

Nebraska Coach's Convention

Topic: Building and Maintaining a Program Outline

Building and Maintaining a Program

1. Introduction and brief history of the program
  - A. In the beginning
  - B. The decision to build a program
2. What I did to start the program
  - A. Making contacts at golf course
  - B. Get to know the pro
  - C. Get to know the members
  - D. Find the young players
3. Working with the pro
4. Finding the influential golfers in your area
  - A. Get to know area pro's
  - B. Find the local players that give lessons and get to know them
5. Developing young players (before they get to high school)
  - A. Make sure they have right instruction
  - B. Spend time with them on course
6. High School Years
  - A. Tryouts
  - B. Pre-season practices (Fall) (Off-campus P.E.)
  - C. In season practices (Spring)
7. Setting up practices
  - A. Early season (swings and putts)
  - B. Mid season (putts, chips, take-offs, & contact)
  - C. Range time and course time
  - D. Late season polishing (putts, chips, and mental)
8. Keeping up with stats during season
  - A. G.I.R., 3-Putts, Fairways Hit, and scores

Question and Answer Period

## Topic: Coaching the New Generation Outline

1. Introduction and brief history of the program
2. Different times and attitudes
  - A. Old days vs new age
3. How we deal with the “Me Generation” pre-season
  - A. Pre-season individual meetings
  - B. Pre-season parent meetings
  - C. Multi-sport players
4. Dealing with “overbearing parents”
  - A. Rules and guidelines
  - B. Emails and continuous communication
  - C. Get them involved and invested
  - D. What to do when they cross the line
5. Swing Coaches
  - A. Communication and dealing with them
6. In-season practices
  - A. Off-campus P.E.
  - B. Setting up our practices (Days & times)
  - C. 10 minutes and 3 clubs
  - D. Chipping and putting
  - E. Practice time and course time
7. Tournaments
  - A. Early season-goals & stats
  - B. Mid-season-information & improvement
  - C. Crunch time-performance & results

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