

Ames Golf & Country Club



2026

Junior Golf Program

Ames Golf & Country Club Junior Golf program mission

“The AGCC Professional Staff is dedicated to helping juniors develop golf and life skills through a variety of FUN and competitive programs. We seek to provide the ultimate learning and playing environment in an enjoyable and social atmosphere that will create lifelong golfers.”

We are excited to present you the 2026 Ames Golf & Country Club Junior Golf Program! The program, as a whole, is designed to give your juniors a FUN, safe learning environment to learn the game of Golf and provide your junior a pathway to achieve any goals they have in Golf.

This year’s program will continue to provide opportunities for your juniors to receive instruction, get on the golf course, and compete. There are programs for every skill level, from complete beginner to those who aspire to play high-level competitive golf. Programs can be summer-long or just a few days long in one of our camps. *The camp structure will be changing in 2025.* We will split juniors up into one of 2-3 groups based on age and ability to provide the best learning environment for your junior golfer.

With the success of PGA Junior League, we expect to have 3 teams again in 2026. This program provides the best chance to introduce you Junior Golfer to a competitive golf environment, without having to be competing on their own, as part of the AG&CC team.

The core of the program will revolve around the US Kids Golf Player Pathway development model for all on-course play and development. The program is designed to mix kid friendly instruction with on course play. The curriculum includes skills tests in five core areas for the player to pass before progressing to the next level. Players earn achievement pins as they advance through the booklet in each area.

The pages that follow include a list of all the programs that will be offered during the 2026 season. The Golf Staff looks forward to a fun and successful 2026 Junior Golf season!

Scott Nugent, PGA
Director of Golf



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2026 Summer 8-Week Academy Schedule

Ages 4-17

\$110 Members (One Session Only)

\$185 Members (Both Sessions)

| | AGES 13-17 | AGES 10-12 | AGES 7-9 | AGES 4-6 |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Session 1- WEEK 1 | 6/2 8:00AM-11:00AM | 6/2 9:00AM-11:30AM | 6/2 10:00AM-12:00PM | 6/2 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 1- WEEK 2 | 6/9 8:00AM-11:00AM | 6/9 9:00AM-11:30AM | 6/9 10:00AM-12:00PM | 6/9 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 1- WEEK 3 | 6/16 8:00AM-11:00AM | 6/16 9:00AM-11:30AM | 6/16 10:00AM-12:00PM | 6/16 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 1- WEEK 4 | 6/23 8:00AM-11:00AM | 6/23 9:00AM-11:30AM | 6/23 10:00AM-12:00PM | 6/23 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 2- WEEK 1 | 7/7 8:00AM-11:00AM | 7/7 9:00AM-11:30AM | 7/7 10:00AM-12:00PM | 7/7 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 2- WEEK 2 | 7/14 8:00AM-11:00AM | 7/14 9:00AM-11:30AM | 7/14 10:00AM-12:00PM | 7/14 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 2- WEEK 3 | 7/21 8:00AM-11:00AM | 7/21 9:00AM-11:30AM | 7/21 10:00AM-12:00PM | 7/21 11:00AM-12:00PM |
| Session 2- WEEK 4 | 7/28 8:00AM-11:00AM | 7/28 9:00AM-11:30AM | 7/28 10:00AM-12:00PM | 7/28 11:00AM-12:00PM |

ALL participants are invited to attend the end of the season Party & BBQ on 7/28



U.S. KIDS GOLF

9-Hole Family Play Days

SUNDAYS (Tee-Times starting at 3:00 PM)

6/8

6/22

7/13

7/27

The Simple Path to Learning Golf

To make it fun for players to learn while staying motivated to improve, the Player Pathway provides the perfect program for kids, parents, and coaches. With an easy to follow curriculum combined with awards, players can progress from beginner to elite player!



Achievement Pins

A progressive learning program that provides attainable goals, awards frequently, while furthering development and skills.



A Solid Curriculum

Easy to understand books, with simple and effective methods to teach, learn, and advance.

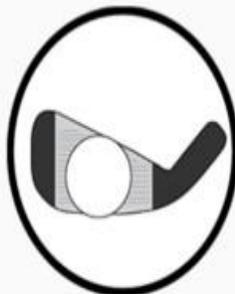


Gold Star Award

Celebrate milestone achievements with Gold Star (Level 5) and Platinum Player (Level 10) Awards



PUTTING



**AROUND
THE GREEN**



FULL SWING



KNOWLEDGE



SCORING

- The Player Pathway is a simple to follow curriculum with skills checkpoints to guide development.
- Each of the 10 Levels include Putting, Around the Green, Full Swing, Knowledge, and Scoring.
- Award pins provides motivation for success.
- Special "Star Awards" are included for completing Levels 5 and 10.



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ACADEMY TUITION & SCHEDULE

AGE 4-6 TUE

Birdie Basics

\$110 (One Session)
\$185 (Both Sessions)

(4) or (8) Academy
Classes

(1) Birdie Basics
Playbook

AGES 7-12

SUMMER ACADEMY

\$110 (One Session)
\$185 (Both Sessions)

(4) or (8) Academy
Classes

(4) 9-Hole Events

BEST VALUE

SUMMER ACADEMY PLUS

\$325

(8) Academy Classes
(4) 9-Hole Events
Supervised Practices
(4) Private Lessons

AGES 13-17

SUMMER ACADEMY

\$185

(8) Academy Classes

(4) 9-Hole Events

JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM | AGES 3-6

FUTURE **36**ERS

POWERED BY



Birdie Basics™



Your junior deserves a great first experience when being introduced to the game of golf!

Specifically designed for this unique age group by an early childhood expert and golf professional, the Birdie Basics program teaches three basic swings as well as other golf fundamentals. This story-driven golf instruction program teaches through fun, memorable games, and allows young children to feel successful and get excited about golf from day one!



CONNECT

Multi-sensory
Engagement, Mascot
Birdie, Story

PLAY

3 Levels of Swing
Tactile Props
Movement Activities

EMPOWER

Life Lessons
Encourage Imagination
Self-discovery



2026 PGA JUNIOR LEAGUE

PGA JUNIOR LEAGUE BRINGS A "LITTLE LEAGUE" ATMOSPHERE TO THE GAME OF GOLF

BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 8-13 (13U)
BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 14-17 (17U)

FUN TEAM SCRAMBLE FORMAT FOR ALL PLAYERS
AND SKILL LEVELS

SEASON RUNS JUNE-JULY

THURSDAY MORNING WEEKLY TEAM PRACTICE 8:30AM-10:30AM
MATCH SCHEDULE TBD

INCLUDES:

HOME AND AWAY JERSEYS
PGAJL GIFT PACK
WEEKLY TEAM PRACTICE
4 REGULAR SEASON HOME & AWAY MATCHES
END OF SEASON PARTY



COST: \$310

REGISTRATION ACCESS CODE : 1911

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COMPETITIVE PREP PROGRAM

New for 2026, the competitive prep program is for Juniors who have a desire to play in tournaments and in High School. In this program, juniors will have the ability to train, compete and prepare for success as a competitive golfer.

The staff will assist in helping families plan which tournaments juniors should be playing in to give them the best chance to reach their goals as a competitive golfer.

- (1) Weekly Group Class - Wednesday's 1:00-2:30 pm
- (1) Bi-Weekly Private Lesson with Golf Professional Staff

PRACTICE WITH THE PROS

Ages 7-14

\$30 per Session

This clinic is a mix of supervised practice and game play. Your Junior Golfer will have a chance to practice alongside the AG&CC Professional Staff. During each session juniors will work on one specific skill and participate in games and on course practice, with coaches, to make practice both fun and effective. **Maximum of 8 juniors per session.**

Fridays From 1:00 PM -2:30 PM

6/5, 6/12, 6/26, 7/10, 7/17, 7/24, 7/31, 8/7, 8/14

BUILD YOUR OWN GROUP

Open to all Ages

\$150 per junior for 5 weeks

Groups of 3-4 juniors (group can consists of up to 3 guests)

1/hour per week

In addition to the AGCC Junior Academy on Tuesday's, we will offer a program to allow for flexible scheduling and the ability to play with members and non-members. This program offers more hands-on instruction while integrating core values, rules, specific golf skills, and on course strategy that are all integral to the game of golf. Open to all ages.

This is the most flexible way to get consistent instruction, with a PGA Professional, in a focused and personal setting.

Contact Scott to sign-up a group and discuss the best day and time for your group.