

## About “Golf for Life”

*The Brad Hennefer Golf for Life Foundation* is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that was inspired by the golf accomplishments of Brad Hennefer, a young man who has Down syndrome and has been playing golf for almost his entire life. Brad works closely with his brother Bobby and Rich Smith, Jr. who are PGA Professionals. Brad is now able to independently play eighteen holes of golf and participated on his high school varsity golf team thanks to the professional instruction that he has received.

The Hennefer family’s goal is to now provide to other individuals who have Down syndrome the same opportunities to work with a PGA Professional that have been provided to Brad.

The mission of our **“Golf for Life”** program is to provide a golf developmental process for individuals with Down syndrome to introduce the game of golf at a young age, provide a level of consistency, maintain involvement and participation, provide opportunities for competition regardless of skill level and physical abilities, with support for special assistance that may ultimately lead to employment in the golf industry.

Our vision is for participants who have grown up in the **“Golf for Life”** program to obtain internships to learn job skills and ultimately be offered employment in the golf industry. We believe that one of the best ways to train for a job in the golf industry is to grow up being involved in the sport from a very young age.

*Golf is a game for life!*

# Golf For Life

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[www.golfforlife.org](http://www.golfforlife.org)

“While the destination is important,  
the journey is the ultimate reward”



Brad Hennefer  
High School Hall of Fame Picture

While many junior golf programs end at age eighteen, we are committed to providing a “lifetime” of golf opportunities for individuals of all ages who have Down syndrome.



Brad and Bob Hennefer



“Golf for Life”  
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## About our Programs

### "Golf for Life" Instruction Program

Our goal is to facilitate a network of regional and national golf clinics and competitions exclusively for individuals who have Down syndrome. We are working closely with the National Down Syndrome Congress (NDSC) and the Professional Golfers' Association of America (PGA). Through our collaboration with the NDSC and the PGA, we are:

- ◆ conducting a golf instruction program in the PGA Philadelphia Section;
- ◆ compiling a database of PGA Professionals in the 41 PGA Sections who are willing to donate their time for golf instruction; and
- ◆ serving as a liaison with the NDSC to identify NDSC affiliate leaders to help organize Golf for Life events.

### Public Speaking & Advocacy Program

In addition to providing golf instruction programs, Brad Hennefer offers public speaking engagements as a self-advocate with the goals of:

- ◆ educating the community, professionals and parents on the abilities of people with Down syndrome;
- ◆ promoting the interests of people with Down syndrome and their families through advocacy and public awareness;
- ◆ promoting full participation of people with Down syndrome in all aspects of community life, particularly in athletics;
- ◆ providing inspiration and hope to families of people with Down syndrome.

## Who We Are

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*If you would like more information on "Golf for Life" provide your contact information so we can include you in our database and provide e-mail updates about our programs.*

### Your Contact Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

(Be sure to include your e-mail address to be kept informed about future programs)

### Future Expansion Goals

Our future expansion goals over the next several years are as follows:

- ◆ to expand the "Golf for Life" program to as many of the 41 PGA Sections as possible;
- ◆ to facilitate PGA Sectional competition;
- ◆ To provide golf opportunities at the NDSC Annual Convention and to increase awareness within the Down syndrome community regarding the benefits of this life-long sport;
- ◆ work toward the goal of helping individuals with Down syndrome develop the necessary skills to be employed in the golf industry.

## How To Get Involved

### Donations

*Donations to help defray the costs of our programs are greatly appreciated. Donations may be mailed to:*

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