

Expand the opportunities for junior golfers in Colorado and beyond

The mission for the Rocky Mountain Junior Golf Tour is to expand the opportunities for junior golfers. The RMJGT staff knows that competitive tournaments are in high demand in areas from Arizona to Idaho and everywhere in between. Until now, players have had to travel great distances for such exposure. The tour will host nearly 50 events in ID, MT, UT, CO, NM, TX and AZ.

College coaches are taking notice and following RMJGT players. Playing in our events prepares players to take their game to the collegiate level and beyond. We are aligning ourselves with as many people with influence in the golf industry as possible to simplify the process. Players can join the premier players club and build a profile for coaches to view so they can track a player's progress. RMJGT members are moving up in the National Rankings because the events are ranked by Junior Golf Scoreboard and AJGA allows the Tournament of Champions winners and Player of the Year winner a PBE for the Boys 16-19 and Girls 14-19 divisions while the Boys 14-15 and the U13 Girls receive an Allstar. Golfweek named Gina Larson of Longmont Colorado Player of the Week as a result of her win at the RMJGT Tour-



namment of Champions in December.

The tour allows young men and women to play at quality venues for a fraction of the fees that other tours charge. We have found that golfers want to experience tournament golf in

other states, at different elevations and climates. They also want to see where they stack up with juniors they don't always see at the state association level.

Our goal is to promote juniors who are determined to grow their competitive edge, build character, display sportsmanship and gain confidence in golf and in life. The goal of these players in 2009 was to proudly wear the Rocky Mountain Junior Golf Tour belt buckle and to win Player of the Year. The competition was fierce and the race was close in the different divisions.

Join us in 2010 and experience what has become the premier junior golf tour in the region. Visit www.rmjgt.com to view the 2010 schedule. The future of golf plays here.

101 top level players from MT, ID, UT, CO, NM, AZ and TX participated in the Golfweek & JGS ranked Tournament of Champions for the Rocky Mountain Junior Golf Tour.

These talented juniors enjoyed near perfect weather and course conditions for this prestigious tournament at McCormick Ranch Golf Club in Scottsdale AZ.

Sunday was a spectacular day and the Boys 16-19 Division had a championship finish for sure. Graham Schmatz, Keenan Steele and Cameron Brown all tied for first place. They prepared their nerves and their game to continue to the 37th hole and beyond. Graham Schmatz from Kalispell MT lost the first playoff hole and accepts third place. Cameron Brown teed up on the second hole and broke his driver on his backswing. He and Keenan tie after this dramatic hole but the TOC winner was decided on the fourth playoff hole. Keenan Steele from Scottsdale AZ is the Champion.

Gina Larson of Longmont CO wins it for the Girls 14 and over with a 77-75. Chanet Fiorina of Santa Fe NM is second and Lindsey McGetrick from Highlands Ranch CO comes in third.

The Boys 8-10 division was won by Hayden Livingston from Rigby ID. Chris Raap of Highlands Ranch CO is second and Darren Edwards of Loveland CO is third.

Clayton Crawford from Aspen CO has two strong rounds and becomes the Champion for this very competitive division. He posts a 72-77. Tim Taylor Ft Collins CO and Kevin Wohlfarth from Thornton CO battle it out for the second spot. Kevin emerges the victor.

Arman Ben-Jacob from Logan UT shoots an impressive 76-74 for the Boys 14-15. Ryan Burke from Longmont CO is 2nd and Luke Park of Mon-



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ument CO is 3rd.

The player of the Year in each of the six age divisions was named at the awards ceremony as well. Chris Raap won for the Boys 8-10 Division.

Leah McGetrick was named for the Girls 13 and Under Division.

Timothy Taylor is the Player of the Year for the Boys 11-13 Division.

Ryan Burke wins for the Boys 14-15 Division

Gina Larson earns the top spot for the Girls 14 and over Division.

Ben Krueger has the points to win for the Boys 16-19 Division.

The Rocky Mountain Junior Golf Tour also recognized "Players of Promise" for boys and girls.

Klara Castillo, Paige Darwin, Leah McGetrick and Kendall Lavoto were all named for the girls. Jake Staiano, Josh Seiple, Patrick Beyhan, Hayden Livingston and Matthew Vacek won for the boys. Vanessa Spradlin and Max Cologne are awarded the Sportsmanship Award for 2009.



Colorado 2010 Scheduled Events
See our website for our complete schedule of events.

MAJOR Walking Stick Challenge
Apr 17 - 18 Walking Stick Golf Course- Pueblo, CO

The Battle at Red Hawk
Apr 24 - 25 Red Hawk Ridge- Castle Rock, CO

MAJOR Omni Interlocken Spring Classic
May 1 - 2 Omni Interlocken Resort- Broomfield, CO

Mariana Butte Classic
May 30 - 31 Mariana Butte- Loveland, CO

The Rivalry at Raccoon Creek
Jun 26 - 27 Raccoon Creek- Littleton, CO

King's Deer Challenge
Jul 10 - 11 King's Deer- Monument, CO

MID SEASON Invitational
Jul 21 - 22 The Heritage at Westmoor- Westminster, CO

The Challenge at Highland Meadows
Jul 28 - 29 Highland Meadows GC- Windsor, CO

MAJOR Gleneagle Open
Aug 7 - 8 Gleneagle- Colorado Springs, CO

The Experience at Murphy Creek
Aug 14 - 15 Murphy Creek GC- Aurora, CO

RMJGT at Saddleback
Sep 11 - 12 Saddleback- Firestone, CO

Omni Fall MAJOR
Sep 18 - 19 Omni Interlocken Resort- Broomfield, CO

MAJOR RMJGT at Country Club of Colorado
Oct 23 - 24 Country Club of Colo.- Colorado Springs, CO
See our website for individual tournament rankings.




