyndsey played as an amateur in Scotland and collegiately at University of San Francisco. She turned professional in 2003 and played on the Futures Tour 2003 – 2004. Before joining the GolfTEC Lynnwood team in August, 2013, Lyndsey most recently taught at Interbay Golf Center in Seattle. A veteran Swing Coach with well over 3,000 lessons given in her professional career, she has past golf experience working at Bellingham CC, OKI Golf and then served as 1st Assistant at Sand Point CC 2008 – 2012. She has extensive experience teaching players of all ages and ability levels, and has overseen success junior golf and ladies golf programs. A member of the Western Wash. PGA North/South Cup team in 2012, she takes great pride in shooting a personal best of 67. Lyndsey is very confident in her abilities in helping all her students understand the swing mechanics so they are comfortable on any golf course. Her overall teaching goals are to guide all of her students to their desired ball flight and scoring expectations.

GolfTEC South Lake Union



Nathanel Johnson – PGA Class "A" Member/Director of Instruction/Center Manager
Nathanel started his career at Brentwood Country Club in Los Angeles where he taught and was the Certified Personal Club Fitter for 7 years. In 2009, he joined GolfTEC because he believes in the teaching philosophy and that it's the best form of instruction. He moved to Seattle from Santa Monica, CA. With his PGA training and GolfTEC teaching philosophy, he is looking forward to helping students understand their swing and improve their game. For more information about fees and instruction, please visit GolfTEC.com.



Todd Barney – Certified Personal Coach/Certified Personal Club Fitter/Certified TPI Instructor
Raised in Issaquah, Todd followed his passion of becoming a Golf Professional. Graduating with high honors in the Professional Golf Management program at the Professional Golfers Career College in Temecula, CA, Todd pursued Assistant Professional positions in both Arizona and Iowa. Todd started as GolfTEC Seattle's first Certified Personal Coach in 2007. Since then he has given over 6,000 Lessons and Club Fittings. Providing outstanding customer service and a thorough understanding of the swing, Todd takes great pride in making sure each of his students understand their swings. For more information about fees and instruction, please visit GolfTEC.com.



Rance Yanabu – Certified Personal Coach/Certified Personal Club Fitter/PGA Member.
Rance has been a PGA member for many years. He graduated from the University of Nevada - Las Vegas PGA program. He started his career at Brentwood Country Club in Los Angeles where he did club fittings and golf lessons for 3 years. Rance joined GolfTEC in 2011 and since then has given over 3000 lessons and club fittings. His career focus is teaching and improving his student's game so they may enjoy playing the game of golf with friends and family for the rest of their lives. Please visit GolfTEC.com.

Rainier Golf and Country Club



Issac Henry-Cano – PGA Assistant Golf Professional at Rainier Golf and Country Club
A Seattle native and long time Pacific NW golfing standout, Issac has taught over 2,000 lessons and many more club-fittings. In his lesson series he uses V1 Golf Software and a Foresight Launch Monitor to improve your game. If you'd like to make you game whole, sign up for a lesson today!

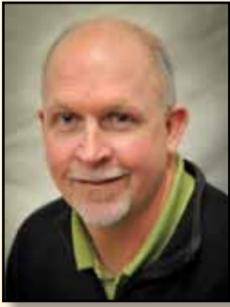
Lesson Rates:

- Adult Private (40 min) - \$50
- Junior Private (40 min) - \$25
- Adult Series of 5 - \$200
- Junior Series of 5 - \$100

Issac can be reached at: ihencycano@gmail.com or 206-242-2800

No matter what your experience level, you can improve your game for the rest of your life with proper golf instruction. Whatever your needs are, you will benefit from taking quality lessons from an experienced professional instructor.

Columbia Super Range, Everett, WA



Kevin Mackay – PGA Class “A” Professional
Kevin has over 30 years of teaching experience. He has been a PGA Class “A” member since 1987. His career started in 1981 at the University of Montana where he earned a degree in Business Administration, he spent several years teaching in California and has been at the Columbia Super Range since 1992 where he owns and operates Class “A” Golf. Kevin works with players on the basics of grip, stance and setup and wants his students to understand basic “cause and effects” of their own particular games. We have a great facility at Columbia Super Range that will help students with all facets of their game from video lessons, short game practice areas, full service pro-shop which offers club fitting and repair to one of the best outdoor

ranges in the area with heated stalls for the cold weather.

He enjoys teaching all levels of players from beginners to more advanced. He has worked with many local area juniors that have gone on to play collegiate level Golf. Currently he is the Head coach for the Jackson High School Girls Varsity Golf team.

To book a lesson call me at 425-338-2424, or visit our website, www.superrange.com.

Columbia Super Range, Everett, WA



Steve Reuhl – PGA Class A Head Professional
Steve is a University of Washington graduate, class of 1975, and has been a golf professional since 1976. He is a Class “A” member of the PGA and has been teaching at the Columbia Super Range since 1993. He enjoys working with golfers of all abilities. Steve believes in solid fundamentals, a good understanding of ball flight, and in developing effective routines. In addition to our driving range, we have 2 indoor video studios, an outstanding chipping and putting area, and heated hitting stations!

Give Steve a call. He would love to help you with your game.

Half hour private lessons \$50; series of 5 lessons \$225.

One hour private lessons \$80; series of 5 lessons \$350.

Juniors (17 and under) half hour \$40; series of 5 lessons \$170.

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Columbia Super Range, Everett, WA



Chuck Notestone – PGA Master Professional
Chuck is a PGA Master Professional (certified in teaching) for 17 years, an award winning member of the PGA for 30 years, having a wealth of experience teaching all ages and skill levels to enjoy better golf games. In the process of helping you play better golf, my focus begins with the basic fundamentals grip, set-up and swing motion. Whether out for fun or desiring a better number out of your golf, my goal is helping you get there. Teacher, coach, psychologist, trainer are a few of the hats I wear with my students. Outlining a proper practice regimen for making the changes more repeatable and permanent are keys to improving my student’s games. Having had the privilege of working with some on the world’s most recognized

teachers has given me a depth of knowledge to connect with a wide range of golfers. I look forward to helping you get better with your golf. To book a lesson call me at 425-338-2424, or visit our website, www.superrange.com.

Twin Rivers Golf Course, Fall City



Erin Szekely - Class A member of the LPGA Teaching and Club Professional Division. Erin has been a Class A member of the LPGA Teaching and Club Professional Division since 1996. Erin has given thousands of lessons over the past eighteen years.

Erin’s philosophy about the golf swing and the game is to keep it simple: that the swing is like any other physical move. Moves that we make every day....We make it hard by breaking it down into small parts instead of staying with the whole and making the swing be a response to what we do with the club. She follows the principles of PGA and Hall of Fame member Manuel de la Torre and is featured in his dvd “Understanding the Golf Swing”.

Erin has an instructional dvd called ‘Golfing with Erin.’

Lesson Rates

Private (50 minutes).....60.00 • Series of 4 private lessons..... 200.00
Semi-private (1hr.) (2 person).....90.00 • Semi-private (1hr.) (3 person).....120.00
Semi-private (1.5 hr) (4 person)...150.00

For more information about Erin you can visit her website: www.GolfingWithErin.com or by phone at 425-273-4948.

Echo Falls Golf Club, Snohomish



Brian Flugstad – The Brian Flugstad Golf Academy
Brian grew up playing golf locally at Inglewood Golf Club in Kenmore. After establishing himself as a top ranked amateur, he went on to play collegiate golf at Washington State University and Western Washington University where he earned All-American Honors. After college, he played professionally for eight years, including 6 years on the Canadian Tour. It was during this time that he worked with some of the top instructors in the country such as Chuck Cook. All of these experiences helped shape his teaching philosophy, “There is no universal way to swing the golf club”. Brian prides himself on working with each individual student to identify the areas of their game that need improvement, formulate a game plan and achieve their goals.

His ability to work with the full spectrum of players, from beginner to advanced, is truly unique. Regardless of whether you have been playing golf your entire life or have never picked up a club, Brian will help you learn to love the game of golf as much as he does.

Lesson Rates

55 Minutes: \$55 30 Minutes: \$45
(4) 30 Minute: \$160 (4) 55 Minute: \$200

For more information or to book a lesson you can contact Brian at:
Phone: 206-713-4160 * Email: flugstadgolf@hotmail.com *
Website: www.brianflugstad.com

Pro Golf Discount, Lynnwood



Ryan Benzel - PGA Professional

At Pro Golf Discount, we use a Foresight Launch Monitor / Simulator for our indoor lessons in our state of the art golf theaters. Ryan includes video analysis with each lesson using V1 Golf Software to record and diagnose your swing on a 42-inch plasma TV for your viewing.

Ryan has competed with the best players in the world at the PGA Championship four times (2007, 2008, 2009, 2010). Ryan takes what he learns from those competitive experiences as well as over 10 years as a PGA Professional to help students of all abilities improve their game. Contact Ryan at 206-683-0025 or <http://www.progolfseattle.com/ryan-benzel-lessons>

- 2012 Pacific Northwest PGA Professional Champion
- 3-Time Pacific Northwest PGA Section Player of the Year
- 2-Time Western Washington PGA Chapter Player of the Year
- Competed in 4 PGA Championships
- 2-Time Member of the United States PGA Cup Team
- Guest Instructor on the Golf Channel’s “The Golf Fix” with Michael Breed

Lesson Information

Single Lesson	\$ 70.00	(45 Minute Lessons)
Series of 3	\$195.00	
Series of 5	\$300.00	
Junior Lesson	\$ 50.00	(17 and under)

Pro Golf Discount, Southcenter



Jim Bennett – PGA member with 30 years experience and the *Golf Digest* #5 Teachers in Washington 2013.

After having taught at Southcenter Golf for 15 years Jim Bennett has moved down the street to the New Pro Golf Discount store in Southcenter, 17305 Southcenter Parkway across from Red Robin. “It has been a fantastic fit for me to continue my relationships in the Southcenter area.”

The new technology with the Pro Golf Theatre, state of the art launch monitor, simulator, and video equipment makes it easy helping students with their game, and club fitting. “I have all the tools to help every level of golfer, with every aspect of their game.” With the ability to give putting, pitching, and chipping lessons it makes the indoor

experience complete. Coming into this time of year it’s going to be great to be inside out of the weather.”

Jim has been teaching for 30 years and still enjoys helping all levels of golfers. Come down to Pro Golf and check out the new digs, and start working on your game now, so when spring comes, you are ready to go! You can contact Jim at (206) 431-0100.

Pro Golf Discount, Southcenter



Tony Robydek – PGA member

Tony began his PGA Professional career in 2001 as an assistant Golf Professional at Oakbrook Golf Course in Lakewood, WA. In 2003 Tony moved over to Canterwood Golf & Country Club, there he spent 8 years teaching players of all abilities from beginners all the way to PGA tour players. In 2012 Tony spent 1 year working and teaching at Brookdale Golf course where he finished his PGA Membership.

Tony Robydek Golfing Accomplishments

Tony is an accomplished player who likes to compete on all levels. In 1999 Tony made it to the 2nd stage of PGA Tour Qualifying School. In 2005 he won the Washington PGA Assistants Championship, and in 2007 he finished second in the Washington open, that same year

Tony won the Budweiser Open in Tri Cities.

Tony enjoys teaching players of all abilities and believes in strong pre-swing fundamentals - Grip, posture & alignment. His goal is to help his students understand their golf swing and make golf more enjoyable for all skill levels.

Please call 253.209.9312 to reserve your lesson time.

Jade Greens Golf Course, Auburn



Doug Campbell – Life Member of the PGA –206-883-0355

Doug played #1 Man on Univ. of Wash. golf team.

Played on PGA Tour 1979 - 1982

Played in 1980 PGA at Oak Hill

Played in 1984 British Open at St. Andrews

Played in 1986 US Open at Shinnecock Hills

Won 12 Professional Regional Tournaments, including 2 Oregon Opens and 2 NW PGAs

8 Hudson Cups

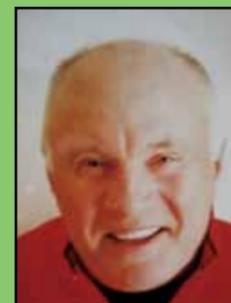
1 PGA Cup Team (Top 9 US club pros v.s. Top 9 British Club pros)

Head pro at Auburn Golf Course for 21 years and worked 3 years for John Jacobs Golf Schools as instructor in Scottsdale, AZ.

Doug enjoys teaching golfers of all skills and ages.

Lesson Packages

- 1/2 Hour Private lesson – \$45
- Series of 5 lessons – \$200
- 1/2 Hour Junior – \$35
- Series Junior – \$150



Steve Dubsy – PGA Teaching Instructor

Experience :

- 5 years Sand Point Country Club
- 3 years Meridian Valley CC
- 12 years Head Pro at Lake Spanaway GC
- 12 years Director of Golf at Elk Run GC

Teaches all ages - youth to elderly

Currently at Jade Greens GC & Driving Range

18330 SE Lake Holm Road, Auburn, WA 98092

Phone: 253-931-8562 - 253-638-7325

Riverbend Golf Complex, Kent



Marti O'Neill – PGA Class “A” Member Head Professional
Marti O'Neill has been a teaching professional at Riverbend for 16 years and a lifelong protégé of the Northwest's leading golf instructors and club designers. His ability to distinguish the strengths and weaknesses of each individual and to create an instructional regimen accordingly is second to none. Marti's personality, teaching diversity and patience has helped elevate the game of golf to students of all abilities with an accumulated 12,000 lessons to his credit. In 2008 he was awarded the Western Washington PGA's President's Plaque for his extraordinary and exemplary contributions and achievements in the area of Player Development.

Lesson Rates

30 Minute Lesson: Adults \$50 • Juniors (under 17) \$45
1-Hour lesson: Adults \$90 • Juniors (under 17) \$80
Series of 4-30 minute lessons: Adults \$180 • Juniors \$160

For information on playing lessons, semi-private and group lessons call 253-859-4000.



Jon Shabel – PGA Apprentice Teaching Professional
Jon Shabel started his golf education working at the Riverbend Driving Range in 2002 and also at Auburn Golf Course. Jon is currently in his third year of the PGA education program. This is his 6th year assisting at Riverbend where he has been honing his skills in the area of club-fitting. Upon seeking his membership into the PGA, Jon has proved to be a great addition in assisting with the complex's production of junior camps. In 2009 he was offered a position as an assistant instructor to the First Tee of Greater Seattle. Jon has an extensive knowledge of golf swing fundamentals, golf fitness and club fitting which fosters a great approach to learning the game at any skill level especially with his friendly attitude.

Lesson Rates

30 Minute Lesson: Adults \$50 • Juniors (under 17) \$45
1-Hour lesson: Adults \$90 • Juniors (under 17) \$80
Series of 4-30 minute lessons: Adults \$180 • Juniors \$160

For information on playing lessons, semi-private and group lessons call 253-859-4000.



Eric Hinrichs – PGA Class A Professional
Eric Hinrichs is a familiar face after spending the majority of his youth playing golf with his father, an accomplished amateur golfer, at Riverbend. After setting almost every golf record at Thomas Jefferson High School and winning his share of regional events, Eric decided to become a golf professional at an early age. For 8 years, Eric has helped run Riverbend's 18-hole golf course and he has also helped coordinate Riverbend's junior golf camps, clinics and tournaments. Eric has ascertained a thorough understanding of the golf swing, becoming one of the top left-handed players in the section and has assisted many high school and college players throughout their early careers. As a result of his abilities, Josh Immordino secured Eric as his caddie when

he qualified as an alternate for the 2008 U.S. Open Championship. Eric's disposition and willingness make him a perfect fit for all your instructional needs.

Lesson Rates

30 Minute Lesson: Adults \$50 • Juniors (under 17) \$45
1-Hour lesson: Adults \$90 • Juniors (under 17) \$80
Series of 4-30 minute lessons: Adults \$180 • Juniors \$160

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Josh Immordino – PGA Class A Member Professional
Josh Immordino has been a standout golfer in the Pacific Northwest ever since his years as a junior. After setting almost every golf record at Kentwood High School, Josh continued his golfing prowess at Western Washington University where he finished as a 3-Time All American. Josh captured the Seattle Amateur Title, representing Washington in the USGA State Team Championship, qualifying for the prestigious Hudson Cup Matches and in 2006 capturing the exclusive Washington State Open Title. He turned professional shortly after his win and followed that up with a win at the 2007 Oregon State Open, a qualification into the 2008 U.S. Open Championship as an alternate and a 2009 win at the Pacific Northwest PGA Pro-Assistants

Championship. He brings a great understanding of the game of golf to players of every age and ability, especially junior golfers. His patience, demeanor and personal experience make him a perfect fit for educating our local youth.

Lesson Rates

30 Minute Lesson: Adults \$50 • Juniors (under 17) \$45
1-Hour lesson: Adults \$90 • Juniors (under 17) \$80
Series of 4-30 minute lessons: Adults \$180 • Juniors \$160

For information on playing lessons, semi-private and group lessons call 253-859-4000.



Justin Harvey – PGA Apprentice Teaching Professional
Justin has been a familiar face at Riverbend for years. He started golfing in Jr. High School and has always had a passion for sports, especially the game of golf. Once out of high school he decided to take his passion for the game to the next level and attended Skagit Valley CC as a member of the golf team. Justin is now in his 6th season at Riverbend and over that time he has amassed multiple wins in the Riverbend Men's Club as well as other local events. He has studied under all of Riverbend's PGA instructors and has worked as an assistant coach and consultant to the Seattle Christian High School Team. Justin's easy going and friendly nature allows him to work well with players of all ability levels but he also takes his

students development and progress seriously. Justin has also embraced current technology by using "Swing A'tem" computer software for swing analysis. Justin's goal as your instructor is to reduce strokes and improve overall play consistency. He has a passion to help new and experienced golfers improve and grow the game.

*Riverbend Complex has an 18-hole championship course,
a 9-hole executive course,
driving range and merchandise center*

Twin Lakes Golf & C C, Federal Way



Chris Johnson is the head golf professional at Twin Lakes Golf and Country Club in Federal Way.

Chris graduated from nearby Decatur High School and played his junior golf at Twin Lakes while growing up. He graduated from the San Diego Golf Academy and served as head professional at Fairwood Golf and Country Club for 10 years and Tacoma Firs Golf Center for two years.

Cost for lessons is \$65 for 45 minute session.
Chris can be reached at 253-838-0345.



Kris Runge – PGA Assistant Professional
Twin Lakes CC
PGA Member

Teaching philosophy: Anybody who has played golf knows how difficult and complicated the game can be at times. This idea of complexity takes on a whole new meaning when taking lessons. I attempt to keep the lesson simple by focusing on set-up and the impact that has on swing plan and swing path and how these areas effect the flight of the golf ball. See how simple that sounds?

If this has peaked your curiosity, for \$45, we can talk about this in more detail for 45 minutes.

I can be contacted at Twin Lakes pro shop: 253-838-0345.



Jonathan Angell – Assistant Golf Professional at
Twin Lakes G & CC

“Jonny” Angell is an up and coming local golf pro with an upbringing in the Western Washington golf community. He has studied under some of the areas finest professionals. Working in the industry from a young age has given him ample time to understand the mechanics of the golf swing, while his easy-going approach makes him a delight to interact with. As a graduate from the Golf Academy of America in Phoenix, AZ, he gained important knowledge of the intricacies of golf that allows him to deliver an excellent professional learning experience. Jonny uses video and club fitting as common practices in his work.

He also has enough seasoning to give you the most current and up-to-date style of instruction. He loves to work with players of all ages and abilities. You can reach him at Twin Lakes Golf & Country Club – 253.838.0345 or at 253-709-3826 – email: angell.jonny@gmail.com.

Bear Creek Learning and Fitting Center



JD Cline – Class A PGA Professional

JD is the owner operator of the Bear Creek Learning and Fitting Center, located at the Bear Creek Country Club in Woodinville, WA. JD has been personally trained by Jim McLean, and is the only Certified Jim McLean Master Instructor in Washington. “In the eight years I have spent at Bear Creek, I've given literally thousands of golf lessons to all stripes of golfers from beginner to tour player with great results. Myself and Bryan Stevens, here at BCLFC have achieved **K Vest Level two Certification** and we believe **K Vest** training to be the newest, best and most efficient way to teach the proper body sequence in your golf swing. I believe that you can affect positive changes in

your golf swing quickly by addressing **Grip, Posture, Set-up and Alignment**, or as Jim McLean would say **“Be Brilliant on the Basics.”**

We utilize **Flightscope** launch monitor technology, in addition to the **V1 Golf** video system, to provide video email follow up. Paired with the latest in 3D imagery provided by **K Vest** we shorten your learning curve and ultimately lower your scores. *It is NOT necessary to be a Bear Creek Member to take advantage of this state of the art technology.* **WEB www.jdlinegolf.com or call 425 231 4337.**



Bryan Steven – After a successful high school golf career, Bryan played for the University of Washington and won the 1997 Seattle City Amateur. After several years playing professional mini-tours, Bryan found his passion in teaching and coaching the game. As a tournament player, as well as one of the few **K-Vest Level 2** and **TPI Certified** instructors in the region, Bryan is able to bring both the art and science of teaching to his students. Additionally, Bryan is a **Titleist Certified Club Fitter** and uses a launch monitor to customize your equipment. Bryan is the Head Men's and Women's Golf Coach at Bellevue College and works with many of the areas top high school and collegiate players. Bryan and JD also run the highly successful **Bear Creek Jr. Academy**, where aspiring juniors are prepared for tournament level

competition and collegiate golf. Individual full swing, short game, and **K-Vest** lessons are available as well as monthly coaching programs. Contact Bryan at 206-619-4575 or bks105@gmail.com.

Chambers Bay, University Place



Brent Zepp & Ryan Young

PGA Coaching Club - \$80/month - 1 hour of PGA coaching every Saturday and Sunday afternoons in Feb., March, and April (Up to 10 hrs of instr./month). Each weekend your instructor will go over a new topic (i.e. Putting, Short Game, Ball Striking, Driving/Woods). The instructor will be available the rest of the time to help with any questions. Attendance of every session is not required, come and go as desired.

Also included:

- Free practice facility day pass on days of coaching sessions
- Unlimited short game use on North Range w/ own shag bag any day
- Optional \$20 nine-hole green fee after coaching sessions on Saturdays (Limit to first 24 players/avail.)

* Coaching sessions offered rain or shine, but subject to change w/o notice

* Limited to the first 40 members

To sign up or get more info please contact Brent Zepp or Ryan Young at 253.460.4653 or visit our website www.chambersbaygolf.com.

Meadow Park Golf Course, Tacoma



Dan Harrington – PGA Head Professional
(253) 473-3033 x102
danh@tacomaparks.com

- Western Washington Chapter - PGA Vice President
- 2005, 2011, 2012, 2013 WWC-PGA - Junior Golf Leader award winner.
- 2011 Pacific Northwest-PGA Section - Junior Leader of the Year Award
- 2010 – to present, WJGA District 3 Director
- 4-Year Letterman at Western Washington University
- Clover Park H S golf coach & former Kentridge H S coach.
- Active Participant in PGA Pro-Am Series since 1996

A lifetime golfer & student of the game, Dan has been a professional since 1995 and has been with Meadow Park Golf Course since January 2004. His prior experiences at Bear Creek Country Club, Sudden Valley Golf Course, The Course at Taylor Creek, Fairwood Golf & Country Club & Meridian Valley Country Club have enabled Dan to continue his passion for the game of golf through player game development and tournament programs.

You will walk away from each session with a clear understanding of how to make easy improvements to your all-around golf game.



Erik Haag – PGA Assistant Golf Professional
Meadow Park Golf Course - Tacoma (253) 473-3033 x102
erikh@tacomaparks.com

- Professional Golf Association of America member since 2000.
- Experienced in Adult & Junior player development programs
- PGA Certified Professional accreditation, March 2013
- Active in WWC-PGA Pro-Member series
- Continuous lesson education provided by the PGA of America
- Golf Management Degree from the College of the Desert in Palm Desert, CA

He became a golf professional in 1995 and has been with Meadow Park Golf Course since July 2008. Prior professional experience included Mesquite Golf & Country Club, Desert Dunes Golf Club & Bear Creek Country Club where Erik was heavily involved in adult & junior player development programs, clinics & camps. Erik provides a state of the art lesson, junior golf & club fitting programs which provides multiple levels of services for golfers of all ages.



Rick Giroux – PGA Golf Professional
Meadow Park Golf Course – Tacoma (253) 229-7268
gyrotalent@yahoo.com

Coached at both high school and college levels.
Instructed at Brookdale, Eaglequest Range, Twin Lakes, The Classic, American Lake, University and at Linden Golf & CC. Proponent of short game and instructing the fundamentals of golf. Use of video analysis for positive reinforcement. Junior golfers are a priority. All individual lessons include stretching charts and golf specific strengthening programs. Rick teaches rewarding drills and lesson plans specific to learn that elusive “feel” and “touch” around the greens.

“I believe my job is to recognize an individual’s preferences and how best to relate to all students the Principles of Golf.”



Mark Wurtz – Golf Professional, Former PGA tour pro
Meadow Park Golf Course – Tacoma (760) 861-4160
mark.wurtz31@gmail.com

Mark grew up in Port Ludlow learning golf at a young age from his dad Ted Wurtz, a long-time local PGA Professional. After winning numerous junior golf tournaments and two state High School individual championships, Mark attended the University of New Mexico on a golf scholarship. He spent a brief time in Palm Springs as an assistant pro, before playing full time on the Canadian, Asian, Nationwide, and PGA tours.

Mark learned the mental side of the game from Dr. Bob Rotella and the fundamentals and physics of the golf swing from Mac O’Grady. Mark’s philosophy to teaching is taking one’s own body built and natural ability and helping students understand their own tendencies. “You don’t have to know the perfect golf swing---you just need to know the rules and laws to your swing.” Mark gives lessons at Meadow Park Golf Course from April to October.



Joseph Kim – Teaching Professional,
* Graduate of Clover Park High School - 1979
* University of Washington - 1984
* Attended Mike Bender Golf Academy - 2004
* Instructor at Meadow Park Golf Course since 2005
* Low Career Round - 65 (-7) at Tumwater Golf Course
* Participant in PGA Pro-Member Series in 2010 and 2011

A lifetime golfer & student of the game, Joseph has been a golf professional since 2004 and has been with Meadow Park Golf Course as an instructor since 2005.

You will walk away from each session with a clear understanding of how to make easy improvements to your all-around golf game.

Joseph can be contacted at: nwkg1991@gmail.com.

Discovery Bay Golf Club, Port Townsend



Daniel Swindler – Golf Professional
Dan entered the golf business in 2004 as the assistant golf professional at Orchard Hills Country Club and also served as an assistant at Gig Harbor Golf Club and the Cedars on Salmon Creek before returning to Port Townsend and Discovery Bay Golf Club. Dan believes that the key to golf is to “keep it simple” and to focus on the key fundamentals of the golf swing. The short game is also a main focal point in Dan’s lesson plans, “your play from inside 100 yards can make or break your round.” practice is key.

Private lessons - \$40.00 per lesson (45 min.)
Series of four- \$120.00
Junior lessons- \$20.00 per lesson (30 min)

Friday ladies clinics- \$10.00 per person (starting first Friday in June)

For more information or to book a lesson please contact Dan at (360) 385-0704 or (360) 355-0950

Horseshoe Lake Golf Course, Port Orchard



Fil Falcon – Head Pro Horseshoe Lake Golf Course
I am a firm believer in teaching the golf swing from the ground up. If you have a solid foundation the swing will come naturally. As a teacher I try not to overwhelm my students. I achieve this by drills and correct repetition. Unlike many golf instructors, I do not try to force a particular golf swing model on all of my students. I understand that everyone is built differently and that each person has their own personal preferences. All of my lessons are custom built based on the swing style and swing plane of the student.

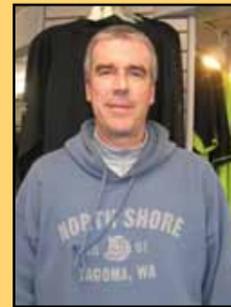
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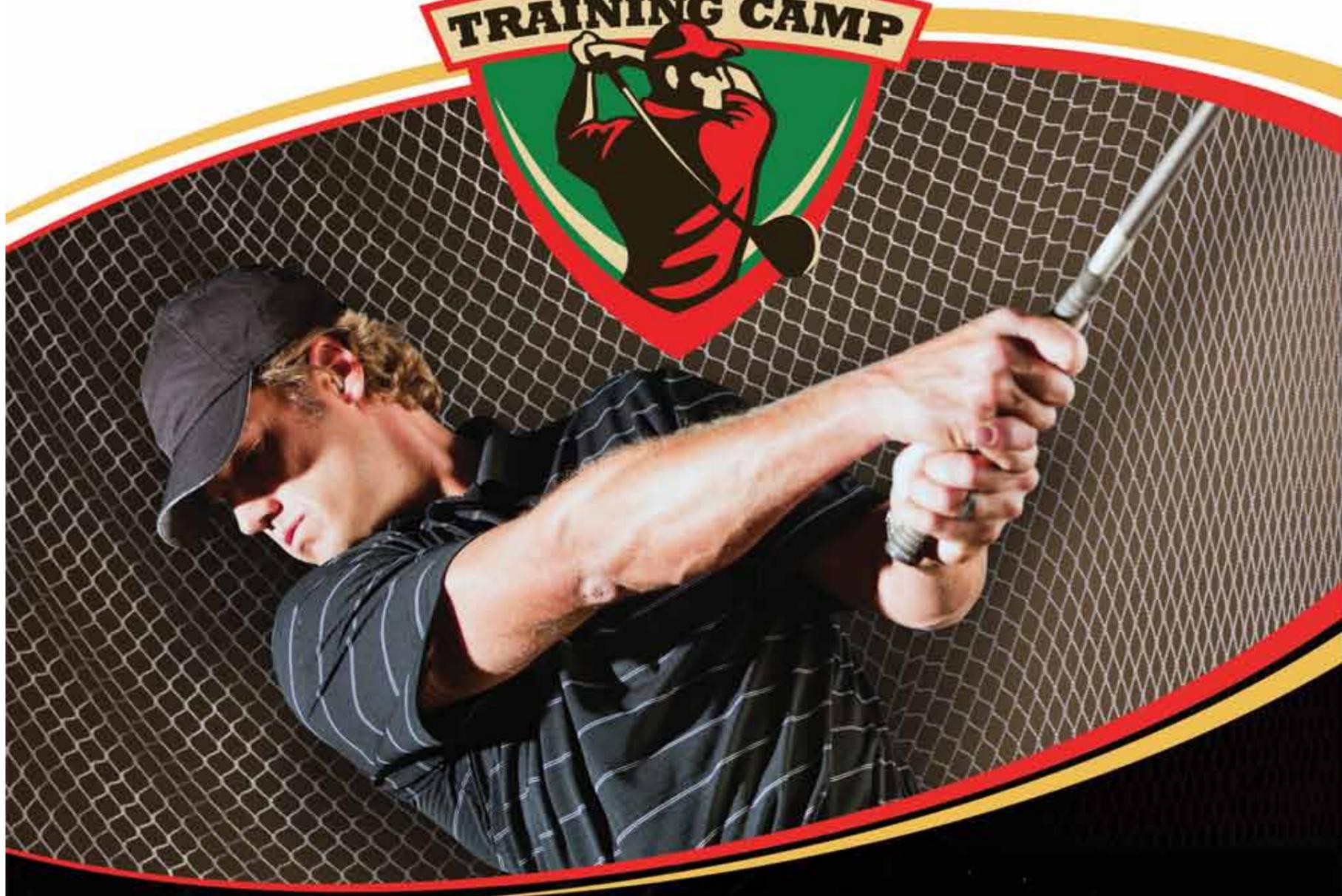
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Chambers Bay book on the way

A website has been launched for "America's St. Andrews" in advance of the most anticipated sporting event ever to be held in the Pacific Northwest. The website's address is www.AmericasStAndrews.com, and is in support of the hardbound full-color coffee table book that chronicles the improbable story of how, against all odds, Chambers Bay, in 2008 just an eight-month old publicly-owned facility in University Place, Wash., was selected to host the 2010 U.S. Amateur Championship as well as be the first course in the Pacific Northwest to host the U.S. Open, which will be held there in 2015.

Included on the website are a sampling of photos from the book, quotes from interviewees, table of contents, paragraphs pulled from chapters, and a video which can also be viewed here.

The website was designed by Abell Smith, the webmaster for the Pacific Northwest Golf Association.

The scheduled release date for the book is October 1, 2014, and prior to its release the book

can be pre-ordered directly from the website at a preferred rate of \$29.95. Once the book is released, it will retail for \$39.95. Also on the website are two levels of options for businesses wishing to be a partner in the book. Once released, the book will be available wherever books are sold, as well as online, and will be sold onsite at the 2015 U.S. Open. It will also be available on eBooks via Kindle, iPad and other tablets.

Included in the book are extensive interviews with all the key people involved in the process of transforming an abandoned gravel mine into a U.S. Open-caliber golf course, such as Mike Davis, Executive Director of the United States Golf Association; Danny Sink, USGA Championship Director of the 2015 U.S. Open; Matt Allen, General Manager of Chambers Bay, and his superintendent, who took on the task of nurturing fine fescue grass in an unfamiliar landscape; John Ladenburg, the former Pierce County Executive who spent all the political clout he had on a dream that ultimately came true.

For Seattle Times columnist Blaine Newnham is the author and Tom Cade of the PNGA is the editor of the book.

Prince named OGA Player of Year

The Oregon Golf Association (OGA) has announced the Player of the Year for the 2013 championship season. Kendall Prince of Lake Oswego, Ore. was nominated because of the great season she had nationally, regionally and locally emphasizing the OGA's commitment to a player's body of work.

Prince, a Junior at the University of Arizona, began her season by winning the Oregon Amateur title, which had eluded her last year where she finished runner-up. She continued her solid play regionally at the PNGA Amateur, earning medalist honors on her way to a round of sixteen finish.

Meadow Park in Tacoma is offering up some new ideas

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Meadow Park is celebrating its 99th birthday this year by offering golfers of all ages and skill levels with group lessons and playing opportunities as a part of the PGA of America's "Get Golf Ready" program. In addition to learning the game, the course has created three distinct annual passes as well as monthly and 10-round passes available year-round to make it affordable for everyone.

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Meadow Park, owned and operated by Metro Parks Tacoma, has been a south Tacoma tradition for years. With the course's 100th birthday coming the same year as a special tournament comes to town, the course is a perfect fit for the Tacoma/Pierce County region. The course is also the home for the First Tee of South Puget Sound, offering lessons and life skills to Tacoma-area youths.

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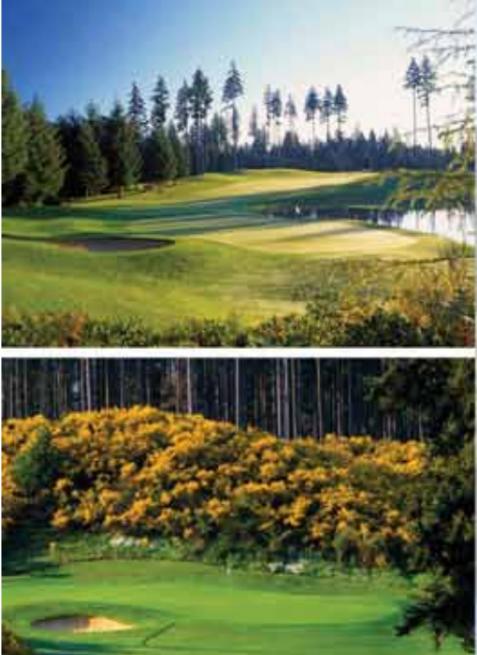
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For former LPGA star Rarick golf and wine mix just fine

By Eric Degerman

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Cindy Rarick's career as a golfer has been about low scores, but the business plan for the five-time winner on the LPGA Tour is just the opposite as director of Silvara Vineyards – her young, critically acclaimed winery in Leavenworth, Wash.

"We get a lot of people coming into the tasting room who have heard that a golfer is part-owner of the winery and they'll ask, 'Is the golfer here? I'd like to talk golf with her,'" Rarick chuckled.

"I still travel quite a bit for golf, but I enjoy helping in the tasting room. I've always been a people person and being a golfer is a bit like being an entertainer, so I enjoy meeting people coming in the doors – whether they are traveling through or are from the area – and being able to give them a tour of the winery."

The wines, made by longtime boyfriend Gary Seidler, are worth the visit.

At the 2013 Seattle Wine Awards, the Silvara Vineyards 2010 Riesling received a double gold and the 2009 Red Blend picked up a gold medal. The 2010 Quartette, another red blend, began earning superlatives from wine judges soon after it was released to the public. And all Silvara wines are made with Columbia Valley grapes.

"Gary is new to the industry, but he's been an assistant at a couple of wineries, which has introduced him to some well-known winemakers in the state," she said. "They have been coaching and helping him, and because of them we're turning out some award-winning wines."

Seidler neither played golf nor had an interest in the game until meeting Rarick by chance while on a plane traveling to Las Vegas for a NASCAR race. On the other hand, she's been a wine lover for years, and her tastes continue to evolve, especially since opening her own winery in 2008.

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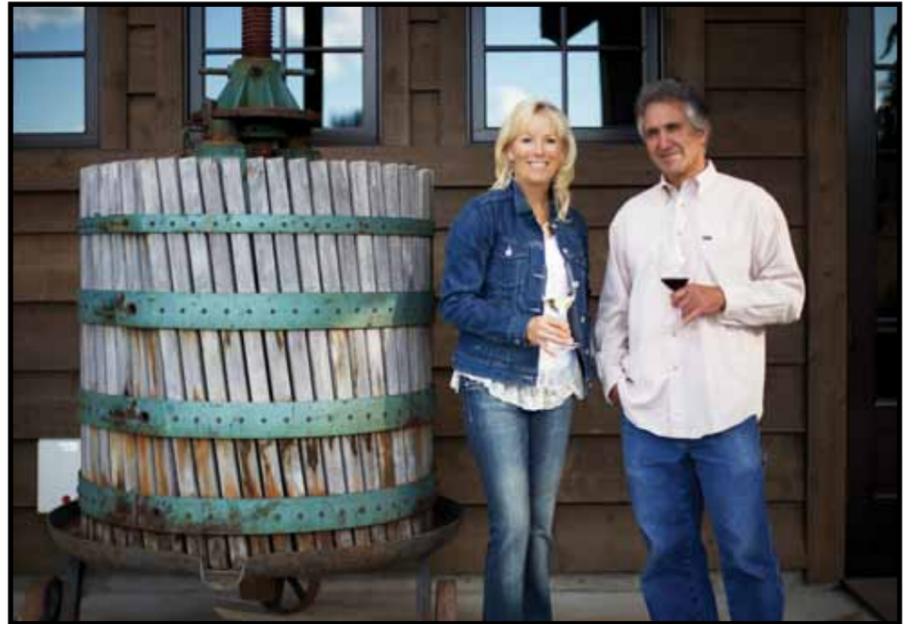
A career in golf that began as a junior in Glenwood, Minn., led Rarick to the University of Hawaii, career earnings on the LPGA Tour of more than \$2 million and a snowbird home in Tucson, Ariz. None of those locales are viewed as "wine country" in the classic sense, which explains her reaction when Seidler approached her about a new career in Washington state.

Rarick enjoys being able to blend wine with golf while in the Wenatchee Valley. She works on her game between Leavenworth Golf Club, Wenatchee Golf & Country Club and Mount Cashmere during those weeks she's at the winery. She helps with fundraising for the Leavenworth High School golf program when her schedule allows and talked up the area so much that Jan Stephenson, a former LPGA Tour star and long-time friend, visited for several days.

"She came to Leavenworth and fell in love with it," Rarick said. "We took her on hikes, introduced her to some of my friends, went to the farmers market and ate some fascinating food."

After five years, Rarick, 53, talks like a Wenatchee Valley tour guide. She also knows the Puget Sound area well from her days on the LPGA Tour.

"We used to play the Safeco Classic at Merid-



Cindy Rarick and longtime partner Gary Seidler. Photo by John Keen/KeenEye Photography

ian Valley in Kent, a great course, and while I played for 20 years in the Seattle area, I never had time to explore the state, especially going over the Cascades."

That connection with western Washington continues via the Legends Tour, which has stopped in July the past two years at Inglewood Golf Club in Kenmore for Swing for the Cure.

Rarick remains competitive on the Legends Tour and especially looks forward to the Wendy's Charity Challenge on Aug. 11-12 in Jackson, Miss., where she lost last year in a playoff to Barb Mucha but still picked up \$8,000. "It was fun to be in that position and get the juices flowing," she said.

Rarick's best stretch on the LPGA Tour came from 1987 to 1991 when she won at least once each year except in 1988. She won twice in 1987, starting with the Hawaiian Ladies Open, a two-

stroke victory over Jane Geddes.

"That first one is always special because it validates the belief in yourself," she said. "Then it becomes, 'I can do this and I want more of it!'"

Many wine lovers tend to forget that what ends up in their glass begins with farming grapes, and Mother Nature makes it a gamble – even though Washington state's climate, soils and irrigation remove some of the risk. It's also a reason why the phrase, 'How do you make a small fortune in the wine industry? Start with a large fortune,' is only a half-joke to Rarick and Seidler.

"It's because of golf that we've been able to do this," Rarick said. "It's given us the wherewithal to buy this property and build the winery, and our timing was great. The Washington wine industry is booming. If I were still playing the regular tour, though, I wouldn't have time to do this, so life is wonderful."



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I believe it is a helpful thing to evaluate our golf games at least once each year. I know I do. Each one of us desires to play better, score lower, hit it further, more consistent ball striking, make more putts and the list goes on. We need to sometimes take a slightly different approach to improvement to achieve our new goals.

I would like to strongly suggest to pick a few areas to improve.

First, perhaps it would serve most golfers well to look at the short game first. If golfers started their focus and practice on and around the greens scores would definitely be lower.

Look at your putting. How can one eliminate 3 putts? To eliminate mistakes is a sure and quick way to score lower! Practice speed drills from 40 feet or further. Focus on speed first and foremost when playing. Start to roll the ball past the hole to eliminate half of your error of short and past the hole too far.

Next, commit to and trust your read from 5 feet and in. Most short putts are missed because golfers get cautious, fearful and doubtful as they get closer to the hole. Because of this mental blockage again commit and trust your read. Also, develop a timely consistent routine. More like Brant Snedeker. Less time to putt equals less time to THINK. Golfers on a whole would play better, enjoy themselves and the game more if they thought less and played faster.

Secondly, work on that pitching around the green. Master that sand wedge around the green. Wear that club out! Use that sand wedge 95% of the time (or more) from at least 75 yards and in. Getting the golf ball up and down around the green (or just up) compared to not is like making a birdie. If you do not convert that up and down you will need a birdie to make up for



Jeff Coston

that mistake.

Next, drive the ball better. That driver needs to be our "offensive weapon!" Most golfers are filled with doubt and defensive with that driver.

Make the golf ball curve with that driver. Jack Nicklaus told me when we played, straights an accident. Learn to swing that driver on plane. That driver swing is more from the inside than any club in the bag! It is of the utmost importance to shallow the path and shaft on your driver. Make that a goal for 2014 and you will really enjoy the game.

Fourth, read and apply the first five chapters especially of a book by a friend of mine called, "Extraordinary Golf" by Fred Shoemaker. This book is required reading for my students. Shoemaker read my mail in the "extraordinary" book.

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Jeff Coston is a 20 time Pacific Northwest PGA Player of the Year. He is a member of the Pacific Northwest PGA Hall of Fame. Jeff can be reached for appointment by calling 360 201 4590 and jeffcoston.com.



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Playing a provisional ball isn't as simple as it seems. Yes, you do have to say, "This is a provisional ball" (or at least use the word "provisional"). If you don't, it's the ball in play, your original ball is automatically lost, and you now lie three (assuming you were playing from the tee). And yes, if you go more than about 50 yards down the fairway before realizing that maybe you should have played a provisional, you are no longer entitled to play a provisional. If you do, it's the ball in play and your original ball is lost under stroke-and-distance.

How long can I continue to play my provisional before having to either abandon it or having it become my ball in play?

Take a look at the picture. Assume your original ball was played from the tee and it ends up in the trees at Point A. You properly play a provisional and top it and it ends up at Point B. Now, let me digress a moment.

The dotted line is an equidistant arc that indicates how far that original ball is from the hole from any point on the arc. Any point inside that arc is deemed to be closer to the hole than your original ball. You can continue to play your provisional ball from any point outside that arc. So if you play strokes from Points B, C and D and then go over and find your ball at Point A, the provisional ball is abandoned and you lie 1 at Point A. But if you play a stroke from Point E, then the original



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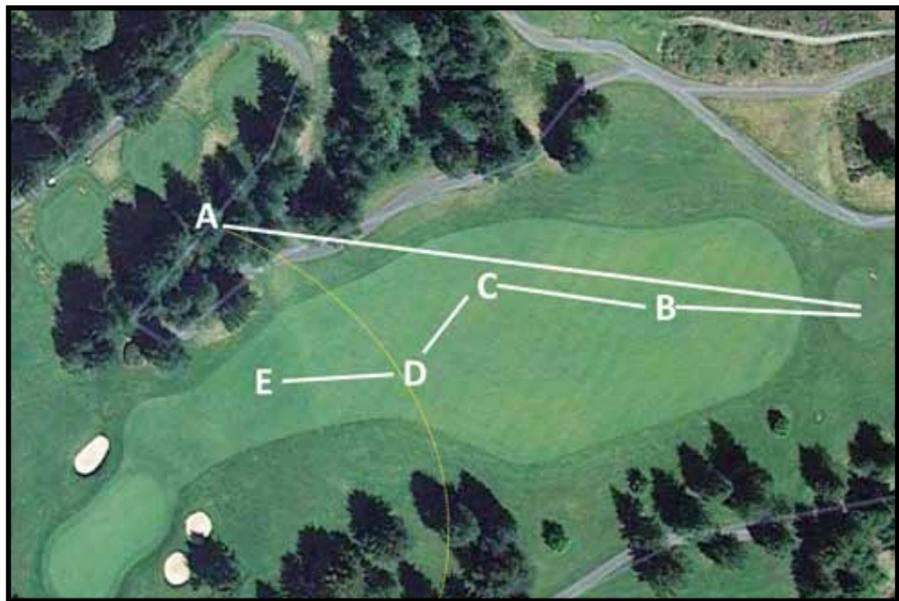
ball is lost, the provisional ball is in play, and you lie 7. The bottom line is that you can continue to play your provisional ball from a point

no nearer the hole than where your original ball is likely to be, but when it reaches a point nearer the hole than where the original ball is likely to be, you must either find your original ball or continue to play your provisional ball under penalty of stroke-and-distance.

What if I play a stroke from Point E, and then find my original ball and play it?

Bad news! That original ball is out of play, and you've played a wrong ball. If you do that, abandon that original ball immediately, add two more strokes to your score, and continue playing with the provisional ball.

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You need to know the do's and don'ts when playing a provisional ball during your round of golf.

Bandon Dunes to build a sixth course

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Also part of the deal is Keiser's transfer of 208 acres to the state park system - 111 acres next to the Bandon State Natural Area and 97 adjacent to Bullards Beach State Park. Bandon Biota also will spend about \$300,000 on gorse control in the Bandon area, and pay as much as \$2.95 million to help the state buy a 10-acre parcel known as Whale Cove in Lincoln County. The Grant County parcel, part of the 6,300-acre Grouse Mountain Ranch, will be turned into a state park.

In exchange, Bandon Biota will receive 280 acres of the 878-acre Bandon State Natural Area along the coast. On that property, Keiser will build his sixth course, Bandon Links.

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