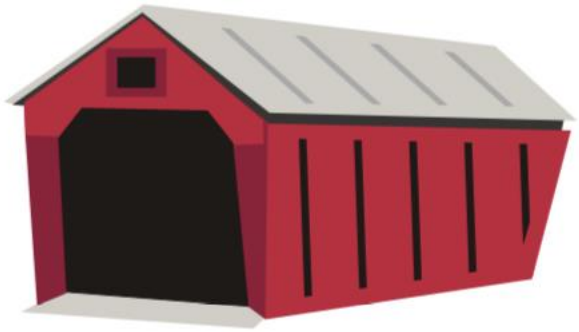
# 2025 Junior Golf Program



Bridgeport Country Club



The primary mission of the Bridgeport Country Club Junior Golf Program is to provide youth with the opportunity to learn and improve their game in a fun, positive, and safe environment. The program will cater to individuals of all ability and skill levels and help aid each individual through both golf and personal development. This will be accomplished through numerous instructional activities offered by our PGA professional staff with the goal of creating lifelong golfers.

Outlined in this book will be details on the junior golf programs offered including junior golf level criteria, junior golf clinics, club and local tournament schedules, club policies for junior golf course access, dress code and testing information.

Please don't hesitate to ask with any questions.

Thank you,

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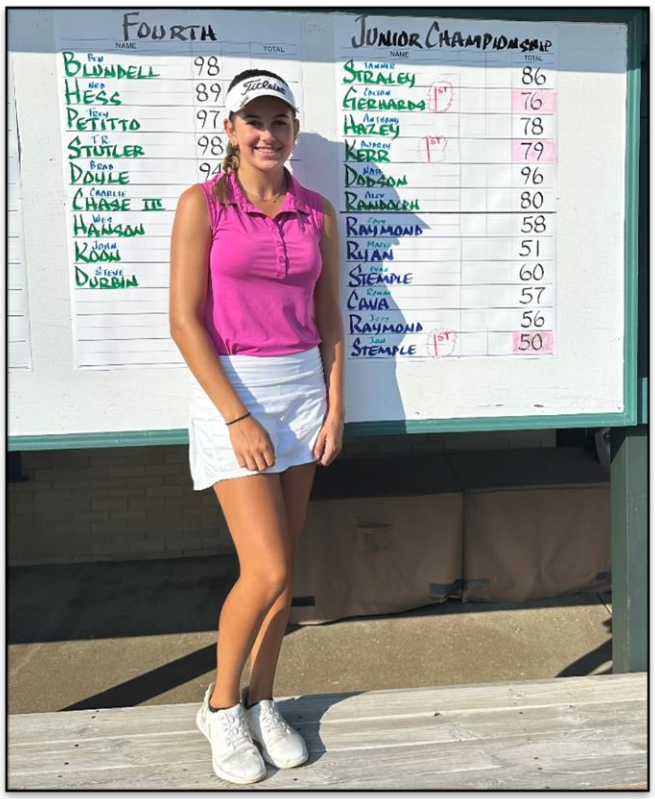
# DRESS CODE

Good taste in selection of golf attire is expected at all times. Blue jeans, dungarees, cut-offs, swimsuits, tank tops, etc. are not permitted on the practice tee, putting green or golf course.

Boys: Shirts with collar and golf slacks or mid-thigh golf shorts are considered appropriate attire. Hats must be worn in the forward-facing position.

Girls: Appropriate tops, slacks, Bermuda shorts and golf skirts at least mid-thigh in length are appropriate for girls.



# Golf Course Rules and Regulations

**Driving Range/Practice Areas:** Chipping on lower green is acceptable for short chips only. Longer pitch shots are allowed on upper practice green. Driving range balls are available in the golf shop. Junior golfers are permitted to utilize the practice facilities on a space available basis. Juniors should yield practice space to adult members and guests when space is limited.

**Play Guidelines:** A junior member under the age of 16 may play anytime except during the hours of 8:00am-10:00am during Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays or Tuesday's between 9:00am-10:00am (Ladies' Day).

**Junior Guests:** Any junior bringing a guest must register them in the golf shop prior to play or practicing. Guest names must be provided and how appropriate fees will be handled.



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 1st - Junior Golf Clinics

April 8th - Junior Golf Clinics

April 15th - Junior Golf Clinics

April 22nd - Junior Golf Clinics

April 29th -Junior Golf Clinics

May 6th – Junior Golf Clinics

May 8th PGA Junior League Meeting 5:00pm

June 18th - Summer Junior Golf Camp #1

June 19th - Summer Junior Golf Camp #1

June 20th - Summer Junior Golf Camp #1

July 19th – Evening Junior Golf Clinic

July 20th - BCC Parent-Child

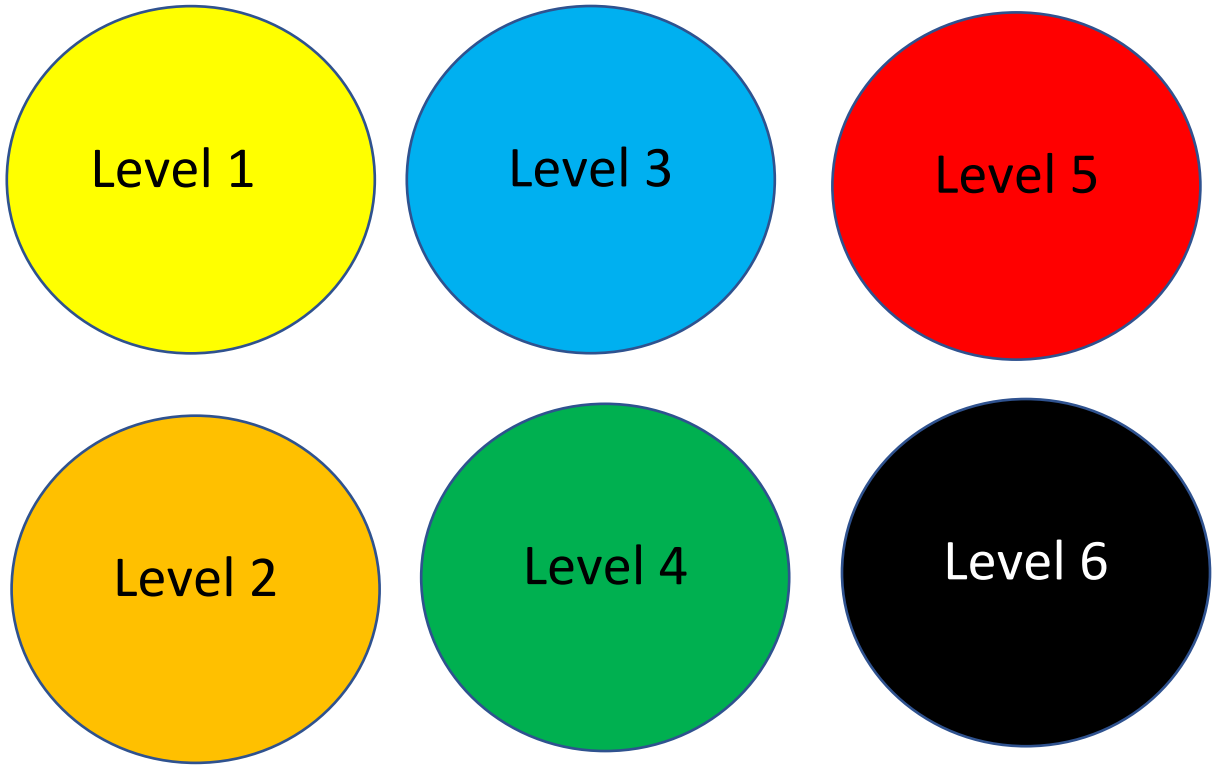
August 1st - Junior Golf Party/Drive, Chip and Putt Competition

August 2nd - Junior Club Championship

**Contact Mike for PGA Junior League Practices/Matches Schedule**

# JUNIOR GOLF LEVELS

The professional staff has created a six-level system for junior golfers at the club to track their progress as well as give each player goals to work toward each season. This has been developed in conjunction with the U.S. Kids Golf Player Pathway and PG. Coach stages. Once a junior golfer signs-up they will start in Level One- Yellow and begin the process to complete the level criteria. While going through each level, their progress will be tracked in a binder in the golf shop. After successfully completing all of the required tasks and passing each test in a level, they will receive a sticker to place on their golf bag tag indicating level completion.



# JUNIOR GOLF LEVELS

**PLAY**: Each level will require a certain number of times a junior golfer must play. These can be with parents, other juniors, or occur during a junior program.

**PRACTICE:** Each level will require participants to practice, with the number of times and duration increasing during the program.

**INSTRUCTION:** The Junior Golf Academy, summer junior program, private instruction as well as group instruction will all count toward meeting each level's criteria. The professional staff will record any instruction participation.

**SKILLS TEST**: Both short and long game tests will be given to measure progress during each level. These will be administered by the professional staff and passing dates to be recorded for each player. The specifics of each test will be outlined in this directory.

**RULES/ETIQUETTE TEST:** It is important that each player be aware of common rules and etiquette which is why each player will be required to pass a progressively harder test each level. This will help prepare our junior golfers to have the best experience while playing at the club and in tournaments.

**TEE YARDAGE/TARGET SCORE:** Each respective level is assigned a target score and a yardage or tee color to play from.

**GENERAL AGE:** This is simply a guideline, as students can go at their own pace depending on time and interest level.

**Club Events:** A junior golfer in or past Level 6 may participate in Club events in which wagering is not involved (For example, Member-Guest)

**Name: _____**

# Level 1- Yellow

**Play:** 3 holes from 125 yards a minimum of 7 times

**Practice:** required to practice for thirty minutes 6 times

**Instruction:** participate in 4 instructional sessions

**Short Game Test:**

Putting: 5 holes, 15 feet each- score 14 or better

Wedge Play: 2 out of 5 in air and on green with hole at least 5 yards from green

**Long Game Test:**

3 out of 5 drives must travel 60 yards

**Rules/Etiquette Test:** 7/10 to pass

**Tee Yardage:** 125 yards middle of fairway

**Target Score:** 20 or better for 3 Holes

**General Age:** 6 to 8

| | Date Complete | Staff Initial |
|---|---|---|
| **Play** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Practice** ◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Instruction** ◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Short Game Test** ◯ | | |
| **Long Game Test** ◯ | | |
| **Rules/Etiquette Test** ◯ | | |
| **Target Score** ◯ | | |

**Name:** _____

# Level 2-Orange

**Play:** 5 holes from 150 yards a minimum of 8 times

**Practice:** required to practice for thirty minutes 7 times

**Instruction:** participate in 5 instructional sessions

**Short Game Test:**

Putting: 9 holes, 15 feet each- score 20 or better
Wedge Play: 5 out of 9 in air and on green, 10 yards from green
Bunker: 2 out of 5 in the air and on the green

**Long Game Test:**

3 out of 5 drives must travel 100 yards (boys) 85 yards (girls)

**Rules/Etiquette Test:** 9/12 to pass

**Tee Yardage:** 150 yards middle of fairway

**Target Score:** 26 or better for 5 Holes

**General Age:** 8 to 11

| | Date Complete | Staff Initial |
|---|---|---|
| **Play** ○○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Practice** ○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Instruction** ○○○○○ | | |
| **Short Game Test** ○ | | |
| **Long Game Test** ○ | | |
| **Rules/Etiquette Test** ○ | | |
| **Target Score** ○ | | |

**Name: _____**

# Level 3-Blue

**Play:** 9 holes a minimum of 12 times

**Practice:** 10 times for a minimum of 30 minutes

**Instruction:** 8 instructional sessions

**Short Game Test:**

Putting: 12 holes, 20 feet each, score 26 or better/ make 5 3ft. putts in a row
Wedge Play: 7 out of 9 in the air and on the green from 20 yards, and 3 out of 6 over bunker and on green
Bunker: 5 out of 9 in the air and on the green

**Long Game Test:**

7 out of 10 tee shots must travel 150 yards (boys)/110 yards (girls)

**Rules/Etiquette Test:** 11/14 to pass

**Tee Yardage:** Red/Silver

**Target Score:** 54 or better

**General Age:** 9 to 12

| | Date Complete | Staff Initial |
|---|---|---|
| **Play** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Practice** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Instruction** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Short Game Test** ◯ | | |
| **Long Game Test** ◯ | | |
| **Rules/Etiquette Test** ◯ | | |
| **Target Score** ◯ | | |

**Name: _____**

# Level 4-Green

**Play:** 9 holes a minimum of 15 times

**Practice:** 12 times for a minimum of 45 minutes

**Instruction:** 10 instructional sessions

**Short Game Test:**

Putting: 18 holes, 20 feet each, score 36 or better/ make 10 3ft. putts in a row
Wedge Play: 7 out of 10 in the air and on the green from 30 yards, and 6 out of 10 over bunker and on green
Bunker: 6 out of 10 in the air and on the green

**Long Game Test:**

7 out of 10 tee shots must travel 175 yards (boys)/125 yards (girls)

**Rules/Etiquette Test:** 11/14 to pass

**Tee Yardage:** Gold (Boys) Red (Girls)

**Target Score:** 50

**General Age:** 11 to 14

| | Date Complete | Staff Initial |
|---|---|---|
| **Play** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Practice** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Instruction** ◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯◯ | | |
| **Short Game Test** ◯ | | |
| **Long Game Test** ◯ | | |
| **Rules/Etiquette Test** ◯ | | |
| **Target Score** ◯ | | |

**Name: _____**

# Level 5-Red

**Play:** 18 holes a minimum of 20 times
**Practice:** 20 times for at least an hour
**Instruction:** 12 instructional sessions
**Short Game Test:**
Putting: 7/10 8 ft. putts, 12 3ft putts in a row
Wedge Play: 11 out of 15 in the air and on the green from 45 yards, 10 out of 15 over bunker on the green
Bunker: 7 out of 10 in the air and on the green
**Long Game Test:**
11 out of 15 tee shots must travel 200 yards (boys)/150 yards (girls)
**Rules/Etiquette Test:** 15/20 to pass

**Tee Yardage:** White (Boys) Red (Girls)
**Target Score:** 90 or better
**General Age:** 12 to 15

| | Date Complete | Staff Initial |
|---|---|---|
| **Play** ○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Practice** ○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Instruction** ○○○○○○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Short Game Test** ○ | | |
| **Long Game Test** ○ | | |
| **Rules/Etiquette Test** ○ | | |
| **Target Score** ○ | | |

**Name: _____**

# Level 6- Black

**Play:** 18 holes a minimum of 25 times
**Practice:** 25 times for at least an hour
**Instruction:** 12 instructional sessions
**Short Game Test:**
Putting: 8/10 8 ft. putts, 12 3ft putts in a row
Wedge Play: 17 out of 20 in the air and on the green from 60 yards, 15 out of 20 over bunker on the green
Bunker: 8 out of 10 in the air and on the green
**Long Game Test:**
11 out of 15 tee shots must travel 225 yards (boys)/150 yards (girls)
**Rules/Etiquette Test:** 20/25 to pass

**Tee Yardage:** Blue (Boys) Red (Girls)
**Target Score:** Tournament 100/90/80/70
**General Age:** 15+

| | Date Complete | Staff Initial |
|---|---|---|
| **Play** ○○○○○○○○○○○ ○○○○○○○○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Practice** ○○○○○○○○○○ ○○○○○○○○○○○○○○ | | |
| **Instruction** ○○○○○○○○○○ ○○ | | |
| **Short Game Test** ○ | | |
| **Long Game Test** ○ | | |
| **Rules/Etiquette Test** ○ | | |
| **Target Score** ○ | | |

# BCC Bombers- PGA Jr. League

**Goal:** The goal of the PGA Junior League is for participants to have fun and learn the game of golf in a competitive environment. Juniors will learn basic etiquette and rules through play on the golf course.

**Format:** Each game consists of 2 teams each fielding at least 8 players broken into groups of 2, playing a 2-person match play (scramble format) vs a similar pairing from opposing team.
Each match is **9-holes in length broken into 3-hole segments called flags**.
There are **3 flags per match** each worth one point.
**For example**: There are 12 points available in each game. The team with the most points wins the match.

**Requirements:** Must be able to walk and carry clubs for 9 holes. Be in or past Level 2 in BCC level system.
**AGES: 13 and under team** (Must not turn 14 before August 1st)
**14- 17-year-old team**

**Registration:** [PGA JUNIOR LEAGUE REGISTRATION]

Please contact Mike for more information.



# 2025 Registration Form

Participant Name_____ Age _____
Address_____

City_____State_____Zip_____

Mobile Phone_____-_____-_____

Emergency Phone_____-_____-_____

(PLEASE PROVIDE A LIST OF ANY ALLERGIES WHEN TURNING IN REGISTRATION FORM)

Emergency Contact Name_____

E-Mail Address:_____

Golf Skill Level: Beginner_____ Intermediate____ Advanced_____

Do You Need Clubs? Yes____ No____ Right Handed____ Left Handed____

THE CLINICS WILL BE TAUGHT BY PGA PROFESSIONAL AND U.S. KIDS GOLF MASTER KIDS COACH MIKE GERVAIS. FOR MORE DETAILS OR QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT MIKE @ (304) 842-3111 OR MGERVAISPGA@GMAIL.COM

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PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM ASAP TO SECURE SPOT IN CLINIC(S) (See Next Page for Clinic Schedule/Select Dates attending)

_____CASH _____CHECK _____ Member Charge_____

As guardian of the above-named minor, I grant permission for them to participate in all activities of the BCC Junior Golf program at Bridgeport CC. I recognize that cameras may be present during sessions, I agree to have my child photographed, and I agree to allow Bridgeport County Club using these photos for future ads and promotions. If I wish to opt-out, I agree to submit in writing to BCC business office the opt-out request.

I also recognize that engaging in recreational activities results in an assumption of some degree of risk on the part of the person participating and as such there exist likelihood for injury incidental to participating. I certify the participant is in good health and able to participate with no limitations. In the event a medical emergency were to happen on the premises when I am not present or cannot be contacted, I give my permission to secure medical attention. Also, I hereby release, Bridgeport Country Club and all clinical instructors and volunteers of all liabilities due to injury or illness.

Parent Signature_____DATE_____

# ***Junior Golf Clinic Dates***

**Cost is $30 per clinic, or you can choose a complete clinic package ($150 for 6 Clinics**

***Please select a date and time for each week available***

| | |
|---|---|
| April 1st | 5:00pm-6:00pm ____ |
| April 8th | 5:00pm-6:00pm ____ |
| April 15th | 5:00pm-6:00pm ____ |
| April 22nd | 5:00pm-6:00pm ____ |
| April 29th | 5:00pm-6:00pm ____ |
| May 6th | 5:00pm-6:00pm ____ |

**Cost for Summer camp is $250 per participant. Families with two or more children participating will receive a $25 discount per child**

***Summer Junior Golf Camp #1***

June 18th-20th 9:00am-12:00pm_____

** Cost of PGA Jr. League is $360 total: $250 for player fees and $110 for membership to the PGA. Player fees include uniforms, tournament fees, dinner after matches, and entry into our Drive, Chip, and Putt event. **

***PGA Jr. League***

May 8th - August 1st Interested? _____

# 2025 Callaway Junior Tour Schedule

Visit www.cjrtour.com for more information.

| | |
|---|---|
| **The Greenbrier (AM)** | **May 27** |
| **The Greenbrier (PM)** | **May 27** |
| **Lewisburg Elks CC** | **May 28** |
| **Guyan G&CC** | **June 9** |
| **Esquire GC** | **June 10** |
| **Riverside GC** | **June 11** |
| **The Resort at Glade Springs** | **June 16** |
| **Par 3 Shootout @ Pipestem Short Course** | **June 16** |
| **Pipestem Resort State Park** | **June 17** |
| **Canaan Valley Resort** | **June 19** |
| **Bridgeport CC** | **June 23** |
| **Preston CC** | **June 24** |
| **The Pines CC** | **June 25** |
| **Berry Hills CC** | **July 7** |
| **Oglebay (Jones Course)** | **July 8** |
| **Stonewall Resort** | **July 10** |
| **Locust Hill GC** | **July 14** |
| **Parkersburg CC** | **July 21** |
| **Greenhills GC** | **July 22** |
| **Edgewood CC** | **July 28** |
| **Tour Championship**<br>**The Greenbrier Sporting Club** | **July 31** |

**DRIVE, CHIP and PUTT**

Local Qualifier Locations- Visit www.drivechipandputt.com for more information!

# U.S Kids Golf Equipment & Apparel

Contact Mike or Tanner for recommendations, pricing, or any other questions about junior clubs and apparel! Website: https://www.uskidsgolfpro.com/products-overview

## Club Comparison

| Player Type | RIGHTSTART YARD CLUB | UL ULTRALIGHT | TOUR SERIES |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Beginner | Beginner to Intermediate | Intermediate to Advanced |
| **Head Weight** | Lightest | Lighter | Light |
| **Unique Head Weights** | 3 | 5 sets | 3 sets |
| **Shaft Flex** | Most Flexible | Light-Flex | Regular |
| **Launch Angle** | Highest | Higher | High |
| **Spin** | Highest | Mid-High | Low-Mid |
| **Forgiveness** | Most | High | Moderate |
| **Sole Width** | Widest | Mid | Narrow |
| **Workability** | Least | Mid | Most |
| **Sizes Offered** | 10 sizes: 36" – 63" | 9 sizes: 39" – 63" | 6 sizes: 51" – 66" |
| **Key Features & Benefits** | • Large Lightweight Oversize Head = *easy to hit*<br>• Flexible Shaft = *easy to launch*<br>• Training Grip = *proper fundamentals* | • Lighter Weighting = *easy to swing*<br>• Higher Lofts and Flexible Shafts = *easy to launch*<br>• Wider Soles and Perimeter Weighting = *increased forgiveness* | • Lower Lofts = *more piercing trajectories*<br>• Stiffer Shafts = *tighter dispersion*<br>• Refined Shapes and Materials = *increased performance for higher swing speed players* |

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