

2022 Golf Teachers Directory

Find the Best Golf Teachers near you

**Save this Special Section
if you want to play better golf**



Golf Teachers in the Pacific Northwest

The Club at Snoqualmie Ridge



Bryan Stevens – Bryan is the Director of Instruction at The Club at Snoqualmie Ridge (formerly TPC Snoqualmie Ridge) and offers individual lessons, group clinics, junior camps and longer term coaching programs to members and non-members. He runs a Junior Golf Performance Academy and regularly works with some of the top junior players in the area preparing them for collegiate golf. Bryan teaches fundamentally sound body mechanics, swing principles and sequencing based on proven movement patterns and positions of PGA Tour players. He also teaches his students how to best practice and make lasting improvements. Bryan utilizes slow motion video, K-Vest, and TrackMan launch monitor data for in-depth analysis and instruction.



Some of Bryan's qualifications include:

- TPI Certified Level 1, Level 2 Golf, Level 3 and Level 2 Junior Coach
 - K-Vest Level 1 & 2 Certified Instructor
 - TrackMan Certified
 - Seattle City Amateur Champion 1997
 - 2015 & 2016 NWAC Women's Coach of the Year
- Bryan can be reached at: 206.619.4575 – www.bryanstevensgolf.com

Team Griffin



Chris and Sara Griffin

Chris and Sara Griffin coach families how to enhance their golf games. We have 40+ years of combined teaching and coaching experience at all levels of the game including first timers, collegiate golfers and PGA Tour Professionals. We embody the term "golf nerds." Whether we are watching, playing, or talking about the game, we love it. Golf has transcended our professional careers and is our passion. We have programs for kids as young as 3 years old, utilize Operation 36 for our juniors, offer

bootcamps and clinics for ladies as well as private coaching sessions for any golfer! During the winter months we use our indoor studio in Sumner and once the weather gets nice we are out at Allenmore and High Cedars.

Check out our website for more Information -
www.teamgriffingolf.com or email us for details info@teamgriffingolf.com



We have compiled a list of Golf Instructors from around the Pacific Northwest, making it easy for you to find a qualified instructor that will improve your game.

Start the season with a better golf game

The Golf Loft



Chris Koch – PGA Professional
360.628.8347

Chris has provided golf instruction for over 16 years. He has learned teaching techniques from renowned golf instructors including Jim Flick, Stan Utley, putting guru Marius Filmlater, and PGA of America's 2011 Teacher of the Year, Mike Malaska. Through incorporation of your existing knowledge and skills, Chris will help you achieve your goals. He regards his teaching style as "keeping it simple" with a goal for learners to walk away from a lesson knowing cause and effect. He intends for you to be able to work on your own swing and continue to see improvement in your golf game. Through use of Foresight Sports GC Hawk simulators and Chris's expertise in golf instruction, he hopes that you will learn, grow confidence, and have fun as you play!

Playing Accomplishments

- Career Low – 63 at The Home Course
- Top 35 2016 PNW PGA Section Championship at Astoria G&CC
- Qualified for 2015 PGA Professional National Championship at Philadelphia Cricket Club
- Top 10 2014 PNW PGA Section Championship at Salish Cliffs Golf Club
- Top 25 2013 PNW PGA Section Championship at Meadow Springs CC
- 1st Place 2013 WWCPGA Patriot Day Event at Eagles Pride Golf Course
- 2012-13 WWC Assistant's Match Play Champio



Eric Fitzsimmons – PGA
360.628.8347

Teaching Philosophy

Using techniques taught by Top 100 instructor, Larry Rinker, Eric builds a golf swing around each person's capability and flexibility rather than use "cookie-cutter" swings. By catering his lessons to each golfer individually, Eric has been able to help his students create a more repeatable swing, making their game even more enjoyable. Through the use of Foresight Sports GC Hawk simulators and Eric's expertise in golf instruction, he hopes that you will learn, grow confidence, and have fun as you play!

The Golf Loft

golflofttumwater.com
125 Tumwater Blvd. SE, Tumwater, WA 98501



Meadow Park Golf Course, Tacoma



Louie Runge – PGA

(360) 589-0803 • louierunge@yahoo.com

Louie is a Life Member of the PGA and has been playing professionally since the age of 22.

Louie's teaching experience:

- PNWPGA Member & Teacher (20 years)
- Lead PGA Teaching Professional, Golfsmith Corporate Headquarters
- PGA Teaching Professional, PGA Tour Superstore, Austin, TX

His playing experience:

- Hannon Cup, University of Texas, 2012
- Top qualifier, Sr. Club Pro Championship-South Texas PGA
- Senior Hudson Cup Qualifier & MVP, 2005-2008
- Washington State Senior Match Play Champion, 2007
- 2005 US Senior Open
- University of Washington Golf Team

"My success as a teacher stems from the customization of the lesson, and my clients consistently show improvement. Whether a beginner or more seasoned golfer looking to groove up the game, my experience in swing mechanics and sequencing along with developing a better impact position has helped many players to improve their game."

The Golf Club at Redmond Ridge



Tom Sovay is the Director of Golf Instruction at the Golf Club at Redmond Ridge, a top outdoor lesson facility in Redmond, Washington. Listed as one of Golf Digest's best teachers for many years, Tom offers private and group golf lessons for adults and junior golfers. An accomplished player and coach, Tom's excitement for the game of golf

is contagious in his teaching. Earning many awards in his golf career, he is also a seven-time Western Washington Golf Teacher of the Year.

Adults \$125 3 series \$350

Juniors \$100 3 series \$275

You can contact Tom at www.sovaygolf.com
E-mail: sovaygolf@pga.com or call 425.760-3493

Meridian Valley Country Club



Brian Thornton – PGA Teaching Professional

Golf has been a passion of mine since I began playing the game at a very young age. I take great pride in helping every level of player achieve their goals. My strengths include goal making, developing individual programs, use of technology and how to mentally prepare for success. I call it the "PROCESS"...a journey of fun and learning.

Playing Experience

- 2016 PNWPGA PLAYER OF THE YEAR
- 4-TIME Western Washington Chapter Player of the Year
- 8 PNWPGA Major Championship Wins
- Hudson Cup Team Member 14 years in a row
- Qualified for 9 PGA of America National Championships

Teaching Experience

- 2011 Teacher of the Year- Western Washington Chapter PGA
- PGA Teaching Professional for 20 years with 17,000 lessons given
- Golf Digest Top 8 Instructors in Washington State

Facility

Meridian Valley Country Club offers a State of the Art Indoor Simulator, outside covered area with heat, grass range, two short game improvement greens and a Championship Golf Course. We are the only facility in Western Washington to have that combination. All of these resources allow the student to improve every aspect of their game ALL year long!

Lesson Rates

Adults- \$90/hour, Package of 6 \$480 or 12 for \$900

Juniors- \$70/hour, Package of 6 \$390 or 12 \$720

Call the MVCC Pro Shop for more Information (253) 631.3133 – Brian@meridianvalleycc.com



The Golf Channel's Martin Hall has a saying, "If you keep doing what you are doing, you will keep getting what you are getting." It's time to take a lesson and change what you have been getting. It's time to improve your game, whether it be your long game, short game, sand game or mental game. Don't put it off!

Semiahmoo Resort, Blaine



Jeff Coston – The *Jeff Coston Golf Academy* opened at Semiahmoo Resort in 1994. Prior to Jeff's 25 plus years at the well known Resort, Jeff played the PGA Tour and won on The Web.com Tour.

Jeff is a 23-time Pacific Northwest PGA Player of the Year and is in the PNGA Hall of Fame. He has also played the Champions Tour and is the 2017 Pacific Northwest PGA Teacher of the Year. Golf Digest rates Jeff as the #1 Teacher in Washington State.

Jeff teaches beginners to Tour players. His experience is second to none.

See jeffcoston.com and Twitter @coston_jeff

Jeff's hourly rates are \$150 per hour for an adult and \$125 for a junior.

Bring this ad in and you will receive four lessons for \$500. A \$150 saving.

See www.jeffcoston.com for more information.

Linden Golf & Country Club, Puyallup



Ben Nelson – PGA Apprentice

Ben's goal with every golfer is to show them simple and straightforward ways to improve their game. Everyone's body moves differently so Ben tailors his instructions to the unique needs of each student. By studying many great professionals such as Manuel de la Torre, E.A. Tischler, Scott Cowx, and Dr. David Wright, Ben has learned to identify and understand many different swing patterns. This allows him to help all golfers, regardless of their golf experience or physical capabilities. Ben utilizes a Trackman 4 during his lessons to provide his students with data to help them understand the changes they are making.

Individual lesson, \$100 • Series of 6, \$500

Phone: (253) 227-4183 • Email: benbnelson08@gmail.com



Will Styler – PGA Head Golf Professional

Will combines 20 years of competitive golf and teaching experience to bring you a common-sense approach to golf instruction. Will helps you build on strengths and address weaknesses to improve your game and maximize your enjoyment. There is always a way to get better at golf, regardless of your athletic ability. Come down to Linden in Puyallup and see Will for a lesson in our studio featuring Trackman 4.

Individual lesson, \$100

Phone: (253) 845-2056 • Email: lindenproshop@outlook.com




Group lessons can be economical and very affective, especially for people new to the game, or for a specific skill as shown here by golfers learning to chip the ball on the practice green.



Jeff Coston Golf Academy at Semiahmoo Resort utilizes high-tech equipment for lessons.

Lake Spanaway Golf Course




Brian Petoletti – Head Golf Professional, PGA Associate


The best part of my job is being able to help those who share the same passion for the game of golf! Whether your passion for golf is just emerging or it's been a part of your life for a while, I welcome the opportunity to help you improve your playing and enjoyment of the game. Instruction can be a bit overwhelming at first...there is a lot of communication and sharing of key fundamentals to help each student build a simple and consistent swing. To help with that, I have found sending follow-up emails after every session is invaluable. Lesson follow-up emails include a summary of “Key Points” taught during that lesson, video swing analysis (if taken) and a series of drills to help you re-enforce “new” learnings. When giving instruction, I never try to make a student swing a certain way, rather I focus on the ball flight. Each of us have our own swing, what I have found to be most important is:

- Is the clubface angle square at impact.
- Is the club’s path coming into the ball, down the line when striking the ball.
- Is your swing simple and repeatable.

I welcome the opportunity to help you with your game. If you would like any further information, please feel free to stop by the Golf Shop at Lake Spanaway or reach out to me at bpetoletti@kempersports.com or at (253) 439-5860.



The Valley Golf Academy




Luxis Lee - Professional Golf Instructor

The Valley Golf Academy at Mint Valley Golf Course
Certified Lead Coach for The First Tee Program

“Hi, everyone! As difficult as it is to explain who I am and what my golf philosophy is, I believe it is much harder to learn how to golf; especially on your own. My responsibility to each person I meet is to come along side them so I can help them walk through each of their personal challenges. Everyone has their share of struggles. One of the most important things to realize is that no one can play your game for you. So you have to learn how to overcome those challenges. I want to help you through it. The mark of a great instructor isn’t one that knows all the answers (spoiler alert, that golf instructor doesn’t exist), but a great instructor will find a way to the right answer. Golf is a lifelong sport that is supposed to be fun, exciting, and fulfilling. The more we can change your game, rise above obstacles, and encourage you, the more enjoyable golf will be for a lifetime!”

Contact Luxis at: 360.431.7565 | luxis@thevalleygolfacademy.com



Pro Golf Discount



JIM BENNETT
SouthCenter & Bellevue (Weds Only)

Jim Bennett is one of the State of Washington’s most accredited PGA Teaching Pros. For multiple years Jim has been voted in the Top Teachers for the State of Washington and America. Jim has been teaching for the past 31 years. Among his numerous teaching achievements, he has also excelled on the course, winning the Wilson Shoot-Out Championship, WWPGA Championship, and the Washington State Assistants Championship. To schedule a lesson with Jim call 253.350.4382



RYAN WOODS
Lynnwood

Ryan has been a teaching professional for 5 years, he graduated from Walla Walla Community College with his AA, and a AAA Degree in Professional Golf Management. Ryan completed his internship as the third assistant Golf Professional at Yakima Country Club. Upon Graduation he was hired as the first assistant golf professional at Kitsap Golf and Country Club where he worked for over two years as an instructor and helped run golf operations. Call Ryan at (509) 654-2563
Email Ryan at ryantwoods@hotmail.com



STEVE ENGLUND
Tacoma

Steve played College Golf at Pacific Lutheran University and played in two national tournaments. He also caddied on P.G.A. tour in 1976 for Don Bies of Seattle. Steve got started in the Golf business in 1977 and became a P.G.A. member in 1984. He’s been teaching for over 40 years, including 10 years of coaching high school girls and boys golf teams. Steve coached 3 state champions and 1 runner-up! Call Steve at 425-830-6561
or call Pro Golf Tacoma at 253-473-4290



JEFF MCMAHON
Bellingham

Jeff began his golfing career in 1996 as the Assistant Professional of Sudden Valley Golf & CC. In 1999, he attended the Professional Golf Management Program in Port St. Lucie, Florida. Through hard work and dedication, he was awarded membership to the PGA of America in 2005, achieving his goal 3 years ahead of schedule. In 2008, Jeff became the Director of Golf at Sudden Valley, and was responsible for the complete golfing operation. He has instructed a large range of students from novice to professional, in addition to conducting over hundreds of clinics and camps. Jeff focuses on fundamentals, principles, and ball flight laws, and he has the ability to adapt to any student’s needs. Call, email, or text today! The future of more enjoyable golfing experiences awaits you. You can call or text Jeff at 360-739-4655

Never before have golf instructors been equipped with such a high level of technology and knowledge as they are today.



Lessons at a young age can pay big dividends and imprint the fundamentals that last a lifetime.



John Riley giving a hands-on golf lesson at Fusion Golf Academy in Woodinville, Wash.

Glendoveer Golf & Tennis, Portland



Aaron Johnson – Director of Instruction
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I am thrilled to introduce myself and be a part of a legendary course in the Portland area. As a Golf Professional, my passion is to take your needs as a player to the next level. I am thrilled to further your passion for it as well. I have been teaching for over 20 years and a member of the PGA for 15 years. It's truly my pleasure to share my teaching philosophy of keeping the game simple and develop a new skill one step at a time. I can't wait to share with you the community connection gained, the outdoor adventure of the sport and friendships developed through the game of golf.



Carter Mackey — Assistant Golf Professional
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Carter is from Oakland, California. Carter started his teaching career 4 years ago introducing juniors to the game of golf at the Eric Jones Golf Academy. Now a coach for Glendoveer's PGA Jr. League team and instructor specializing in junior and beginner player development, Carter's youth and passion for the game creates a perfect environment to establish sound fundamentals and develop a love for the game to last a lifetime. His straightforward approach to the swing and use of slow motion video helps the player recognize, feel, and understand their golf swing to make a more consistent and confident swing.



Mitch Lowe – PGA Professional
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Mitch Lowe is a member of the PGA of America and has more than 20 years experience as an award-winning private coach, including time spent as an instructor for PGA TOUR, NATIONWIDE TOUR and Canadian PGA TOUR players, in addition to thousands of amateur and junior golfers. Mitch coaches Elite Junior Programs that are open for young golfers looking to play college golf and college golfers looking to play on the professional level. All regular individual instructional programs are tailored to the needs of each player with any changes being made simply and naturally with easy

and manageable swing thoughts and drills that translate into immediate results. His teaching philosophy focuses on getting players to enjoy the game of golf and to feel as though they are constantly improving.



Randy Bell – PGA Professional
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Randy is a Life Member of the PGA of America and has a long history as a Golf Professional, Director of Golf, and General Manager. His background includes 14 years at Sunriver Resort, Sunriver, Oregon as Head Professional. 10 years as the Director of Golf and English Turn Country Club in New Orleans, Louisiana serving as both the Director of Golf and Host Professional for the Freeport- Mc Moran Classic a PGA Tour event. 2 years as the General Manager at the Tijeras Creek Club in Rancho Santa Margarita, California. 5

years as the Director of Golf at the River Creek Club in Leesburg, Virginia. Randy uses Hudl Technique a video system of teaching and coaching as well and the ES Pro 14 launch monitor by Ernst Sports in all his instruction. The videos are displayed indoor on a 55-inch monitor and can be shown frame by frame and compared side by side with PGA and LPGA tour professionals.

Fusion Golf Academy, Woodinville



John Riley – Director of Instruction
On a mission to impact people who want to measurably improve their golf, John launched Fusion Golf Academy in 2018 on the historic Woodinville Sports Club Property in the heart of Woodinville wine country. Whether it was at the Pebble Beach Golf Academy, locally at Aldarra Golf Club, or currently alongside Joe Thiel at Fusion Golf Academy, John has been fortunate to learn the art and science of golf instruction from some of the best in the business. To schedule a lesson or learn more about Fusion Golf Academy, John can be reached at john@fusion-golfacademy.com or by phone at (888)-259-6509.



Joe Thiel – PGA - Director of Coaching
Golf Magazine Top 100 Instructor and PGA Master Professional , Joe counts many elite amateur and professional players among his students. Respected for his professionalism and ability to connect with students, Joe brings his proven approach to the team at Fusion Golf Academy for delivery of a high quality coaching experience to players from early beginnings all the way to professional success. To schedule a lesson with Joe, call us at 888-259-6509.



Ron Akin – PGA Lead Instructor
An award winning PGA Professional and accomplished player, Ron enjoys teaching all aspects of the game. From his days as a Collegiate golfer at the University of Missouri, to his experience learning from the games top instructors, Ron loves helping students reach their goals and to play better golf! To schedule a lesson with Ron, call us at 888-259-6509.



Jacob Riley – Junior Golf Leader
An dynamic and passionate player and coach, Jacob began his career as a teaching professional at Fusion Golf Academy in early 2019 and quickly became a favorite of many of our junior students. Jacob looks forward to coaching Junior Academy Members and leading our LPGA*USGA Girls Program to new heights in 2021! To schedule a lesson with Jacob, call us at 888-259-6509,



A group of junior golfers get a chance to practice hitting some balls during a group lesson given by Dave Boivin at the Jackson Park Golf Course's practice range in Seattle.





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Tumwater Valley Golf Course







Kathy O'Kelly
Kathy has been nationally recognized by her peers in *Golf Digest's* as among the "50 Best Women Teachers in America". Also recognized by the LPGA as a top teacher, Kathy brings many innovative ways of communicating due to her dedication in making the game rewarding, fun and accessible for every level of play!
www.golf-insights.com



The Valley Golf Academy (VGA) Our instructors have built a curriculum unlike any in the region. What makes it unique? Because it's built around YOU! We will build a program that covers your specific goals. Whether you are an advanced player or someone just learning the sport, together we will cover every aspect of the game in detail. We will touch on all fundamentals of the game and provide efficient practice drills. Each player will have a customized program created for their personal improvement with ample follow up. You, the player, will have a professional program designed for success! To register or for more information please visit; www.thevalleygolfacademy.com or contact us directly at (360) 347.6282.

The Cedars at Dungeness







Chad Wagner – PGA Director of Golf at The Cedars at Dungeness
360.582.4913 or ProShop (360) 683-6344
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Chad has been teaching the game of golf since 2014. He provides lessons to individuals with all different ability levels. Chad's biggest goal is to create a fun and positive learning atmosphere where students can learn to use THEIR swing to become the best golfer they can.
Professional Background:
An A1 PGA Professional, Chad has a Bachelor's Degree in Justice Administration from Hawaii Pacific University and a Master's Degree in Sports Management from U.S.S.A.

The Cedars at Dungeness
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Snohomish Valley Golf Center







Val Patrick – Class A LPGA Professional
Val Patrick is a name well known around the Puget Sound when it comes to golf. She has dedicated her life to being one of the best instructors in the area. Whether you are new to the game, skilled, or a single digit - she has the knowledge to ensure positive ways to achieve your golf goals.
LPGA Professionals are growing the game through Junior Golf, Girls Golf, Womens Programs - and anyone that wants to learn to play or play better.

www.valpatrickgolf.com

Text, call or email: 206-276-6870 / val6870@gmail.com

Val Patrick Golf at Snohomish Valley Golf Center



Sahalee Country Club, Sammamish, WA



Ryan Benzel – Director of Instruction / Player Development at Sahalee Country Club in Sammamish, WA. Sahalee has first class facilities to improve your golf game, including a large grass tee practice range, two putting greens, chipping green, and an indoor state-of-the-art teaching studio using aboutGolf simulators. Video analysis is included with each lesson utilizing V1 Pro Golf Coaching software and/or BodiTrak Sports Pressure Mat. Ryan's goal is to improve ball flight and consistency, which can be wide ranging depending on the player.
Contact Ryan at 206-683-0025 or visit http://www.sahalee.com.


- 2016 Western Washington PGA Teacher of the Year
- 2018 Washington Open Champion
- 3-Time Pacific Northwest PGA Section Player of the Year
- Competed in 4 PGA Championships


NON-MEMBER LESSON INFORMATION

- Single Lesson – \$120 (50 minutes)
- Series of 3 – \$345
- Junior Lesson – \$80 (10-17), \$70 (9 & under: 30 minutes)



North Shore Golf Course, Tacoma





Conner Robbins – Director of Instruction
(206) 743-5326 – connergolcoach@hotmail.com
Director of Instruction at North Shore Golf Course
I give singles lessons, series of lessons, group clinics, playing lessons, and can be your full time coach.
I am a World Class Golfer, and have learned from some of the best coaches in the world. For all that I have accomplished as a player, I have found my calling as a Golf Coach. I was the Captain for UW Husky Golf, Won in College, almost won US Amateur, many top 10's on Canadian Tour, 2nd place in 2019 WA State Open, etc. I just became Head Golf Coach for UPS (University of Puget Sound)
You can find information on pricing at nshore.com or at connergolcoach@hotmail.com.



Gilbert Quitlong going over the fundamentals while giving some ladies a group lesson at Interbay Golf Center in Seattle during Womens Golf Month.



Often overlooked but one of the most important componants for scoring is the short game lesson.

The Golf Farm



Amy Simanton & Brian Henninger

Brian Henninger

Brian grew up in Eugene, OR and walked onto the University of Southern California golf team where he was a 2-Time All-American. After playing the *PGA-Tour* for 15 years and winning twice, Brian started working with some of the best junior, amateur and professional golfers in the Northwest. For 10 years, he taught and trained dozens of the top players in the area. After a few years on the Champions Tour, he recently shifted his focus to his passion for teaching full-time and

opened up The Golf Farm in 2018. His vision for the ultimate indoor training center is now a reality and he couldn't be more excited to help golfers that have a thirst and enthusiasm to play better golf.

- 2-Time PGA-Tour Winner • 3-Time Korn Ferry Tour Winner • T1 Final Round of 1995 Masters
- 2-Time All-American (USC) • 15 Years on the PGA-Tour • 5 Years on the Champions Tour
- Brian Henninger Foundation (Founded 2000)

Amy Simanton

Born and raised in Portland, OR, Amy played golf at UC Davis after a standout junior golf career that included an individual high school state championship. At UC Davis, she was Freshman of the year and a 4-Time, First-Team, Big West All Conference selection. She finished as high as T15 at the NCAA Championships and has also won the Oregon Amateur twice and qualified for the LPGA Portland Classic multiple times. After college, Amy took her passion to the game to Peninsula Country Club where she was the Director of Instruction and supported a large junior program for several years. *She is one of the best female or male golfers to ever come out of the Northwest* and an original co-founder of The Golf Farm with Brian.

- 4-Time 1st-Team All Big West (UC Davis) • 2 NCAA Championship Appearances (15th, 2011)
- Big West Freshman of the Year (2010) • 2-Time Oregon Amateur Champion (2009, 2012)
- Oregon High School 6A State Champion (2007 - Lake Oswego) • 2-Time Qualifier of LPGA Portland Classic (2010, 2018) • LPGA Symetra Tour (2013-15) • The Peninsula Golf & Country Club (2015-18)

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Twin Lakes Golf & C C, Federal Way



Kathy Wake - Head Golf Professional

Kathy has most recently joined the Twin Lakes team as their Head Golf Professional. Her philosophy of the game of golf; it should be a relaxing, fun, and an enjoyable experience. This holds true for Kathy's lessons and teaching style as well. In her teaching, she wants the student not only to understand the mechanics of the golf swing but at the same time to develop a real appreciation of what is going on during that second and a half that the club is swinging.

Kathy is a member of both the LPGA and PGA. Of her many accomplishments as a golf professional during her 30+ in the industry, is the *National Professional of the Year Award*, the LPGA Teaching & Club Professional Division honored Kathy in 1997 as the recipient of the LPGA Teaching and Club Professional Division (T&CP) .

Kathy can be contacted at: 253-838-0345.



Steve Hussey – Assistant Golf Professional

Steve started out in the golf industry at an early age at North Shore Golf Course. Steve graduated from the San Diego Golf Academy and worked in the industry during his early years, then left the golf business for a time. Steve is back in golf and restarting his career here at Twin Lakes. Steve is registered in the PGA apprentice program and is excited to be a part of the team at Twin Lakes.

He can be contacted through the pro shop at: 253-838-0345.

Port Townsend Golf Course



Gabe A. Tonan – Director of Golf

360-385-4547

GabrielTonan@msn.com

Has been teaching golf for over 20 years.

Certified Ping Club Fitter

Lesson Rates:

1/2 hour lesson - \$30

1 hour lesson - \$40

Junior: 1/2 hour lesson - \$20



Camille Surdi giving a putting lesson at Interbay Golf Center during Womens Golf Month.



Teaching Professional Randy Burgeson giving putting lesson at Jefferson Park Golf Course.

PREMIER GOLF CENTERS Jefferson Park Golf Course, Seattle



Gordy Graybeal - PGA Head Golf Professional
Office 206-762-4513 Cell 206-898-2949
Gordy has been playing golf, on and off, at Jefferson Park for over 50 years. A PGA member for 32 years he has given thousands of lessons to all ages and abilities of players. Gordy is an expert at helping you understand the strengths and weaknesses of your swing and is adept at helping you assess and develop your skills in all facets of the game. When taking a series of lessons with Gordy you can expect a full evaluation of your game and a well thought out "improvement plan" including video analysis of your swing, drills you can utilize on and off the course, coaching for playing strategies and maximizing the effectiveness of your practice time.
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Randy Burgeson - Teaching Professional
Office 206-762-4513, Cell 206-384-7879 or rburgeson@premiergc.com
Randy grew up playing golf right here in the Pacific Northwest and has been instructing golfers of all ages and abilities for 15 years. No matter your handicap, Randy will target & build upon the fundamentals and areas of the game that are important to you, and that will LOWER YOUR SCORES! He excels at helping people understand how top players play the game, while helping students improve the skills that each individual already possesses.



Nathaniel Colo - Teaching Professional / PGA Associate
Office: 206-762-4513
A Western Washington native, Nathaniel has been helping people play better golf for over eight years. A Professional Golf Management Graduate, Nathaniel has continued studying the golf swing and marries that with current equipment knowledge to help golfers of all levels get the most out of their games. Nathaniel believes that golfers enjoy the game more when they understand why the golf ball does what it does, and what they need to do to influence how the golf ball flies. If you struggle with slicing the ball, or aren't hitting it as far as you believe you can, Nathaniel will give you an honest diagnosis and work with you to set up a game plan so you can start playing the game the way you want to play it.

Book a lesson at www.premiergc.com

PREMIER GOLF CENTERS Lake Padden Golf Course



Philip Kohnken - PGA Professional
Director of Instruction
Email: pkohnken@premiergc.com
Cell (text or call): 847-830-6490
Swing Philosophy - There are 2 objectives in golf, consistency and entertainment. With technology and many swing methodologies, my goal is to find the swing and mindset that fits so that we can have fun on the course every time. No matter the look or background, every golfer can achieve success by working towards those objectives.

Book a lesson at lakepaddengolf.com/

PREMIER GOLF CENTERS Bellevue Golf Course, Bellevue



Steve Wayne Wozeniak - PGA Professional
Director of Instruction
425-452-7250 or www.bellevuepgc.com
Steve has taught over 100 Tour players and 300 PGA/LPGA Teaching professionals. He is the only instructor in the Pacific Northwest that has taught winners on every major Tour. The PGA, LPGA, Champions and Korn Ferry. Through his online presence he helps hundreds of players every year from all over the world. With thousands of golfers reading his analysis on the swing every month he has become one of the handful of professionals that are sought-after worldwide.



Steve Yang - PGA Professional
Director of Player Development
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Steve has been working in the golf industry since he was 14 years old. He graduated from Arizona State University with a degree in Business, a PGA of America Professional Golf Management Degree and a PGA license in 2009. Once he obtained his PGA license, Steve became a full time instructor in Camas, WA and moved to the Seattle area to teach in 2017. Steve emphasizes on improving the mental mindset of his student and improving awareness. "I enjoy helping people find their golf swing by understanding what they need to do and how to do it. I believe that there are golfers and players; golfer's golf by trying to hit a shot and players know and understand how." Steve is fluent in English and Korean.



Matt Anderson - PGA Assistant 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.bellevuepgc.com.



Cheryl Mahan - Teaching Professional
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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.



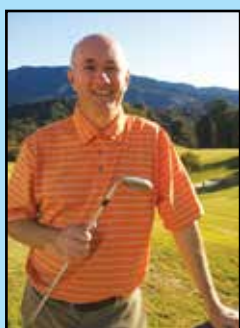
Stella Kim - LPGA Professional
425-452-7250 or www.bellevuepgc.com
Stella Kim has been working in the golf industry since 2007. I graduated from Professional Golf Career College with a degree in Business, Professional Golf Management Degree in 2014 and hold LPGA license. I have been teaching since graduating from college in several regions including California, New York and Korea. I have recently moved to Seattle area from Korea in hopes of establishing a long-lasting teaching career base. I enjoy teaching a lot and sharing my knowledge for the improvement and advancement of the golf game. I focus on solid fundamentals while helping the individual to understand the mechanics of the swing.

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Dave Boivin – PGA Professional
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It's Dave's belief that having fun while playing the game is key. Dave began his career as a member of the Canadian PGA. Since moving to the USA in 1994, he's focused on his passion of teaching. As the former Director of Instruction at Kayak Point GC, Dave specialized in Short Game and Scoring Golf Schools, as well as player development programs for High School Golf Team Building, Corporate Golf and Coaching for Couples programs, and a Yoga for Golfers program with the Golf Channel's Katherine Roberts.

Dave is certified as a First Tee Instructor, certified Level 1 Titleist (TPI), FITforeGOLF certified, 4Putting Element (4PE) certified, and an Elite Diplomat



Tony Wilkins - PGA Professional
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Tony excels in coaching and teaching players of all levels through strong interpersonal and motivational skills. He utilizes state-of-the-art teaching and learning theories, while integrating video software and teaching aids to get fast results. By incorporating course management, mental skills, and golf fitness into instruction his student's build a complete golf game.

Tony has a sincere passion for the game that is contagious to those around him. His success has come from the ability to match the level of instruction to the player's physical ability and goals. He is devoted to helping people improve and building relationships through the game of golf. Contact - twilkins@premiergc.com Office: (206) 363-4747 Visit www.premiergc.com/Jackson to book your lesson.



Matthew Lipe – PGA Apprentice
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Matthew began playing and studying the game of golf at the age of 9 in Scottsdale, AZ. For over 20 years he has continued to hone his game and rigorously studied modern swing theory and teaching philosophies. Using the latest video and computer software to analyze and critique his student's swings, Matthew is able to tailor an individualized practice routine to maximize your potential. Currently and apprentice in the Western Washington Chapter of the PGA, Matthew has worked with individuals of all skill levels and ages. Over the last several years he has worked with The First Tee of Seattle and Jefferson Park's junior golf camps. Matthew is available for private, semi-private lessons and corporate bookings.



Logan Hatcher - Assistant Golf Professional / PGA Apprentice
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Logan began playing golf in 2010 and his passion quickly grew to explore golf's intricacies. Determined to hone each facet his own game, he began to learn the fundamentals and study golf swings. Since that time, he refined his game through study and knows the commitment required to excel in golf. He now instructs Wednesday Night Ladies Clinics, Junior Golf Camps, and individual/group sessions.

Logan is currently an Apprentice in the Western Washington Chapter PGA. He excels in helping students understand swing mechanics and how to correct swing inconsistencies. He feels understanding your swing and what the ball does is crucial to progression. He also believes in training to practice confidently with purpose.



Luc Birchfield – Assistant Golf Professional/PGA Apprentice
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Luc has been playing the game of golf since the young age of 4. He believes that every person he teaches should have a strong foundation in the mental aspects of the game of golf. During his younger years, Luc played high school golf at Seattle Preparatory high school in Capitol Hill as well as at the collegiate level at Whitman College in Walla Walla, WA. In order to compete in a tournament setting against other high-level golfers, Luc has always needed to have a strong mental game. Luc also preaches a foundation in swing mechanics, and works with every person on their own, individual swing. He will work with you to get your swing feeling and looking good in a way that is tendered to the individual. Every golfer has a different swing, and there is

certainly no 'one-size-fits-all' philosophy that will ever work in golf instruction. Luc will always make sure that every lesson he teaches is simple and easy to comprehend. Luc welcomes students of all skill levels, and cannot wait to help you grow yourself and your game!

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Eric Driessen - PGA Professional, Director of Instruction
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Eric's desire to teach the game of golf was inspired by a member at his local country club who gave him a copy of Hogan's 5 Fundamentals at the age of 10. Since then, Eric has spent 35 years teaching the game of golf to players of all levels and abilities. In 1995 Eric opened The Seattle Golf Zone, one of the original golf video learning studios in the country. Eric is devoted to helping people enjoy the game of golf at their desired level. Customer service and relationship building are also very important to him and his teaching philosophies.



Ron Hanson – PGA Professional
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WWC PGA Teacher of the Year 2007

Golf Range Magazine Top 50 Instructors in America 2009

Ron was the Head Professional at Fairwood Golf and Country Club for seven years. 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 Makeover Episode "No Laughing Matter". 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.



Camille Surdi – LPGA Professional
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Camille Surdi comes to Interbay as a Class A LPGA Teaching Professional. She was a full time Teaching Professional at Interbay Golf Center in Seattle from 2005-2013 averaging over 1,800 lessons per year, and has given over 40,000 lessons over the last 33 years. Camille believes in developing the correct basic swing fundamentals for each individual based on their strengths and abilities, so the golfer therefore can relax, trust the swing, play effectively and enjoy the experience. She also stresses course management, good practice habits, correct equipment, fitness and an AMAZING short game as part of the overall plan to lower scores and play better golf. Camille is a Site Director for the LPGA-USGA Girls

Golf program, TPI Certified Level 1 (Titleist Performance Institute, Golf fitness based program), Eyeline Golf Certified Putting Instructor, Titleist Ball Fitting Certified and First Tee Certified.



Nicholas Burrington – PGA Professional
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Since becoming a certified PGA Professional in 2011 he has worked with hundreds of students and taught thousands of lessons in all aspects of the game.

Nicholas will assess your level and goals to create an individual training program that addresses issues in core body, hand & arm motion, and club position through the swing. Nicholas will also recommend appropriate short game training to reach your scoring goals.

Nicholas's approach will give beginning students a foundational golf swing and training tools that will allow continued improvement and enjoyment as you train and play. He also specializes in Custom Fitting.



Gilbert Quitlong – PGA Apprentice
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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. 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.



Jonny Stacey – Teaching Professional
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Golf, in my eyes, is the simplest, hardest, most frustratingly beautiful game there is, and I am absolutely in love with it. Since starting at Interbay in October of 2020, I have obtained my Titleist Performance Institute (TPI) certification, giving me the tools to identify how golfers' physical strengths and weaknesses influence their golf swings, as well as the resources and expertise to recommend training movements to improve strength and mobility throughout their bodies. I want to help my students unlock their own powerful, repeatable, and sustainable swings that will enable them to achieve their golf goals.

Beyond the physical side of the game, I also have plenty to share with respect to the mental and emotional aspects of golf. The way I like to mentally approach golf is best summed up in this quote from Ben Hogan: "The most important shot in golf is the next one."



Scott Rosenthal – Teaching professional
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Scott has been teaching golf for more than thirty years. He played college golf at Florida State University and he is the former student of PGA tour coach, David Leadbetter. Scott has given over 25,000 individual lessons in his career and introduced golf to over 2,000 women in his "Never-ending Women's Clinic" in South Carolina. Scott is most proud of providing a fun teaching environment for so many junior golfers. Scott has taught competitive young players who had dreams of playing college golf. One of the honors Scott received during his coaching career in Charleston, was twice being named South Carolina Golf Coach of the Year.

One of the young players who came out of Scott's summer golf camps and into individual lessons was PGA tour player, Andrew Novak. Novak is a winner on the Korn Ferry tour. Scott wants to guide each player through their journey in the great game of golf, whether they be the ultimate beginner or a competitive golfer with hopes of playing on the tour.

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