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**2012 PassKey Books
Now Available!**



**GIVE THE GIFT OF GOLF
THIS HOLIDAY SEASON!!!**

The 2012 Passkey books are now available! The Passkey books are back and better than ever. This year's book includes extended deals, new courses, and a chance to win a Callaway Golf Prize Package. The PassKey is a great gift idea for that golfer in your family. Get yours now for the best golf deals in Tennessee! [Click Here](#).

Thank You!

In 2011 the Tennessee Golf Foundation touched the lives of over 25,000 juniors through golf.

Whether it was a local grass roots clinic, elementary school program, camp, middle school golf, The First Tee, Tennessee PGA Junior Golf Academy, TGA Junior Tour or a competition, junior golfers were able to experience the game at an appropriate age and ability level. Through grants and donations, fees are kept at a minimum for all to enjoy.



To see the 2011 Progress Report and experience a week with the TGF, please [click here](#).

Academy Open for Registration

The 2012 Tennessee PGA Junior Golf Academy schedule has been released and online registration is now available. These overnight camps are held at Golf House Tennessee in Franklin. Since 1973, over 11,000 young people have been introduced to the game of a lifetime by our dedicated staff of PGA, LPGA instructors and college coaches. While many of our graduates have gone on to become top caliber professional and amateur players, countless students have developed a lifelong love and appreciation for the game in a positive, supportive and fun learning environment.





PLAY TMSGA

The Tennessee Middle School Golf Association (TMSGA) was established in 1998 as the East Tennessee Middle School Golf Association and laid the groundwork for its incorporation in 1999 as a non-profit 501 (c) (3) organization. In late 2009, the Tennessee Golf Foundation (TGF) took ownership and currently carries full responsibility of the organization.

The TMSGA is open to any school in Tennessee that has students enrolled in 6th, 7th, or 8th grade, both for boys and girls. In 2011, approximately 80 schools participated. Teams are divided into three regions and eligible for 15 dates of competition. The season starts in March and post season play includes districts for everyone and regional championships for those that qualify.

If your school is interested in participating or you want to play as an individual, please contact Steve McDonald at smcdonald@pgahq.com. [Click here](#) to view the website.

Need a Gift?

Still looking for a good gift for that junior golf in your life? Take a look at Nicole Weller's book, ***Stick to Sports: Lets Play Golf.***

[Click here](#) to view a video about the book. It is perfect for ages 4 -8 but may also fit some beginners above that age.

Tuition includes all room and board, lessons, green fees on The Little Course as well as Vanderbilt Legends Club, range balls, favors, etc. Juniors ages 10-17 can choose from 6 different weeks in 2012. [Click here](#) for more info.

Dates	Program	Tuition
May 27 - May 31	Boys 5 day / 4 night	\$625
June 3 - June 7	Girls 5 day / 4 night	\$525
June 10 - June 14	Boys 5 day / 4 night	\$625
June 17 - June 21	Boys 5 day / 4 night	\$625
June 24 - June 28	Boys 5 day / 4 night	\$625
July 8 - July 12	Coed 5 day / 4 night	\$625

2012 College Signees!

Congrats to the following players that signed a National Letter of Intent in the early signing period or a financial aid agreement. Please let us know if we missed anyone and we will follow up in our next newsletter. E-mail



tnjuniorgolf@pgahq.com. [Click here](#) to see a list of the current and signed college players from Tennessee.

Females

Victoria Barrett	Newport	Mars Hill
Jessica Cathey	Hixson	Austin Peay
Andrea Cropper	Nashville	Memphis
Maddie Denton	Murfreesboro	MTSU
Mikayla Dodson	Santa Fe	Freed Hardeman
Allison Geer	Doyle	TN Tech
Avery George	Cleveland	MTSU
Hannah Griffin	Portland	Freed Hardeman
Sarah Harris	Hermitage	Kentucky
Meredith Hawkins	Powell	Carson Newman
Kelli Pemberton	Knoxville	Carson Newman
Emily Williams	Lawrenceburg	MTSU
Megan Williamson	Murfreesboro	TN Tech

Males

Andrew Aristorenas	Adamsville	Christian Brothers
Hunter Arnold	Lenoir City	Armstrong Atlantic
Christopher Baker	Franklin	Austin Peay
Adam Cunningham	Cookeville	TN Tech
Grant Daugherty	Alcoa	Tennessee
Connor Davis	Olive Branch	Ole Miss
Samual Davis	Harriman	Tusculum
Peyton Deming	Franklin	UT Martin

Go to www.sticktosports.com for more info.



Corey Evans	Cleveland	West Georgia
Connor Froning	Knoxville	Lincoln Memorial
Wesley Gosselin	Knoxville	UTC
Bryan Grisard	Hendersonville	Belmont
Tyler Guy	Clarksville	UT Martin
Dylan Healey	Franklin	Arizona
Zachary Hester	Soddy Daisy	TN Wesleyan
Michael Hutcherson	Oakfield	Bethel
Carson Jacobs	Hendersonville	Vanderbilt
Cody Johnson	Knoxville	Walters State
Tyler Justis	Greeneville	Milligan
Bryce Kendrick	Powell	TN Tech
Austin Kramer	Knoxville	Austin Peay
Chris Lawson	Rogersville	Bryan College
Clark Melton	Cleveland	Young Harris
Garrett Metz	Knoxville	Lincoln Memorial
Michael Monroe	Franklin	UTC
Zach Nussbaumer	Clarksville	Lipscomb
Tyler Phillips	Clarksville	Trevecca
Ben Reeves	Knoxville	UT Martin
Tyler Reynolds	Athens	TN Wesleyan
Hunter Rye	Cumberland City	Trevecca
Mitchell Thomas	Farragut	TN Tech
Kory Webb	Knoxville	UTC

2012 Tournament Dates!

Trying to figure out your summer tournament schedule already? Here are some dates you may need:



PGA Junior Championship July 16-17, Cookeville GC

TGA Boys Junior Amateur July 10-12, Black Creek GC, Chattanooga, Local qualifying dates TBA

TGA Girls Junior Amateur June 12-14, Stones River CC, Murfreesboro

USGA Boys Jr Am Qualifying June 26-27, Old Fort GC, Murfreesboro

USGA Girls Jr Am Qualifying June 26, Old Fort GC, Murfreesboro

The TGA Junior Tour Schedule will be announced in February.

[Click here](#) to find out more about these events and others.

College Days - January 2012



College Day is just around the corner. Plan now to attend and learn more about what it takes to get to the next level. All ages and ability levels are encouraged to attend. The program is broken down in two sections. A power point review will give you lots of information on when to do what, college visits, scholarships, resume writing, eligibility, etc. During the second half of the program, actual college coaches will be present to answer your questions.

This is not a recruiting seminar and the coaches may not conduct any actual recruiting onsite. They are present to give you a view of what the recruiting process is like and help you to navigate your way to find the best fit for your academic and athletic ability.

Sessions will be held in Memphis, Nashville, Knoxville and Kingsport.

[Click here](#) to find out more on dates and times.

Answers to Recruiting Questions

FreeRecruitingWebinar.org is a free educational service operated by the Recruiting Education Foundation, Inc., a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization. FreeRecruitingWebinar.org provides answers to common questions concerning the collegiate athletic recruiting process for high school student-athletes and their parents.

FreeRecruitingWebinar.org operates as an on-line classroom, educating high school student-athletes and their parents on every aspect of athletic recruiting, collegiate academic eligibility, and social responsibility.

Partners with TACA - TN Athletic Coaches Association. [Click here](#) to find out more. Lissa and Steve in the Junior Golf Office are happy to help with this process too. Just give them a call at 615-790-3336 or e-mail tnjuniorgolf@pgahq.com.



Free For You! Game Improvement!



It is FREE! Scratchgolfer.org's mission is to bring a team aspect to their members' pursuit of golfing excellence. Nationally recognized Colorado teacher, Trent Werner, has put together a great web-based game improvement tool.

Benefits of joining include a stats program, skills challenge games where you can log your practice scores to track progress, resources for juniors and college players, a virtual trophy room that is based around rewarding consistent play.

[Click here](#) to find out more.

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Little Course Membership	Gaylon	615-790-7600	Click Here
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TGA Boys Jr Amateur	Nate	615-790-7600	Click Here
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