



Meet Our Team

Club Fitting Certifications - Callaway, Titleist, Ping, TaylorMade & Cobra.
20+ years of Teaching Experience.
Specializing in Private, Semi-Private, Group Lessons and Ladies Clinics.
Callaway Staff Player
Adidas Staff Player
PGA of Alberta Club Professional of the Year 2023
PGA of Alberta Top 100 Program 2021-2025
PGA of Alberta Board Member since 2019

Chris Paskin
Head Professional

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Stephen Yanitski
Class 'A' Professional

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Titleist Staff Player
Specializes in Ladies, Junior & Group Lessons
2023 PGA of Canada Class A Professional of the Year
2023 PGA of Alberta Class A Professional of the Year
2021 PGA of Alberta Junior Leader of the Year
PGA of Alberta Top 100 Professional 2020-2025
SAIT Trojans Head Golf Coach 2018-2023

Valley Ridge Junior Program Lead
3 years of Teaching Experience
2025 PGA of Alberta Apprentice Professional of the Year
2024 PGA of Alberta Rookie of the Year
PGA of Alberta Top 100 Professional for 2024 and 2025
Career-low round: 67
Favourite golfer: Tiger Woods

Joel Griffith
Assistant Professional

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Chris Donihee
Assistant Professional

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Cobra Club Fitting and Titleist Ball Fitting Specialist
Specializes in Beginner, Intermediate and Group Lessons
Career Low Round - 69
Springbank Links Junior Club Champion
PGA of Alberta Top 100 Professionals 2022-2024
First Golf Course Position - Range Attendant Age 14

28 years Instruction & Coaching experience
Specializes in beginners, ladies' groups, short game, competitive player development, juniors, and on-course game management.
Club Fitting Certifications: Callaway, Titleist
PGA of Canada Teaching & Coaching Certification Program - Level 4
2024 & 2025 PGA of Alberta Teacher of the Year Award Nominee
2019 PGA of Alberta Club Professional of the Year Award Nominee
2013 & 2015 PGA of Alberta Class A Professional of the Year Award Nominee
PGA of Alberta Top 100 Professional 2019-2025

Kurtis Foote
Head Teaching Professional

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Ryan Martino
Assistant Professional

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Club Fitting Certifications: Taylormade and Ping
4 years teaching experience
Specializes in putting and short game
Career low of 70
PGA of Alberta Top 100 Professionals 2024 and 2025



Valley Ridge Golf Academy

Elevate Your Game.

Led by our PGA of Canada Professional team, our instruction is welcoming, performance-driven, and tailored to every golfer. From private and small group lessons to specialized clinics, each session is designed to build confidence and deliver real results.

Our premier practice facilities provide the ideal setting to learn and train, featuring a double-ended driving range with natural grass tees and target greens, Calgary's largest putting green, and a dedicated short game area with a greenside bunker.

Valley Ridge Golf Club is nestled in a secluded valley along the scenic Bow River, just minutes from downtown Calgary. Our championship course offers a memorable playing experience, defined by striking views, exceptional conditions, and a layout suited to all levels.

A full range of instructional programs is available for all ages and abilities, delivered in a professional and inviting environment.

Connect with our professional team to get started.



Dress Code

The following dress codes apply to all golf related areas, including the practice facility and lessons:

Mens & Ladies Wear, not accepted:

- Denim of any colour is not accepted (except Stampede week)
- Gym attire is not accepted (sweat pants, tank tops, muscle shirts, etc)

Appropriate Mens & Ladies Wear:

- Collared or mock golf shirts only
- Proper footwear (golf shoe with non-metal spikes, running shoe, no more than 1" heel height)
- Properly tailored attire (closed hemline required, no cut-offs)
- Shorts must be no higher than 3" above the knee
- Appropriate logo-wear only



2026 Lesson Programs

Private Lessons - 30 Min.

| | Adult | Junior |
|-----------|-------|--------|
| 1 Lesson | \$95 | \$75 |
| 3 Lessons | \$285 | \$225 |
| 5 Lessons | \$475 | \$375 |

Semi-Private Lessons - 45 Min.

| <i>2 students</i> | Adult | Junior |
|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 Lesson | \$80 per person | \$60 per person |
| 3 Lessons | \$230 per person | \$180 per person |
| 5 Lessons | \$400 per person | \$300 per person |

Group Lessons - 45 Min.

| <i>3 to 6 students</i> | Adult | Junior |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 Lesson | \$65 per person | \$50 per person |
| 3 Lessons | \$195 per person | \$150 per person |
| 5 Lessons | \$325 per person | \$250 per person |

Consultation

Swing Assessment **\$125**

60 minutes

Monthly Coaching Program

Adult Package **\$600**

Junior Package **\$500**

- Goal setting and initial consultation
- Ongoing correspondence with Golf Professional
- 120 minutes of private coaching
- 1 - 9 hole playing lesson
- Video Analysis

Private Playing Lesson

3 Holes **\$120**

5 Holes **\$160**

9 Holes **\$225**

- Comprehensive on-course instruction.
- Course management skills.
- Rules and etiquette.

playing lesson prices are regardless of group size

Corporate Clinics

Feel free to inquire with any of our instructors regarding availability and pricing for your Corporate clinic needs!