

HOW TO BECOME INVOLVED.....

- 1) Personal Donations;
- 2) Corporate Donations;
- 3) Business Donations;
- 4) Volunteer Service during tournaments;
- 5) Teach at clinics (training required)
- 6) Assist with creating website and maintaining website;
- 7) Assist with taking photographs for website, promos, and articles;
- 8) Donate Services (i.e.. printing, advertising);
- 9) Equipment Donations;
- 10) Assist with recruiting participants for program



ABOUT JOHN KLEIN

In 1977 while an Assistant Golf Professional at Santa Barbara Municipal Golf Course, John founded Project Fore. With a background in Recreation Therapy, he combined his love of golf and college degree to form this adapted golf program. Over the years, John has increased his knowledge in Special Education and Adapted Physical Education. He works within the local school districts, teaching and recruiting kids for his community based programs. In 1999, John was chosen by his peers as the "1999 SDPGA Teacher of the Year". In 2003, John received The Fred D'Acquisto Community Service Award, presented by The American Heart Association. In the same year, John was also presented The Eagle Spirit Award by Sharp Rehabilitation Services. John is a member of the National PGA's President's Council on Growing the Game of Golf.



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PROJECT FORE GOLF FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

"FROM REHAB TO THE
GOLF COURSE" —
"IT'S POSSIBLE"

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PGA Teaching

Professional

Adaptive Golf Specialist

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Purpose / Objectives

- Promote golf to individuals with physical and cognitive disabilities (mild to severe);
- Use golf as a therapeutic means, exercising and strengthening the weaker side of the body;
- Allow the individual to become more independent;
- Assist in improving social skills through camaraderie and social interaction on and off the golf course;
- Use modified equipment to help players enhance their learning experience;
- Have the student recall and understand the different stages of the golf swing from the start to finish.

PROGRAMS OFFERED

The following programs are offered under the umbrella of Project Fore:

- Individuals with physical impairments—spinal cord injury, brain injury, amputation/loss of limb(s), paralysis from strokes or other accidents, vision impairment;
- Wounded Warrior Military Program for service personnel who have become wounded during combat or training;
- Kids with autism and processing delays;
- Kids and adults with Downs Syndrome;

- Any other debilitating conditions not mentioned above.

The programs for individuals with disabilities are coordinated through the recreation therapy departments at various local hospitals and rehab centers.

The programs for kids and adults with cognitive delays are organized through John Klein.

Contact John for further information.



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