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Dear Junior Tour Members,

Enclosed is a schedule of events for 2025, an important information sheet, more about me as your new Junior Tour Director, information regarding our website, and our pace of play policy.

We have also enclosed a Frequently Asked Questions document.

Please be sure that you and your parents read through these carefully. This is a resource for you to help with any questions you may have.

Our website – firstteesacramento.org/junior-tour – is the best resource for you to find information regarding the tournaments, tee locations, participants, results, etc. It is also a great place to direct a friend who may be interested in joining the tour.

First Tee – Greater Sacramento's Junior Tour was created to make a high quality and affordable golf tour available to Sacramento area junior golfers, where they would have the opportunity to play on a variety of golf courses within the area. This is the 28th year of the tour, and we have enjoyed great success. We look forward to having you on the tour and seeing you out on the course.

Sincerely,



Ashley Noda
Program Coordinator & Junior Tour Director

<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Tournament/Course</u>
Sunday	March 30, 2025	Alta Sierra CC
Sunday	May 18, 2025	Optimist Qualifier at Haggin Oaks GC
Monday	June 9, 2025	David Oxley Memorial at Diamond Oaks GC
Monday	June 16, 2025	Serrano CC
Monday	June 30, 2025	Bill Dougherty Memorial at Yolo Fliers CC
Monday	July 7, 2025	Catta Verdera CC
Monday	July 14, 2025	Peach Tree CC
Monday	July 21, 2025	Bill Demas Memorial at Del Paso CC
Wednesday	July 23, 2025	Mather GC
Monday	July 28, 2025	Morgan Creek GC
Wednesday	July 30, 2025	Ancil Hoffman GC
Monday	August 4, 2025	Sierra View CC
Sunday	September 14, 2025	Bartley Cavanaugh GC
Saturday	September 27, 2025	Bing Maloney GC
Saturday	October 4, 2025	Junior Tour Championship at Timber Creek GC
Monday	November 24, 2025	Kurt von Tillow Memorial at Cameron Park CC
Saturday	December 6, 2025	Jean Hock Memorial at William Land GC

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Contacting First Tee — Greater Sacramento Junior Tour Office

You may contact the Junior Tour office at jrtour@tftgs.org or 916-486-6220 or Ashley Noda at anoda@tftgs.org.

Email Notifications

All notifications for tournament confirmations and schedule changes are sent via email. If you are not receiving emails from us, please check your junk email folder or contact us at jrtour@tftgs.org to confirm our recorded email address for you is correct.

Rules of Golf

We highly recommend all players, before their first tournament, visit and spend a good amount of time at <http://www.usga.org> for helpful videos and printed materials on the current rules. Players can also download the USGA Official Rules of Golf App ([iOS](#); [Android](#)).

Registration Deadline

We encourage you to sign up early for events as many events fill up as early as six weeks prior to the event date. The registration deadline for all events is 2 days prior to the event date; however, if there is still room in the event less than 2 days prior you may register with an additional \$20 late fee (example - Event Date: July 15, all late entries received July 13 or later will be charged an additional \$20).

Cancellation Policy

There is a \$5 cancellation fee to cancel an event. All cancellations made more than 2 days prior to the event date will be refunded to the junior's online account, less a \$5 cancellation fee per event. **There are no credits or refunds given for events canceled less than two days prior to the event date.**

Waiting List Policy

If an event is full, you will be notified when you register online that you are on the waiting list. Your account will only be charged when you get into the event. If a spot becomes available for you to participate, you will automatically be added to the event, your credit card will be charged, and you will receive an email confirmation. If you no longer wish to play in the event, please take your name off the waiting list by cancelling your registration. You will not be charged the \$5 cancellation fee when cancelling from the waiting list.

Dress Code

Please consult the FAQs document regarding dress code policy for **players and spectators**. This information can also be found on our tournament home pages under policies. Please note this dress code applies from the time you arrive on property until the time you leave the event. Please do not change out of clothes into inappropriate attire, untuck shirts, or any other acts contrary to the dress code until leaving the event. If you have a dress code violation, you will be given the opportunity to correct the violation at that time. If you continue to have violations during a round or are unable to correct the violation, you will be disqualified.

NCGA – Youth on Course Membership

Through your Junior Tour membership, you also receive membership to the NCGA Youth on Course program for the calendar year. If you do not have a current GHIN number, you will be given one through this program and be able to establish a handicap. If you do have a current GHIN, please be sure we have it in our records, to ensure that you are not issued a second GHIN number. Visit youthoncourse.org/course-directory for a list of participating facilities throughout Northern California, who offer discounted green fees for \$5 or less.

Practice Round Policy

It is our privilege to play the golf courses listed on our schedule each season. Many courses give us a special rate for the day of play and/or allow us to play a golf course that would normally be restricted to members only. **Please do not contact any private country clubs to ask for a practice round** unless you are accompanied by a member or are requesting a reciprocal. You are welcome to play a practice round prior to the event date at any public golf course. Please be courteous when calling and please do not ask for complimentary practice rounds or special discounts beyond the courses published junior rates.

MEET YOUR JUNIOR TOUR DIRECTOR

ASHLEY NODA



Hi Junior Tour members! My name is Ashley Noda, and it is such an honor to be officially running this tour. I started with First Tee – Greater Sacramento as a participant back in 2001 at 7 years old in Little Linkers. As I progressed, I played on the Junior Tour for 8 years, completed my Ace certification, and attended several National Opportunities, including what was then known as The First Tee Open at Pebble Beach. Following high school, I was able to secure a scholarship to play Division I golf for Santa Clara University, where I competed for 4 years and earned my bachelor's degree in marketing.

My career has taken me all over having worked for First Tee – Silicon Valley, a tech company called Pantheon, and the SCGA's Junior Golf Foundation. I've recently found my way back home and have now been working for First Tee – Greater Sacramento for nearly 2 years. As Program Coordinator, you may see me in a variety of capacities as I oversee National Opportunities, Ace, Watson Links, our School Program, a lot of our outreach programs like RISE and Girls Golf, and so much more.

I can't express enough how excited I am to have truly come full circle and to be creating the same kind of opportunities for all of you that shaped the person I am today. Looking forward to an awesome year with you all out on the course!

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CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE

firstteesacramento.org

First Tee — Greater Sacramento’s Junior Tour uses the Blue Golf™ system for membership and event registration. Through our website you can access tournament results, points summary, hole-by-hole tournament scores, tee locations & driving directions for upcoming events, check your registration or waiting list status for an event, cancel an event and much more.

After you register for our Junior Tour membership, you can now login to your BlueGolf account. Use the primary email address that you selected when registering. *(We recommend changing your password after your first log-in.)*

To access information for each of the below, please follow the instructions below. Each of these items is accessible on our website at firstteesacramento.org/junior-tour.

Player’s Club (pro tip: bookmark this page)

The Player’s Club is your personal account page. From your Player’s Club account, you can register for events, cancel events, edit your personal contact information, view your rounds & stats, and see your current credit balance, if applicable.

Tournament Results

To check results from a particular event, click on the Tournament Schedule, click “Info” link for event you are interested in, then hit the results tab at the top.

Upcoming Tournament Playing Fields

To see who is registered for an event, click Tournament Schedule, then click the “Info” link for the event you are interested in. The player and waiting lists are listed on the right-hand side of the page.

Cancel an Event

Log in to your player’s BlueGolf profile. Select tournaments, then select the event you want to cancel from. Scroll to the bottom of the page and select cancel.

Points Summary & Scoring Averages

Click on the Tournament Results & Points (Player of the Year) Summary box. To view the latest points summary or scoring averages, select your age group from the dropdown.

Tee Locations

Tee locations can be found on the Tournament Schedule page. Click the “Info” link for the event you are interested in. Tee locations will be found here along with any special notes on tee locations, as well as a copy of the scorecard.

Please contact us at jrtour@tftgs.org or 916-486-6220 with any questions you may have.



PACE OF PLAY POLICY

Pace of play is a continuing struggle for golf as a whole. Whether a weekend round with friends, adult business outing or junior golf tournament, pace of play can be a problem. Through this policy, our goal is to have players complete each round in around 4:45-5:15 hours, depending on course difficulty and number of participants. Please look over the below policy so that we can all make every effort to improve our pace of play and thus make each tournament round more enjoyable for our players.

Pace of Play Policy:

Any group will be considered out of position if it meets **both** of the following criteria:

1. Is over the allotted time allowed in the pace of play chart (see final page for example)
2. Is out of position by:
 - a. Having the next tee clear upon arriving at a par 3 tee.
 - b. Having the hole clear upon arriving at a par 4 tee.
 - c. Having the group ahead on the green upon arriving on a par 5 tee.

Pace of play will be monitored closely by the Rules Committee, and a warning will be issued when a group is out of position.

Pace of Play Tips:

1. Know these basic rules by heart: Out of Bounds, Immovable Obstruction (cart path, sprinkler, etc.), Penalty Areas, Unplayable Lie, Lost Ball
2. Walk like an athlete.
3. Each player should proceed directly to their ball - do not walk in a pack to each ball.
4. Be ready to hit, with club in hand, when it is your turn and start your pre-shot routine as soon as possible.
5. Watch the flight of each competitor's ball - especially those that may be headed toward a penalty area, off the fairway, or out of bounds; this will help with the search, if necessary.
6. Hit a provisional ball if there is any possibility a ball may be lost outside of a penalty area or out of bounds. It takes 30 seconds to hit a provisional ball but up to 8-10 minutes to return to the original location and hit another ball.
7. Around the green, leave your bag between the green and the next teeing ground.

Group Out of Position/Timing:

If a group is out of position, the players in that group may be timed. The timing of a player's stroke will begin when they have had reasonable opportunity to reach their ball, it is their turn to play, and they can play without interference or distraction.

On the putting green, timing will begin after a player has been allowed a reasonable amount of time to lift, clean, and repair their ball mark and other ball marks on their line of putt, and remove loose impediments on their line of putt. Time spent looking at the line of putt from beyond the hole and/or behind the ball will count as part of the time taken for the next stroke.

- One bad timing of more than 40 seconds – Warning
- A second bad timing – 1-stroke penalty
- A third bad timing – Additional 2-stroke penalty
- A fourth bad timing – Disqualification

The group will be monitored until it is no longer out of position. Penalty strokes are added to the score of the hole where the violation occurs.

NOTE: If the group in question regains its proper position, any previous timing of more than 40 seconds will be carried over for the remainder of that round in the event that the group requires additional monitoring.

Tournament Registration - Scoring Average:

Due to the difficulty of the following golf courses, if your scoring average exceeds 105, it is highly recommended that you do not sign up for these events: Serrano, Catta Verdera.

Pace of Play Chart (Example):

PACE OF PLAY CHART				Course: Sierra View						Shotgun Time: 9:00 AM				Total Elapsed Time: 4:58				
HOLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
PAR	5	4	4	5	3	4	4	3	4	5	4	3	4	4	4	4	3	5
HDCP	9	7	1	11	17	13	3	15	5	8	2	16	6	14	10	12	18	4
+SPL	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00	0:00



FINISH TIME FOR HOLE (B groups add 10 minutes)																			
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Starting Hole (Shotgun)	1	9:18	9:34	9:52	10:10	10:24	10:39	10:57	11:11	11:29	11:47	12:05	12:19	12:37	12:52	1:08	1:24	1:38	1:58
	2	1:58	9:16	9:34	9:52	10:06	10:21	10:39	10:53	11:11	11:29	11:47	12:01	12:19	12:34	12:50	1:06	1:20	1:40
	3	1:42	1:58	9:18	9:36	9:50	10:05	10:23	10:37	10:55	11:13	11:31	11:45	12:03	12:18	12:34	12:50	1:04	1:24
	4	1:24	1:40	1:58	9:18	9:32	9:47	10:05	10:19	10:37	10:55	11:13	11:27	11:45	12:00	12:16	12:32	12:46	1:06
	5	1:06	1:22	1:40	1:58	9:14	9:29	9:47	10:01	10:19	10:37	10:55	11:09	11:27	11:42	11:58	12:14	12:28	12:48
	6	12:52	1:08	1:26	1:44	1:58	9:15	9:33	9:47	10:05	10:23	10:41	10:55	11:13	11:28	11:44	12:00	12:14	12:34
	7	12:37	12:53	1:11	1:29	1:43	1:58	9:18	9:32	9:50	10:08	10:26	10:40	10:58	11:13	11:29	11:45	11:59	12:19
	8	12:19	12:35	12:53	1:11	1:25	1:40	1:58	9:14	9:32	9:50	10:08	10:22	10:40	10:55	11:11	11:27	11:41	12:01
	9	12:05	12:21	12:39	12:57	1:11	1:26	1:44	1:58	9:18	9:36	9:54	10:08	10:26	10:41	10:57	11:13	11:27	11:47
	10	11:47	12:03	12:21	12:39	12:53	1:08	1:26	1:40	1:58	9:18	9:36	9:50	10:08	10:23	10:39	10:55	11:09	11:29
	11	11:29	11:45	12:03	12:21	12:35	12:50	1:08	1:22	1:40	1:58	9:18	9:32	9:50	10:05	10:21	10:37	10:51	11:11
	12	11:11	11:27	11:45	12:03	12:17	12:32	12:50	1:04	1:22	1:40	1:58	9:14	9:32	9:47	10:03	10:19	10:33	10:53
	13	10:57	11:13	11:31	11:49	12:03	12:18	12:36	12:50	1:08	1:26	1:44	1:58	9:18	9:33	9:49	10:05	10:19	10:39
	14	10:39	10:55	11:13	11:31	11:45	12:00	12:18	12:32	12:50	1:08	1:26	1:40	1:58	9:15	9:31	9:47	10:01	10:21
	15	10:24	10:40	10:58	11:16	11:30	11:45	12:03	12:17	12:35	12:53	1:11	1:25	1:43	1:58	9:16	9:32	9:46	10:06
	16	10:08	10:24	10:42	11:00	11:14	11:29	11:47	12:01	12:19	12:37	12:55	1:09	1:27	1:42	1:58	9:16	9:30	9:50
	17	9:52	10:08	10:26	10:44	10:58	11:13	11:31	11:45	12:03	12:21	12:39	12:53	1:11	1:26	1:42	1:58	9:14	9:34
	18	9:38	9:54	10:12	10:30	10:44	10:59	11:17	11:31	11:49	12:07	12:25	12:39	12:57	1:12	1:28	1:44	1:58	9:20



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JUNIOR TOUR FAQ

ENTERING A TOURNAMENT

Q. How do I enter a Junior Tour event?

A. All registration is done online through our website: firstteesacramento.org/junior-tour. We use a third-party app/website called BlueGolf for all registrations.

Q. What is the registration deadline for events?

A. The registration deadline for all events is 2 days prior to the event date; however, if there is still room in the event less than 2 days prior you may late register with an additional \$20 added to the entry fee (Example: Event Date - July 15, all late entries received July 13 or later will be charged an additional \$20).

Q. Are there some events that I may not qualify for?

A. Yes, there are some events each year where players are eligible to compete based on scoring average, points total, or life skills participation. Events with qualification criteria include: Pat Campbell Team Match Play, Points Championship, Serrano Jr/Sr, Sun City Jr/Sr, NorCal Cup, LPGA Amateurs Swing FORE Girls.

Q. What if my scoring average is above 100?

A. In order to qualify to play on the Junior Tour, juniors must have the ability to break 100 on a regulation golf course. This does not mean that you must break 100 in every event that you play in. However, if after playing in several events, your scoring average is above 115, your membership may be put on hold until you have advanced in skill level and demonstrate ability to compete in events. Due to the difficulty of the following golf courses - Serrano and Catta Verdera - we highly suggest that players with a scoring average above 105 do not sign up for the events at the previous courses mentioned.

Q. How do I receive confirmation for each tournament?

A. You may check to see if you are registered for an event on our website firstteesacramento.org/junior-tour under the tournament schedule link. For each event, a confirmation email will be sent to you when your payment has been processed, as well as a reminder email seven days prior to the tournament.

Q. What is a waiting list?

A. If a tournament is full, you will receive a note stating that you are on the waiting list. If a confirmed player cancels, you will be notified that a spot has become available, and your payment is being processed. If a spot does not open before the tournament day, juniors are welcome to come to the tournament as a standby, in the event of a no-show or late cancellation.

Q. Why is the check-in time earlier than the start time on the event schedule?

A. The time difference is to allow for sufficient check-in time, life skills sessions, special events that may have been planned, or for a short meeting on rules prior to play. **If you have not checked in by 40 minutes prior to the start time of the event, your playing spot may be given to a standby.**

Q. How do I cancel my participation in a tournament?

A. It is absolutely **mandatory** that a junior cancel if they cannot attend a tournament. The preferred method of cancellation is on our BlueGolf website. Login to your profile. Click on "Tournaments." Select the event you are registered for, go to the bottom of the page, and select "Cancel."

Q. If I have to cancel out of a tournament, how do I receive a refund?

A. All cancellations made one week or more prior to the event date will be credited to the player's Junior Tour

account, less a \$5 cancellation fee per event. You may use this account credit to sign up for future events, or you may request a check refund at any time. There are no credits or refunds given for events canceled two or fewer days prior to the event date.

Q. What does the term “NO-SHOW” mean?

A. No-show status is given to a junior who does not cancel via the website or call to let us know that he or she will not be participating in the event. A no-show causes several problems and sometimes means another junior does not get to play. The first occurrence will be a warning. The second occurrence will involve a penalty or disqualification from future events.

DRESS CODE REQUIREMENTS: FOR JUNIORS AND SPECTATORS

Q. Why is there a dress code?

A. All golf courses have dress codes for their players and spectators, whether they are a daily fee course or private country club. We do not want any player or spectator to be denied access because of improper dress, nor do we want to violate our privileges and responsibilities as guests of the facility. Please note this dress code applies from the time you arrive on property until the time you leave the event. Please do not change out of clothes into inappropriate attire, untuck shirts, or any other acts contrary to the dress code until leaving the event.

Q. What are the do’s and don’ts of the Junior Tour dress code?

A. No jeans or denim material clothing.
No baggy pants (no cargo) etc.
No t-shirts or short shorts for boys or girls.
Boys’ shirts must have collars.
Girls’ shirts must have either sleeves, or a collar, or both.
No halter tops or tank tops are permitted.
Shorts must be a minimum mid-thigh length.
Boys’ shirts must be tucked in, at all times.
Girls’ shirts may be worn untucked, but may not show any midriff at any point, including during the golf swing.
Hats must be worn facing forward.
Shoes must be worn at all times.

Q. What is the penalty for breach of the dress code?

A. If you have a dress code violation, you will be given the opportunity to correct the violation at that time. If you continue to have violations during a round or are unable to correct the violation, you will be disqualified.

PLAYERS WHO VIOLATE THE DRESS CODE OR HAVE SPECTATORS WHO ARE IN VIOLATION OF THE DRESS CODE, MAY BE DISQUALIFIED FROM PLAYING IN THE TOURNAMENT.

RULES FOR PARENTS, SPECTATORS, AND JUNIORS

Q. What are the rules for parents and spectators at events?

A. They must observe the following:
Do not walk within 25 yards of any junior player.
Do not walk on tee boxes, fairways, or greens.
Do not give advice to any junior player.
Do not carry any junior’s golf bag during competition.
Stay even with or ahead of the group you are following.
Abide by same dress code as players.

Only use cell phones on-course for emergency. Texting is okay for spectators.

Q. What are the rules for juniors?

A. Juniors must avoid the following misconduct:

- Failing to replace divots, rake bunkers, or repair ball marks on the greens.*
- Receiving advice from anyone while playing.*
- Violating the dress code.*
- Being dishonest.*
- Throwing or slamming clubs.*
- Using obscene or vulgar language.*
- Defacing or destroying golf course property.*
- Using cell phones on the course, unless in emergency.*
- Using alcohol, drugs, or tobacco.*

PLEASE NOTE: FAILURE TO OBSERVE THESE GUIDELINES MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF YOUR JUNIOR.

RULES OF GOLF AND ETIQUETTE

Q. Why are the rules of golf important?

A. *The goal of each player is to show improvement. First Tee — Greater Sacramento does reward winners, but our great pride is with players who improve their golf skills, their knowledge of the rules, and their sportsmanship.*

Always have your Junior Tour Local Rules Card and USGA Rules of Golf book in your golf bag. *We do realize that many of our players may need help to understand different rules situations. Please allow rules officials to help you if you have any doubt as to how a certain situation should be played. **Do not involve a parent or a scorer in a rules decision.***

*If you are unable to locate a rules official, and are in doubt as to the proper procedure, you may play a second ball under: **Stroke Play - Doubt as to Procedure.***

EARNING TOURNAMENT POINTS

Q. How do I earn points?

A. **Points are awarded for each tournament as follows:**

<i>Overall Champion (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>20 Points</i>
<i>1st Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>10 Points</i>
<i>2nd Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>9 Points</i>
<i>3rd Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>8 Points</i>
<i>4th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>7 Points</i>
<i>5th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>6 Points</i>
<i>6th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>5 Points</i>
<i>7th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>4 Points</i>
<i>8th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>3 Points</i>
<i>9th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>2 Points</i>
<i>10th Place in each Age Flight (Boy & Girl)</i>	<i>1 Point</i>

Points are awarded for Life Skills participation as follows:

<i>Participate in a Life Skills Session</i>	<i>5 Points</i>
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Q. When does the annual point accumulation end?

A. *The last tournament to qualify for points is the William Land GC event, on December 6, 2025.*

Q. What happens if two or more juniors tie in a tournament?

A. *Ties for overall will be decided by playoff. All other ties will receive pro-rated points. To determine places for awards purposes, ties for overall champion are broken by a sudden death playoff, and all other ties are broken by scorecard playoff.*

Q. Are points awarded for the Optimist Qualifier?

A. *At the Optimist Qualifier at Haggin Oaks, juniors will play at the age division they will be at the Optimist Championship. Points will be awarded to your current First Tee — Greater Sacramento Junior Tour age division, based on your finish in your Optimist division on the tournament date. More info will be sent closer to tournament date.*

Q. How many juniors are invited to the Points Championship?

A. *The top eight juniors, with the highest total points, in each age flight will be invited to the season ending Points Championship. First Tee — Greater Sacramento also reserves the right to invite additional juniors based on other qualifying criteria.*

Q. What age group will I play in for the Points Championship?

A. *Juniors will play in the Points Championship at whatever age they are, on the date of the William Land GC event, the last tournament to accumulate points.*

FIRST TEE — GREATER SACRAMENTO COLLEGE AND VOCATIONAL SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

Thanks to the continued support of our donors, we are able to offer 8-12 college/vocational school scholarships per year to graduating seniors. These range in amount from \$500-\$2,500 per scholarship award.

Q. How do I qualify for a First Tee — Greater Sacramento Scholarship?

A. *The junior must meet the following requirements:*

- 1. Be a member of First Tee — Greater Sacramento.*
- 2. Participate in our Life Skills sessions.*
- 3. Have good academic standing.*
- 4. Enroll in a college, university, or vocational school of your choice.*
- 5. Have outstanding personal character, sportsmanship, and leadership qualities.*
- 6. Complete a Scholarship Application packet.*
- 7. Attend an interview with our Scholarship Committee in spring of senior year.*

Q. What is the First Tee College Scholarship Program?

A. *The First Tee College Scholarship Program awards participants who excel in academics, leadership, character development, and chapter and community involvement. Thanks to generous donors, First Tee Headquarters is proud to offer up to a \$20,000 scholarship, mentoring throughout the college experience, professional development workshops and assistance in securing internships and jobs through the First Tee College Scholarship Program. Applications are accepted once per year from seniors in high school who meet the minimum eligibility requirements. All components of the application will be reviewed with consideration that this program offers need and merit-based scholarships. Visit firsttee.org/college-scholarship or contact Ashley Noda (anoda@tftgs.org) for more info.*

PAT CAMPBELL TEAM MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

Q. What is the Pat Campbell Team Match Play Championship?

A. *It is a competitive event, held in honor of Pat Campbell, past Programs & Junior Tour Director for First Tee — Greater Sacramento. Two ten-person teams, comprised of two juniors from each age group, compete in a match play format in this fun event. Players from the winning team receive medals.*

Q. Where is the event held?

A. *The 2025 Pat Campbell Team Match Play Championship will be at Haggin Oaks - Alister McKenzie Course on Saturday, July 19.*

Q. How do I qualify?

A. *To qualify for the Pat Campbell Team Match Play Championship, a junior must be a member of the Junior Tour, have played in at least three events this season, and hold one of the four lowest scoring averages in their age group. The last tournament before the cut-off for determining the teams is the Peach Tree event on July 14, 2025.*

JUNIOR TOUR CORE VALUE AWARD

Q. What are the criteria to earn the annual Core Value Award?

A. *The following areas will be evaluated:*
Upholding the Core Values of First Tee
Following the Rules of Golf and Etiquette
Being courteous to fellow competitors

Q. How do I nominate someone for the Core Value Award?

A. *We will send out an email nomination form at the end of the summer. We encourage you to watch the other players in your age group and remember to nominate those you see display the core values of First Tee.*

Congratulations to our 2024 Core Value Award winners — Abigail Hong and Serene Kim!