

THE BRIDGES AT TILLSONBURG

Presents.....

JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM

2009



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Dear Junior Golfer and Parents:

The The Bridges at Tillsonburg is a great supporter of Junior Golf. We believe that juniors are the future of our game and our club. Through golf, children will learn more about themselves and many of life's important lessons and values. Golf will help to make children better people.

A new golf season is quickly approaching and with the generous support of our sponsors we have designed the following Junior Golf Program for our children to participate in. The program will emphasize introducing children to the game of golf in a fun and safe environment.

We have many facets to our program Junior Clinics, Opening and Closing Junior Golf Days, Junior Club Championships, Tyson Tour Event, and of course our summer Junior Golf League. We have continued our affiliation with the Future Links Golf Program sponsored by the Royal Canadian Golf Association and the Canadian Professional Golfer's Association.

Please take the time to read through the following program outline and should you have any questions or concerns please contact our Pro/Manager at the club and he will be more than happy to discuss any concerns with you.

JUNIOR GOLF CLINICS

Our Golf Professional Mr. Rick Pero and his staff will be offering Junior Golf Clinics throughout the season. These clinics are open to all Juniors of all skill levels. Children will be divided into age groups to help us to offer a higher level of instruction in a safe learning environment. Group size will be limited to 18 juniors. This will enable us to maintain a student to teacher ratio of 6:1. Please complete the registration form on the following page ensuring you are registering your child for the appropriate program. Registration will be taken on a first come first served basis. Please register early to avoid disappointment.

Session #	Dates	Times	Age Group
1	Saturday May 9, 23, 30, June 6	3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	14 – 18 yrs.
2	Saturday May 9, 23, 30, June 6	2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	10 – 13 yrs.
3	Saturday May 9, 23, 30, June 6	1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	7 yrs. – 9 yrs.
4	Thursday July 2, 9, 16, 23	6:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.	4 yrs. – 6 yrs.
5	Thursday July 2, 9, 16, 23	7:15 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.	7 yrs. – 9 yrs.
6	Thursday August 6, 13, 20, 27	6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	10 – 18 yrs.

Programs will consist of instruction of the basic fundamentals in each of the integral parts of the game Putting, Chipping & Pitching, and the Full Swing.

4 yrs – 6 yrs.

A very basic introduction to the game. Children will be introduced using various games and teaching methods. Emphasis will be placed on having fun and learning all about a “cool” game. Parents are encouraged to participate with their children.

7 yrs – 9 yrs.

Two sets of clinics will be offered for this age group and older. A very simple start to the basic fundamentals of the game. Children will be learning in a fun safe environment with very little emphasis placed on results and more placed on participation. We will begin to follow the Future Links Golf Program as outlined the RCGA & the CPGA.

10 yrs – 13 yrs.

We will begin to key in on some of the fundamentals necessary to be an accomplished player in the game. Children will be encouraged to begin to develop their own style of play while focusing on these fundamentals. Some time will be spent discussing some of the mental aspects of the game and course management techniques.

14 yrs – 18 yrs

We begin to discuss some of the theories of the game, ball flight laws and cause and effects of the game. These factors will be compared to our fundamentals and how changes in these fundamentals will affect results. Players will finish with a better understanding of why they hit both good and bad shots.

Equipment will be provided for those individuals who do not have properly sized equipment.

Cost per Session \$30.00 + GST(4 weeks)

Minimum class size is required for each session.

Sign up quickly to avoid disappointment.

Junior Clinics Registration

I wish to register for the following session(s) of this year's Junior Golf Clinics

Name _____

Session # _____ Age _____

Phone # _____

I have enclosed a cheque for the amount of \$31.50 for each 4 week session which I have registered for. **Please make payable to The Bridges at Tillsonburg.**

**Mail to: Pro Shop
The Bridges at Tillsonburg
P.O. Box 54
Tillsonburg, Ontario
N4G 4H3**

Or hand deliver to the club.

JUNIOR OPENING FIELD DAY

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Saturday June 13th, 2009

1:00 PM Start

9 Hole Scramble

Open to Juniors and Adults

Form your own team or sign up individually.

FORMAT

4 Person Scramble (Teams must have a minimum of 2 juniors.)

- All players drive, select best shot. All players then hit from best shot. Continue until ball is holed.
- Each players' shot must be used at least once – not including putts.
- Ladies & Juniors Under 12 from Orange Tees – Men & Juniors over 12 from White tees.
 - Form your own team or sign up individually

Dinner and prizes will be provided following the round.

ENTRY FEE: \$5.00 per person

**JUNIOR OPENING FIELD DAY
REGISTRATION FORM**

ENTRIES CLOSE THURSDAY June 10th, 2009

PLEASE SUBMIT TO PRO SHOP

NAME _____

AGE _____ **HDCP** _____

FATHER'S DAY SCRAMBLE

CELEBRATE FATHER'S DAY WITH DAD ON THE GOLF COURSE

OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS AND IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS



SUNDAY JUNE 21st, 2009
ENTRY FEE \$15.00 PER PLAYER

7:00 AM BUFFET BREAKFAST

8:00 AM SHOTGUN START

18 HOLES OR 4 HOURS MAXIMUM

FORMAT

- Event will be an 18 hole alternate shot scramble
- Play will be in teams of 8 – 12 players
- Teams will divide themselves into 2 groups of 4 - 6 players
- Group 1 will begin by teeing off on their first tee.
- The team will select the best tee shot from group 1's tee shots. Group 2 will then hit the second shot. Once again the team will select the best shot. Group 1 will then hit the third shot. Continue this format until the ball has been holed out.
- Group 2 will then begin play on the next hole! Continue to alternate the group starting on each hole ie group 1 will start on odd holes & group 2 will tee off on even holes.
- The team with the lowest scramble score will be the winner
- Play white tees on front and red tees on back.
- Ladies may play orange tees on front and white tees on back. Juniors under 11 may play orange tees.
- Join us in the clubhouse following your round for a beverage and the prize presentation.
- **SIGN UP SHEET WILL BE POSTED OUTSIDE PRO SHOP 3 WEEKS PRIOR TO EVENT. SIGN UP EARLY!!!**

**The Bridges Presents
The 4th Annual**

Tillsonburg Family Fun Night

Saturday July 25th, 2009

Kids of All Ages Welcome

Come have some fun with your kids at the TGCC

Spend an afternoon together golfing as a family

\$30 per family of four for Members

\$50 per family of four for Non-members

(Additional players cost \$8.00)

Price includes

9 holes of golf for everyone

Grab bags for the kids

1 cart per family (20 carts available)

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, and Salads

There will be a shot gun start at 4:00 PM with a barbeque to follow.

**Come have some fun with your kids in a relaxed family setting. Please
feel free to invite your friends.**

Contact the pro- shop (842-4822) to reserve your space.

JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Date to be announced

36 HOLE STROKE PLAY EVENT

for the

BOYS JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPION

(age 14 – 18)

GIRLS JUNIOR CLUB CHAMPION

(age 10 – 18)

BOYS BANTAM CLUB CHAMPION

(age 10 – 13)

- **Tee times to be determined. Event will run in conjunction with the Ladies Club Championships**
- **Participants must be members of the The Bridges at Tillsonburg**
- **Dinner and fun for the whole family to follow Saturday's round.**
- **Watch for sign up sheet to be posted outside the Pro Shop three weeks prior to event.**



JUNIOR CLOSING FIELD DAY

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12TH, 2009

1:00 PM START

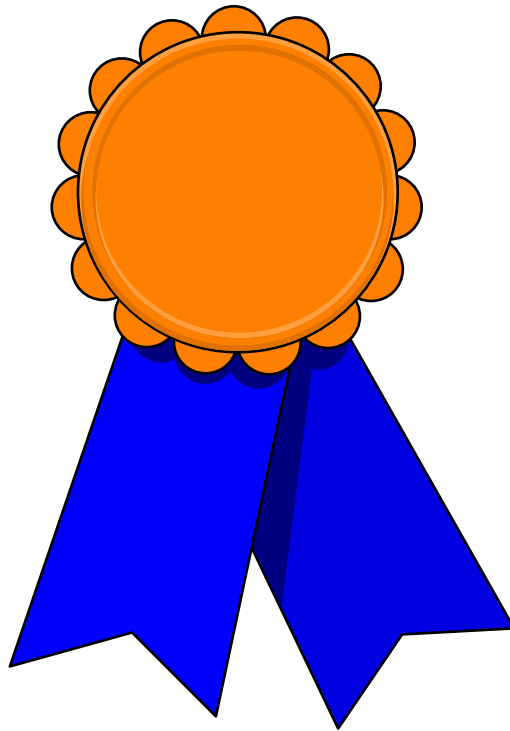
FORMAT:

- **9 HOLES OF GOLF**
- **OPEN TO ALL JUNIOR AND JUNIOR LEARNER MEMBERS**
- **SCRAMBLE FORMAT**
- **FOOD - PRIZES AND FUN**
- **WATCH THE PRO SHOP FOR MORE DETAILS**
- **ENTRY FEE \$5.00**

JUNIOR GOLF LEAGUE

Our Junior Golf League is a popular event for the Juniors of our club. Each Wednesday starting July 8th (with the exception of July 15th) our Juniors get together at 8:00 am. and compete for points to be our Junior League Player of the year.

Watch for details at the club. Simply contact the Pro Shop if you are a Junior member aged 10 – 18 if you wish to participate. We would ask that all participants please register prior to the event to allow us to form teams and organize our weekly formats and tee times. Thank you.



In Conclusion

We feel this program should meet the needs of our aspiring young golfers and provide them with the necessary programs to stimulate their interest in the game of golf. Our programs will not attempt to key on the competitive aspects of golf for the golfer who simply looking to enjoy the game, yet on

the other hand the golfer who wishes to pursue a competitive career will be challenged and will be able to hone the skills required to compete in outside tournaments.

Once again this year we will be hosting a stop on the local Tyson Tour. Players must have a handicap to participate in this event. Our event will be hosted on Wednesday July 15th and will be an 8:00 am. shotgun start. Entry Fee for this event will be \$38.00. Participants will receive a light lunch following their round as well as an opportunity to win prizes and accumulate points on the Southwestern Ontario Tyson Tour. Anyone interested in participating should contact our Club Professional Rick Pero.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns about any of the information provided in this handout please feel free to contact our Junior Golf Director Pudge Steyaert or our Club Professional Rick Pero. They will be more than happy to discuss any of your concerns or comments.

Thank you and good golfing.