



2022 Programs, Schedules and Registration Guide for Minneapolis Park Golf Courses



Dear Parents/Guardians,

At First Tee – Minnesota, we believe the game of golf is a lifetime sport that helps kids build inner strength, resilience and self-confidence while developing skills that go far beyond the golf course.

The following guide is an overview on the 2022 season at First Tee – Minnesota. Through our close partnership with Minneapolis Park and Recreation, we offer programs at the Minneapolis golf courses listed on the next page.

To stay in touch with all of the First Tee programs and events, please register for our free e-newsletter, *The Release*. To subscribe, use the QR code below or visit www.firstteeminnesota.org/blog and click the subscribe button.

There are three parts to this guide: Program Descriptions, Registration Instructions, and the Camp/Class/League Schedules.



If you have questions about the programs, please contact:

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First Tee – Minnesota





Minneapolis Parks Golf Courses

First Tee – Minnesota offers youth golf lessons at the following locations:

Hiawatha Golf Course

4553 Longfellow Ave.
Minneapolis, MN 55407
612-230-6525

Columbia Golf Course

3300 Central Ave. NE
Minneapolis, MN 55418
612-230-6520

Columbia Golf Learning Center

445 St. Anthony Parkway
Minneapolis, MN 55418
612-370-4949

Francis A. Gross Golf Club

2201 St. Anthony Blvd
Minneapolis, MN 55418
612-230-6524

Meadowbrook Golf Club

201 Meadowbrook Road
Hopkins, MN 55343
612-230-6526

Theodore Wirth Golf Course

1301 Theodore Wirth Parkway
Minneapolis, MN 55422
612-230-6528

Little Chippers

Ages 4 to 6
(4) 30-minute sessions

\$60



A wonderful class for young juniors to learn about the very basics of golf such as grip, stance & aim. We will be spending time on the putting green, chipping green and driving range. Most importantly we will be having lots of fun and learning some introductory life skills such as respect for the game of golf. Prizes are given for good behavior and for participating in contests. For 4-year-old students, one parent/guardian attendance is mandatory the first lesson. Clubs available if needed.

Ages 7-8
(5) 60-Minute Sessions or
(4) 75-Minute Sessions

\$75

PLAYer

Introductory golf classes that emphasize fun! In these progressive classes, golf training focuses on the basics of grip, stance, posture, aim, putting, chipping, pitching, full swing (woods and irons) and basic rules/etiquette. Life Skills focus on honesty, respect and sportsmanship. We will play fun games and drills to learn and enhance a desired golf motion. The emphasis is on fundamentals and fun. Range balls, prizes clubs available if needed.



Par

Ages 9 and Up
(5) 90-Minute Sessions

\$115

Golf training covers putting, chipping, pitching, grip, stance, ball position, posture, pivot, weight shift, woods & irons full swing and basic rules/etiquette. Par Core Values taught are honesty, respect and sportsmanship. Life Skills include how to introduce oneself, the importance of rules and respect in life, staying cool on and off the golf course and how to maximize fun while learning something new. Students receive golf prizes, bag tag, golf balls, range balls, tees, and golf clubs provided if needed.



Birdie/Eagle

Ages 11 and Up
(5) 120-Minute Sessions

\$130

Classes address more advanced golf techniques. For ages 11-18, the golf training in these classes focuses on a solid foundation of fundamentals and builds on the long game, short game, swing plane, effective practice techniques, course management, swing aids, rules of golf and on-course playing. Life Skills focus on applying goal setting, honesty, respect and sportsmanship on and off the golf course.

Golfers at this level also have the opportunity to apply for First Tee National Programs including: PGA Tour Superstore Leadership Series, Pure Insurance Pebble Beach Tournament, college scholarships offered by First Tee, and coaching positions

LPGA Girls Golf

Ages 6 and Up
(5) 60-Minute Sessions
Plus a Season-Ending Party

\$75

A nationally recognized, wonderful program for girls interested in golf. The lessons include LPGA instruction, green fees, snacks, special events, prizes and range balls. Each player also receives a hat, bag tag & LPGA tees & golf balls. Girls must fill out the LPGA Application, which will be linked in the online registration. Golf clubs provided if needed.

Studies show that when girls learn in a "girl friendly" environment, they experience higher levels of engagement and participation, are more comfortable learning and developing skills, have heightened confidence in their abilities for self-expression and communication & are more likely to engage in group activities.

Golf training covers putting, chipping, pitching, grip, stance, ball position, posture, pivot, weight shift, woods & irons full swing and basic rules/etiquette.

All LPGA participants are invited to attend the end-of-season Parent-Child 9-hole event. Girls and their parent/guardian will play 9 holes of golf followed by a pizza party and prizes. The event will take place Sunday, August 21st from 5:00-8:00pm at Fort Snelling.



First Tee Instructional League

Ages 8 and Up
(4) 150-Minute Sessions

\$150

The class includes instruction and golf course access. Golf balls can be provided for use on the golf course. Coaches will help juniors with their golf game on the range as well as on the golf course. Classes include 30 minutes of instruction on the driving range or practice green, then play on the golf course. Golf training covers putting, chipping, pitching, grip, stance, ball position, posture, pivot, weight shift, woods & iron full swing and basic rules/etiquette. Juniors will be grouped based on age and playing ability. Classes will be capped at 15 students maximum per class. It is not required for your son or daughter to own clubs, but it is strongly recommended.

Ages 6 and Up
(4) 60-Minute Sessions

\$75

Little Chippers League

Class includes golf instruction and play on the Theodore Wirth Par 3 course. A great way to introduce youth golfers to playing on the course in a fun, non-competitive atmosphere on a golf course designed for kids. The Classes will include instruction and play on the golf course. Instruction will include grip, stance, posture, ball position, and putting and chipping basics. Clubs provided if needed.



Expectations of Students



- Be on time
- Listen carefully to coaches, staff and volunteers
- Be friendly as they meet other players
- Wear sneakers or golf shoes to lessons
- Follow the rules of safety and golf
- Respect each other's differences and abilities
- Have fun!

How To Register for the 2022 Season

Step 1: Review the Schedules

On the following three pages, you will find schedules for all of the camps, group lessons and leagues for the 2022 season in Minneapolis. **IMPORTANT: Make a note of the "Code" located in the last column of your selection(s). You will use that code when you register online.**

Step 2: Registration Options

Option 1: Register online by clicking here

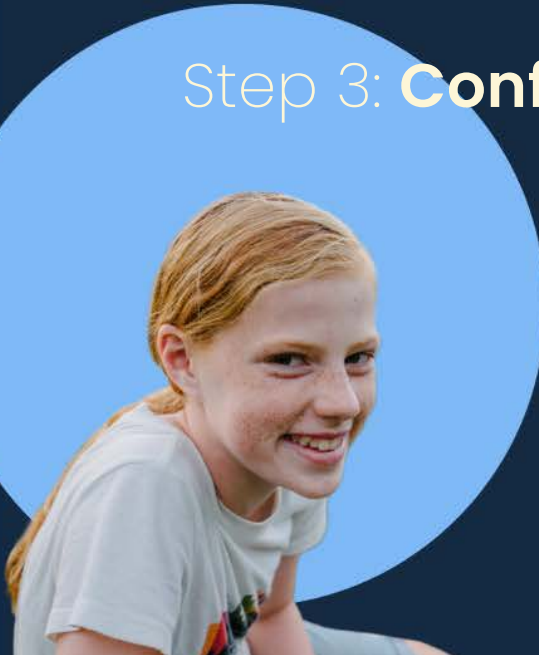
We use Sports Engine for registrations. Parents/guardians of new participants will need to create a new user-name and password. Sports Engine provides the instruction for this.

Option 2: Mail in registration by clicking here.

Print out and complete the registration form. Then mail the registration form and check to: **First Tee – Minnesota, Hiawatha Golf Club, 4553 Longfellow Ave, Mpls, MN 55407**

Please make checks payable to First Tee – Minnesota

Step 3: Confirmation and Staying in Touch



When you register online, you will receive a confirmation. If conflicts arise and your child misses a day, please let us know and they can attend other sessions.

If you have questions about the schedule or programs, please contact Aaron Shafranski, Program Director, First Tee – Minnesota at:

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2022 First Tee – Minnesota Schedule

Little Chippers: Ages 4-6

\$75

(4) 30-Minute Sessions

HIAWATHA

Dates	Time	Session #
April 23/30/May 7/14	10:00-10:30am	HLC01
June 6-9	9:00-9:30pm	HLC02
June 13-16	9:00-9:30am	HLC03
June 27-30	9:00-9:30am	HLC04
July 10/17/24/31	6:15-6:45pm	HLC05
July 18-21	9:00-9:30am	HLC06
Aug 1-4	9:00-9:30am	HLC07
Aug 8-11	9:00-9:30am	HLC08
Sept 3/10/17/24	9:00-9:30am	HLC09

THEO WIRTH

Dates	Time	Session #
April 23/30/May 7/14	10:00-10:30am	TLC01
June 13-16	9:00-9:30am	TLC02
July 11-14	9:00-9:30am	TLC03
Aug 8-11	9:00-9:30am	TLC04

MEADOWBROOK

Dates	Time	Session #
June 13-16	9:00-9:30am	MLC02
June 27-30	9:00-9:30am	MLC03
Aug 1-4	9:00-9:30am	MLC04
Sept 3/10/17/24	9:00-9:30am	MLC05

COLUMBIA

(Value is set for 5 classes)
Sign up for a session and come to as many dates as you can!

Spring Session \$60		Early Summer Session - \$60		Late Summer Session - \$60		Fall Session \$60	
Date	Time	Date	Time	Date	Time	Date	Time
28-April	4:00-4:45pm	7-Jun	9:00-9:45am	12-Jul	9:00-9:45am	6-Sep	4:00-4:45pm
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26-May	4:00-4:45pm	29-Jun	9:00-9:45am	6-Aug	9:00-9:45am	29-Sep	4:00-4:45pm



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PLAYer: Ages 7 to 8

\$75

**(5) 90-Minute Sessions
or (4) 75-Minute Sessions**

HIAWATHA

Dates	Time	Session #
April 23/30/May 7/14	10:45-12:00	HPL01
June 6-9	6:15-7:30pm	HPL02
June 13-16	9:45-11:00am	HPL03
June 20-24	9:00-10:00am	HPL04
June 27-30	9:45-11:00am	HPL05
July 11-15	9:00-10:00am	HPL06
July 25-31	9:00-10:00am	HPL07
Aug 8-12	9:45-10:45am	HPL08
Sept 3/10/17/24	9:45-11:00am	HPL09

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4-May	4:00-4:45pm	11-Jun	9:00-9:45am	2-Jul	9:00-9:45am	10-Sep	9:00-9:45am
9-May	4:00-4:45pm	14-Jun	9:00-9:45am	4-Jul	9:00-9:45am	12-Sep	4:00-4:45pm
14-May	4:00-4:45pm	16-Jun	9:00-9:45am	6-Jul	9:00-9:45am	14-Sep	4:00-4:45pm
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18-May	4:00-4:45pm	22-Jun	9:00-9:45am	12-Jul	9:00-9:45am	21-Sep	4:00-4:45pm
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26-May	4:00-4:45pm	29-Jun	9:00-9:45am	6-Aug	9:00-9:45am	29-Sep	4:00-4:45pm

THEO WIRTH

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July 11-14	9:45-11:00am	TPL03
Aug 8-11	9:45-11:00am	TPL04

MEADOWBROOK

Dates	Time	Session #
June 13-16	9:45-11:00am	MPL02
June 27-30	9:45-11:00am	MPL03
Aug 1-4	9:45-11:00am	MPL04
Sept 3/10/17/24	9:45-11:00am	MPL05



2022 First Tee – Minnesota Schedule

PAR: Ages 9 and UP

\$115

(5) 90-Minute Sessions

COLUMBIA/GROSS

(Value is set for 5 classes)

Sign up for a session and come to as many dates as you can!

Spring Session \$120		Early Summer Session - \$120		Late Summer Session - \$120		Fall Session \$120	
Date	Time	Date	Time	Date	Time	Date	Time
28-April	5:00-6:30pm	7-Jun	9:00-9:45am	12-Jul	10:00-11:30am	6-Sep	5:00-6:30pm
30-April	10:00-11:30am	9-Jun	9:00-9:45am	14-Jul	10:00-11:30am	8-Sep	5:00-6:30pm
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26-May	5:00-6:30pm	29-Jun	9:00-9:45am	6-Aug	10:00-11:30am	29-Sep	5:00-6:30pm

HIAWATHA

Dates	Time	Session #
June 13-17	11:15-12:45pm	HPA01
July 11-15	10:15-11:45am	HPA02
July 25-29	10:15-11:45am	HPA03
Aug 8-12	11:30-1:00pm	HPA04
Sept 3/10/17/24/Oct 1	11:15-12:45pm	HPA05



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Birdie/Eagle: Ages 11 and Up

\$130

(5) 120-Minute Sessions

COLUMBIA/GROSS

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Spring Session \$120		Early Summer Session - \$120		Late Summer Session - \$120		Fall Session \$120	
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HIAWATHA

Dates	Time	Session #
June 20-24	10:15-12:15pm	HBE01
July 18-22	9:45-11:45am	HBE02
Aug 1-5	9:45-11:45am	HBE03



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LPGA Girls: Ages 6 and Up

\$75

(5) 60-Minute Sessions

Plus End-of-Season Party on 8/21/22



HIAWATHA

Dates	Time	Session #
July 10/17/24/31/Aug 7	5:00-6:00pm	HG01
July 26-July 30	9:00-10:00am	HG02
Aug 9-13	9:45-11:00am	HG03

THEO WIRTH

Dates	Time	Session #
July 10/17/24/31/Aug 7	5:00-6:00pm	TG01
July 12-15	9:45-11:00am	TG02
July 26-July 29	9:45-11:00am	TG03
Aug 9-12	9:45-11:00am	TG04

MEADOWBROOK

Dates	Time	Session #
July 19-22	9:45-11:00am	MG01
Aug 2-5	9:45-11:00am	MG02



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First Tee Instructional League

\$150

(4) 150-Minute Sessions

HIAWATHA

Dates	Time	Session #
May 1/8/15/22	4:30-7:00pm	HL01
Jun 5/12/19/26	4:30-7:00pm	HL02
July 10/17/24/31	4:30-7:00pm	HL03
Sept 11/18/25/Oct 2	3:30-6:00pm	HL04

MEADOWBROOK

Dates	Time	Session #
June 5/12/19/26	4:30-7:00pm	ML01
Sept 11/18/25/Oct 2	3:30-6:00pm	ML02

THEO WIRTH PAR 3

Dates	Time	Session #
May 1/8/15/22	4:30-7:00pm	TL01
May 30/6/13/20	4:30-7:00pm	TL02
Jul 10/17/24/31	4:30-7:00pm	TL03



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Little Chippers League

\$75

(4) 60-Minute Sessions

THEO WIRTH PAR 3

Dates	Time	Session #
June 5/12/19/26	9-10am	TLCL01
July 10/17/24/31	9-10am	TLCL02