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Advanced (Level 4) Program

Objective:

This course will introduce advanced golfers to tournament and competitive play and apply skills learned in Playing. The class will emphasize swing analysis, USGA rules of golf, competitive play, scoring and statistics, and how to play and score a hole properly in a tournament setting. Students will also have the opportunity to review the course management skills learned in Playing. Juniors who have gone through our Playing class or compete in local tournaments will be eligible for this program. Class size is limited. Classes are 2 hours, composed of a half hour clinic and 1 1/2 hour on-course event.

Week 1

Warm-Up: Introduction of the Coaches, Course Policies, Quiz 1
Core Value: Respect
Clinic: Putting drills, pre-shout routing for full swing
On-Course: Scramble Par 3s

Week 2

Rule of the Day: Standards of Player Conduct, Optional Homework
Warm-Up: Quiz 2
Core Value: Courtesy
Clinic: 2-putting, mental game in full swing
On-Course: Scramble shortened holes (pars 3-5)

Week 3

Warm-Up: Quiz 3
Core Value: Sportsmanship
Clinic: Up-and-down chipping and putting, warm-up full swing
On-Course: Scramble full holes

Week 4

Rule of the Day: Doubt as to Procedure, Optional Homework
Warm-Up: Quiz 4
Core Value: Honesty
Clinic: Half swings and pitching
On-Course: Scramble full holes

Week 5

Rule of the Day: The Committee, Optional Homework
Warm-Up: Quiz 5
Core Value: Integrity
Clinic: Bunker and flop shots, warm-up full swing
On-Course: Alternate shot full holes

Week 6

Warm-Up: Quiz 6
Core Value: Confidence
Clinic: Punch shots, uneven lies, tricky lies, warm-up full swing
On-Course: Best Ball format full holes

Week 7

Rule of the Day: Handicap, Optional Homework
Warm-Up: Quiz 7
Core Value: Responsibility
Clinic: Approach and layup shots, warm-up pitching
On-Course: Stroke Play shortened holes

Week 8

Rule of the Day: Handicap, Optional Homework
Warm-Up: Quiz 8
Core Value: Perseverance
Clinic: Full Swing: draws and fades
On-Course: Match Play shortened holes

Week 9

Rule of the Day: Handicap, Optional Homework
Warm-Up: Quiz 9
Core Value: Judgment
Clinic: Full Swing: V1 video analysis, Drivers
On-Course: Stroke Play full holes

Week 10

Level 4 Progress Report:
* Rules Test
* Approach shot challenge
* On-Course Evaluation: Stroke Play full holes
* Results presentation

Advanced Program Policies and Procedures:

The objective of this level is to introduce players to tournament play on the golf course. This program will include individual and team competition, rules, etiquette, and course strategy. Skills include short game and full swing training and drills.

Dress Code: *Boys:* Shirt tucked in with belt and either shorts or pants

Girls: Shorts or golf skirt must be mid-thigh length (not required to tuck in)

Instructors: TJ Wrzesinski

Weekly Requirements:

- *Being prepared:* Be prepared with balls, tees, ball markers, and a divot repair tool. Rules books, pencils, and scorecards will be provided. Push/pull carts are recommended for Advanced. Arrive 10 minutes in advance to complete the quiz.
- *Weekly Quiz:* Students should complete the short quiz at the beginning of each class. The points earned on the quiz will be deducted from the weekly score turned in. Quizzes should be completed before class, so be sure to arrive early.
- *On-Course Format:* We will vary format each week, beginning with a simple scramble until students are able to play stroke play. Formats include scramble, shamble, alternate shot, best ball, match play, and stroke play.
- *Scorecards:* Students should submit scorecards at the end of class each week. For scores to count, they must be properly signed and exchanged.
- *Picking Up:* A player not holed out at double par must pick up and mark the scorecard with the score plus "x".
- *Homework:* There will be several optional homework assignments given during the semester. Each homework completed will be 3 strokes off of students' total score.
- *Perfect Attendance:* Students who have perfect attendance for all 10 weeks will receive 3 strokes off their total score.
- *Parents:* Parents are encouraged to accompany students on the golf course. They can purchase a cart from the golf course and pay a spectator fee.
 - 1) Parents must be at least 25 yards away from the player.
 - 2) An instructor or volunteer will be with each group at all times.
- *Progress Report:* In order for students to advance to Level 5 (GJGA League), they should complete a progress report on the tenth week of class. This includes:
 - Rules Test (out of 20 points)
 - Approach Shot Challenge (out of 20 points)
 - Submitted score for week 10 (out of 20 points, compared with the class)
 - On-Course Observation (out of 40 points)
 - 80 points are required to advance to the final level

