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Donate to keep MJGP free. MJGP has produced some phenomenal junior golfers. Please help us keep this program going. Please consider donating online at our website (www.metrojrgolf.org) under the Donate tab. We would love to add you to our list of individual and corporate donors and volunteers.



The Metropolitan Junior Golf Program, Inc.
10051 Doolittle Drive, Oakland CA 94603

Questions?

Registration

Please check registration status on our website (www.metrojrgolf.org). The program's maximum capacity is 50. Any junior that does not regularly attend or does not abide by MJGP guidelines will be terminated from the program.

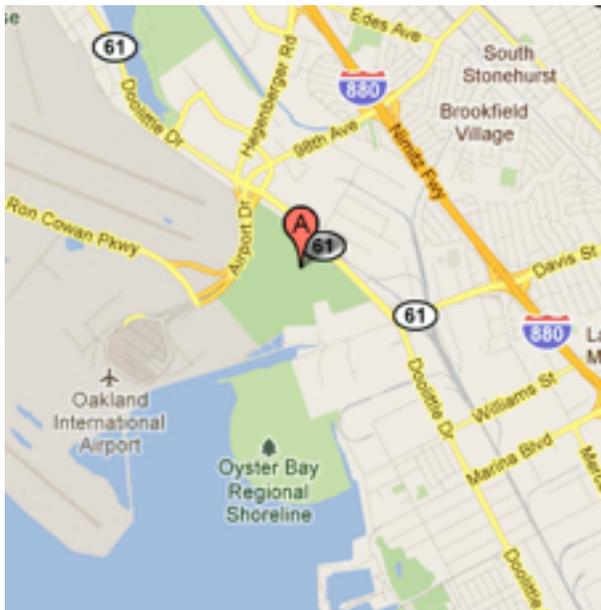
Volunteers

Please download the Volunteer Application from our website and return to one of the MJGP Board of Directors. E-mail for Board of Directors can be found on our website (www.metrojrgolf.org).

Where to Find Us

Our program meets every Saturday (weather permitting) from 8:00am to 10:00am at the Metropolitan Golf Links in Oakland, CA. The address is 10051 Doolittle Drive, Oakland, CA 94603.

Promptness is important. Kids are expected to be present and signed in not later than 8:00am on Saturday mornings when the program is in session.



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The Metropolitan Junior Golf Program, Inc. (MJGP) was organized in 1993 at the current site of Oakland's Metropolitan Golf Links when it was known as the Lew Galbreath Golf Course.

The program's primary goal is to teach and develop qualities such as integrity, self-esteem, and responsibility to the inner city youth of Oakland and the surrounding communities. At the same time we seek to teach the kids golf as a vehicle to achieve positive attitudes and lifelong enjoyment.

The classroom curriculum consists of instruction on life skills, golf course etiquette, and rules. Our on course instruction includes ball striking, chipping and putting. The students are also taught course management, self discipline and how to make the correct choices on and off the golf course.



Driving Range
MJGP Juniors learn and perfect their ball striking on the driving range. This is one of three stations through which Juniors rotate on Saturday.

All of our golf instruction is free along with uniforms, balls and golf clubs. We also provide \$1000 Scholarships to graduating seniors and provide financial support for our better golfers to attend and compete in tournaments all over the US. None of our golf instructors or Board of Directors receives any pay for their volunteer efforts. As a certified 501(c)(3) corporation (Tax ID 94 - 3301366), we exist entirely on charitable donations.



Putting
Juniors spend 45 minutes each Saturday perfecting their short game on the putting green.



Chipping
Saturday is not complete until work on flop shots, bump and rolls, and bunker shots are practiced.

The Metropolitan Golf Links golf course regularly affords an opportunity for up to eight (8) MJGP Juniors to play the back nine on Saturday mornings free of charge. Tee times change depending upon the time of year, but are typically between 6:00 - 7:30am. Every junior in the program beyond a certain skill level is expected to take advantage of playing the back 9.



Back Nine
Up to eight (8) MJGP Juniors get to play the back nine for free on Saturday mornings with on course instruction.

Our program is open to players at all levels, with golf instruction tailored to meet the needs of the individual. Participants range in age from 7 through 17 years old. They come from inner city, low-income neighborhoods as well as affluent suburban areas. They include all ethnic backgrounds and skill levels from beginner to intermediate and advanced golfers.

The following rules of conduct are expected of MJGP Juniors:

- pay attention to all instructions and lectures
- practice proper safety on the golf course
- no hitting, kicking or slapping another person
- no throwing of equipment on the course or in the classroom
- no profanity on the course or in the classroom
- no name-calling or other derogatory remarks
- address all adults with proper respect
- no baggy shorts or jeans
- caps and visors must be worn with the bill in front
- shirts must be tucked into the pants
- athletic (tennis) shoes or golf shoes only
- no cell phones

Violation of any of the above rules will be grounds for dismissal from the program.