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Golf Team Offered to Youth in Apollo Beach

The First Tee of Tampa Bay to host junior golf team at Apollo Beach Golf Club

Tampa, FL (Sept. 3, 2015) – [The First Tee of Tampa Bay](http://www.thefirstteetampabay.org), a program of the [Tampa Metropolitan Area YMCA](http://www.tampaymca.org), is holding a junior golf team program beginning Saturday, Sept. 12th at the Apollo Beach Golf Club on 801 Golf and Sea Boulevard.

Classes meet once per week for seven weeks and are available for boys and girls ages 8-18. This program is for intermediate to advanced players. Playing on The First Tee of Tampa Bay Golf Team will give each member a chance to play rounds of golf in an organized setting, meet new people and make lifelong friendships. This program is a great way for children to learn the game by playing on an actual course.

Cost for the program varies based on family income, ranging from \$2/class (\$14 total) to \$12/class (\$84 total). To learn more about the necessary skill requirements to join the team, visit www.thefirstteetampabay.org or call 813.238.7320.

The First Tee of Tampa Bay, formed in 1991 as Urban Junior Golf, uses the game of golf to provide young people with the chance to develop life-enhancing values like confidence, perseverance and judgment. The First Tee of Tampa Bay shows children that golf is more than a game – it's an opportunity to become the very best they can be.

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About The First Tee of Tampa Bay

The First Tee of Tampa Bay, an official program of the Tampa Metropolitan Area YMCA, provides more than 50,000 children each year with hands-on, interactive golf experiences. Through the game of golf, The First Tee of Tampa Bay provides young people educational programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values and promote healthy choices. Whether through introductory programs in 100+ Hillsborough County public schools, afterschool programs at several local courses, or week-long summer camp experiences, The First Tee of Tampa Bay shows children golf is more than a game—it's an opportunity to become the very best they can be. www.thefirstteetampabay.org

About the Y

The Tampa Metropolitan Area YMCA is one of the area's leading nonprofits, strengthening Hillsborough and East Pasco communities through youth development, healthy living and social responsibility. Across the Association, 19 facilities engage more than 160,000 men, women and children — regardless of age, income or background — to nurture the potential of children and teens, improve our community's health and well-being, and provide opportunities to give back and support neighbors. The Tampa Y has long-standing relationships and physical presence not just to promise, but to deliver, lasting personal and social change. www.tampaymca.org