Frequently Asked Questions

What ages and skill level are the Bel Acres Junior Golf Camps geared toward?

Junior Golf Camps are offered to young athletes ages 9 through 16. Most of our programs are designed to accommodate players of all skill levels from beginner to intermediate players.

How are the campers supervised?

The campers are supervised by the staff both on and off the course. The maximum student to instructor ratio is 9:1. Our teaching professionals have experience working with juniors and understand how to make children feel safe, supported, and encouraged.

Is my child on the driving range all day? What other activities are planned?

A lot of our camp sessions are spent out on the practice facility but our time there is by no means boring and overly repetitive. Our instruction combines skill development with games, friendly competitions, and other activities which serve as a vehicle for learning and lets kids have a whole lot of fun at the same time! You will also note in the agendas for both clinics that each camp offers three on course instruction sessions where the campers will polish their skills in game situations.

What if my child has never golfed?

We are excited to welcome the "new junior golfer" in that one of our primary goals is to introduce the great game of golf to as many "future golfers" as possible. Our curriculum has been developed to make the introduction to the game relaxed, non-intimidating, and most of all fun.

Are there any special clothes or equipment that I need to purchase?

It is recommended kids bring their own clubs to camp, but if junior clubs are not available, we recommend that you contact your golf course for possible rentals/loaner clubs. Additionally, golf shirts are recommended for campers, as they are often required attire on the course. Lastly, golf or tennis shoes are acceptable.

What is your cancellation policy?

In the instance of inclement weather, we will make every effort to determine whether to cancel class in advance, so please check your email. In most cases, drizzle or light rain does not constitute a case for cancellation. Students should pack rain gear in their bags for each session. Any sessions cancelled due to inclement weather or otherwise by Bel Acres Golf Academy will be made up at a day and time specified by Bel Acres Golf Academy.

Who will be leading and teaching the camps?

The Camp will be led by our full-time Director of Instruction, Dave Lavallee.

What are the Drop-Off & Pickup times?

Parents are welcome to drop-off their child from 9:30am – 9:45am on each day. Pickup is anytime from 2:30pm – 3:00pm.

How are the groups divided? Age? Gender? Skill Level?

Generally, the campers are divided into groups according to their age. Younger golfers may be grouped with older golfers if they show the necessary skill level.

What do they eat as part of the Meal Plan?

Our goal is to keep the campers energized and hydrated. The campers will enjoy a variety of healthy snacks and meals during the week. Meals may include pizza, hamburgers, sandwiches, chicken burgers and hot dogs accompanied by a side of fruit of the day or a fresh baked cookie. We can accommodate dietary alternatives to meals throughout the week if requested.

How do I register my child for the camp?

What is the earliest/latest that they can sign up?

What is the facility like? Are the practice areas any good? Is the golf courses kid friendly?

Bel Acres Golf Academy is very fortunate to have outstanding facilities and amenities. The facilities offer full scale driving ranges, with short game area and putting green. The golf course is in immaculate condition and we play kids appropriate tee's to ensure pace of play and enjoyment.