

## Chicago Instructors & Course Locations

### **Wheaton, IL; Cantigny Golf Academy; Chris Regenberg**

PGA Class A professional Chris Regenberg is a former professional tour player and was a 2009 Illinois PGA Section "Teacher of the Year" nominee.

Chris has 22 years of collegiate head coaching experience; 16 years with Northwestern and 6 years with University of Wisconsin. She was the 2001 Midwest coach of the year, and during her playing days was a collegiate regional All-American.

Chris is one of the finest instructors at Cantigny Golf Academy, Chicagoland's first and only teaching center to integrate all the essential performance components of playing golf into one location.

### **Chicago, IL; Chicagoland Golf Academy at The Diversey Driving Range; John McCartin**

John McCartin is a 14 year PGA Class A Member and in 2006 earned the distinct honor of PGA Certification in Teaching, becoming only the third PGA Member in the Illinois Section with this designation. For 12 years John served as a lead instructor for the Dave Pelz Scoring Game Schools and as a Head Instructor for the John Jacobs Golf Schools.

John's teaching philosophy is to have each of his students become their own best teacher and to create a partnership with them to help achieve their goals for their golf games. Each golfer is viewed as an individual with their own set of experiences, strengths, weaknesses and desires for their golfing experience. John's teaching contains just the right amount of instruction, feedback, effective practice plans and most importantly fun.

### **Oak Forest, IL; Chicagoland Golf Academy at George W. Dunne Golf Course; Fred Reeder**

PGA Class A Professional Fred Reeder is acknowledged as a top golf instructor in today's golf world, and previously served as the Head Golf Professional at Point O' Woods Country Club, one of America's top 100 courses, for 18 years. Fred has taught PGA & LPGA Tour players, NCAA collegiate players, high school champions, junior champions and all ages and levels of men, women and juniors.

In addition to his tremendous teaching experience, Fred is regarded as a competitive player and was a contestant in the 2005 U.S. Senior Open, along with numerous PGA Tour events during his career. Fred uses his excellent knowledge of the golf swing, combined with a coach's approach for each individual's ability to maximize his students golf potential.

### **Des Plaines, IL; Chicagoland Golf Academy at Harry Semrow Driving Range; Hiromune Takamura**

Hiromune Takamura is a PGA Class A professional who utilizes technology and swing analysis to help golfers of all abilities maximize their potential and get more enjoyment out of the game of golf. Hiromune believes the golf swing can be viewed as a quantifiable science which can be controlled and measured. His teaching philosophy is based on learning to create speed and power and to transfer momentum from body to arms and club. Hiromune's expertise allows his students to learn faster and improve quicker.

**Huntley, IL; Chicagoland Golf Academy at Whisper Creek Golf Course; John McCartin**

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**Worth, IL; Chicagoland Golf Academy at Water's Edge Golf Course; Rick Bell**

PGA Class A instructor Rick Bell teaches not only the ball striking aspect of the game to all levels of students, but is also a certified Sport Psychology Instructor capable of helping golfers with the challenging mental aspects of golf.

Rick's mentors include former PGA Tour player Ralph Johnston, Master Professional Mike Hebron and PGA Hall of Fame member Bill Strausbaugh.

Rick likes to say "a good teacher has a method but a great one has many." As a result, he is well prepared to instruct all individuals no matter what their goals and objectives might be.