



Who can participate in Youth on Course?

The program is open to ANY child in Southern California who is a part of one of our 19 certifying junior golf organizations. Through our partnership with the NCGA Foundation, this program is available throughout the state.

How does it work?

After the junior has been certified, s/he will receive an SCGA Membership Card and a **Youth on Course** bag tag. The bag tag specifies whether the participant must have adult supervision to participate. When the youth shows up at a participating facility during the specified hours, s/he pays the **Youth on Course** rate and must sign the registration form. The golf facility tracks the number of range balls and green fees and submits the information to the SCGA Foundation monthly for reimbursement.



What courses are available?

A list of facilities along with the access times that they offer can be found at www.scgafoundation.org. Currently, there are over 65 participating courses in Southern California. The SCGA Foundation subsidizes the amount paid by the youth, so that the golf facility receives fair reimbursement for offering this access.



What does it cost?

The only cost for a youth to participate is the fee at the course (generally \$1-\$5). Through the participant's junior golf organization, the SCGA Foundation will provide an SCGA Membership to every **Youth on Course** participant. SCGA Membership also includes an SCGA Handicap Index and a subscription to FORE Magazine.

How can I get more involved?

As this program grows, there are a number of ways to help. We are currently trying to add more golf facilities to the program, looking for additional organizations to participate, and always working on additional funding to expand the program. Please contact our office for more information.



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YOUTH ON COURSE

The SCGA Foundation sponsors the education and character development of Southern California youth through golf. It believes that golf instills honesty, integrity, and sportsmanship and teaches valuable life lessons.

The SCGA Foundation **Youth on Course** program makes the game affordable and accessible to ANY child by **establishing \$1-\$5 green fees and \$1 range fees at golf facilities'** during off-peak hours. The participants are certified by junior golf organizations for golf rules, etiquette, and ability, but also must be part of a life skills or educational program (such as The First Tee Life Skills Curriculum).



Benefits for Golf Facilities

- Increased traffic and incremental revenue to facility during off-peak hours
- Up to \$10 for green fees and \$5 for range fees during off-peak hours through subsidies provided by the SCGA Foundation
- Simple system for tracking rounds requiring minimal administration
- Growing the future of the game and cultivating future customers
- Participant certification ensures that youth have the ability, etiquette, and responsibility to visit golf facility



Benefits for Youth

- \$1-\$5 green fees at over 65 Southern California golf courses
- \$1 range fees at over 65 Southern California golf courses
- Rules, etiquette, and life skills educational opportunities
- SCGA Membership including FORE Magazine subscription and SCGA Handicap Index



Benefits for Junior Programs

- Expanded opportunities and increased program benefits for participants
- No cost to join the SCGA
- Increasing program reach with minimal administration



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