

Baltimore County Golf **junior golf**

Academy - 2014

Academy Dates & Locations

Fox Hollow – Timonium, MD

June 23 – June 26

July 14 – July 17

July 28 – July 31

August 11 – August 14

Greystone – White Hall, MD

July 28 – July 31

August 25 – August 28

The Woodlands / Diamond Ridge - Windsor Mill, MD

July 7 – July 10

August 18 – August 21

Rocky Point – Essex, MD

June 23-26

Whether you are introducing your child to the game of golf or looking to help them improve their skills, our four day golf academies are the perfect solution.

Sign up now and reserve your child's spot for Summer 2014!





Dear Junior Golfer and Parents,

Welcome to the Baltimore County Golf's 2014 Junior Golf Academy!

We have many objectives for our academy this year:

- **Help our junior golfers improve their skills – by week's end, all of our Juniors will be better players and ball strikers!**
- **Connect our junior golfers with each other so they can play and learn the game together!**
- **Expand junior golfers' knowledge of the rules and etiquette of golf and the great history of our game.**

Over and above learning golf and having fun, our juniors will be introduced to other concepts that are as much a part of life as they are golf. Fairness, perseverance, honesty, integrity, self-worth and self-control are but a few of life's lessons learned through golf.

We will also place more of an emphasis on health and fitness in our academies in 2014.

Our team of PGA professionals has planned a week filled with instruction, fun, contests, and camaraderie. At the end of the Academy, our juniors will be more comfortable on the golf course and well on their way to learning and loving golf as a game for a lifetime.

The following pages include a registration form and lots of important information. Please register early as sessions tend to fill quickly! Deadline for enrollment is one week prior to each school.

If you have any questions at all, please call our golf professionals. We look forward to seeing you and your junior golfer this summer!

Chris Hanson, PGA
Fox Hollow Golf Course
410-887-7735

Bob Mokros, PGA
Greystone Golf Course
410-887-1945

Tim Butler, PGA
Diamond Ridge/The Woodlands Golf Courses
410-887-1349

Jeff Bell, PGA Apprentice
Rocky Point Golf Course
410-887-0215

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Academy Registration Form

Please complete and return to the golf course where your junior golfer will be enrolled. Please include a check in the amount of \$100 made payable to the Baltimore County Revenue Authority. **Deadline for enrollment is one week prior to the Academy's first day.**

Name _____ Age _____

Date of Birth _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ E-mail address: _____

Mom's Name _____ Work Phone _____

Dad's Name _____ Work Phone _____

I want to participate in the *Junior Golf Academy* at _____

Golf Course beginning on _____.

(Date)

Parental Notice and Approval

The above named child has my/our permission to enroll in the *Junior Golf Academy* at the noted location and date. Our child will follow all the rules and regulations in place for both the *Junior Golf Academy* and golf course facility. We agree to hold the instructors and Baltimore County Revenue Authority harmless from any claims that may arise from my/our child enrolling in and participating in the *Junior Golf Academy*.

(Parental Signature)

(Date)

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Weekly Schedule of Events

Monday Only

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. **Registration**

8:40 a.m. - 8:55 a.m. **Orientation**

Includes rules of the *Junior Golf Academy*, Safety, Staff Introductions, Golf Games and Awards explanations, Goals and breaking into Instruction Groups (by age).

Each Instruction Group will go to three (3) different stations throughout each morning.

Station 1 - Putting, Chipping, Pitching and Sand Play Techniques

Station 2 - Full Swing

Station 3 – Classroom (History, Rules, Etiquette, Fitness and Nutrition)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

8:45 a.m. - 8:55 a.m. Arrive for Academy (***please arrive on time***)

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Groups are at Stations 1, 2 or 3

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Groups switch Stations

10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. **Healthy Snack and beverage break**

(i.e. granola bars, fruit, water, sports drinks, etc.)*

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Groups switch Stations

10:45 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Golf game/contest (*Tuesday & Wednesday only, recap Monday*)

Thursday

Check with your Course for specific schedule and times!

Instruction concludes with contests and an Awards Ceremony and Banquet. All parents are invited and encouraged to attend. The contests begin at 10:00 a.m., and the Awards Ceremony and Light Lunch begin promptly at 11:00 a.m.

***Please let the instructors know if your child has any food allergies. We will make every effort to find them an alternate healthy snack to enjoy.**

Cost:

The price per Junior is \$100 and includes all instruction, **healthy** beverage and snack breaks, handouts, contest prizes, the Awards Ceremony and Banquet, and a *Junior Golf Academy Package* for each child.

Important Information

Age for Juniors:

Boys and girls in the *Junior Golf Academy* must be between the ages of 6 and 17.

Dress Code for Juniors:

All Juniors are expected to follow our system-wide dress code. **Shirts with collars are required.** Casual slacks or walking shorts are recommended. Jeans are discouraged. Improper dress includes cut-off shorts, gym shorts, sweat pants, tee shirts, tank tops or any ragged or torn clothing. If golf shoes are worn, they must have non-metal or non-ceramic spikes. Sneakers or tennis shoes are perfectly acceptable.

Equipment:

If a junior does not have his or her own golf clubs, they will be provided for them during the Academy at no charge. Please let us know if your Junior will need clubs. Parents are encouraged to pre-purchase a golf glove for their junior golfers (to help reduce blisters). Right-handed golfers wear gloves on the left hand; left-handed golfers wear them on the right hand.

Instructors:

Experienced instructors include: ***Tim Butler, Joe Keenan, and Brian Rohrs*** at Diamond Ridge and The Woodlands; ***Chris Hanson, Mike Messina*** and ***Garry Hetrick*** at Fox Hollow; ***Bob Mokros*** and ***Mike Messina*** at Greystone; and ***Jeff Bell*** at Rocky Point.

Instructional Content:

When Juniors graduate from the Academy, they will have the knowledge to improve all aspects of their games, as well as an understanding of the rules of golf, sportsmanship, equipment, and golf etiquette. **They will also learn how a healthy body and nutritious eating habits contribute to a sound golf game.**

The instructional program includes putting, chipping, pitching, and sand play techniques, as well as full swing fundamentals and other full swing basics.

Student/Teacher Ratio:

The number of students is limited to a maximum of nine per instructor. This ensures that Juniors have a quality experience.

Course Directions and Phone Numbers

The Woodlands / Diamond Ridge - 410-887-1349

Take I-695 to Exit 17 W (Security Blvd). Take to third traffic light (Rolling Rd), turn right. Take one traffic light to Dogwood Rd, turn left. Follow for 1 mile to Ridge Rd, turn right. Golf course is on the right.

Greystone - 410-887-1945

Take I-83 to Exit 31 (Middletown Rd). Follow east to York Rd and turn right. Follow to Wiseburg Rd and turn left. Follow to STOP sign, turn right and follow to White Hall Rd. Turn left and follow for 2 miles to golf course on right.

Fox Hollow - 410-887-7735

Take I-83 to Exit 17 (Padonia Rd). Follow east for 3 miles. Golf course is on the left directly across from Dulaney High School.

Rocky Point - 410-887-0215

Take I-695 to Exit 36 (Route 702 South). Follow for 7 miles. Route 702 becomes Back River Neck Rd. Follow for 2 miles and golf course is on the left.