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Keeping PGA of BC members informed

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Great field ready to hit Whistler GC for PGA of BC Championship

A very strong and deep field of more than 100 PGA of BC golf professionals will seek the Association's highest golfing honor next week at Whistler Golf Club.

At stake is the PGA of BC Championship and bragging rights for an entire year as the top professional in the B.C. zone. The tournament runs Monday, Aug. 30th, through Wednesday, Sept. 1st.

Based on their play in recent weeks and months, some prominent players have established themselves as definite favorites for the event.

Phil Jonas comes off a blistering course record 62 at Sunshine Coast Golf & Country Club in a recent Srixon Lower Mainland Tour event and has played consistently well over the last few months. As the order of merit leader on the Srixon Tour, he'll represent BC in the Canadian Assistants' Championship inter-zone team competition.

Bryn Parry is a perennial favorite and has had a strong season, finishing 2nd at the recent Canada Cup event in Quebec. His trio of 67s in winning at Quilchena two years ago, his second Championship, was a performance for the ages.

Doug Morgan is looking to defend his title won last year at Crown Isle. Always dangerous in this championship. The last champion to defend was Scott Minni, who did a three-peat in 1992-93-94.

Matt Palsenborg won the PGA of BC Assistants' Championship at Chilliwack with a course-record-tying 63 in the final round. He also played well at the Canada Cup.



Edd Boudreau seems to find a way to get in the final group most years. He won in a playoff over Bryn Parry at Royal Colwood in 2006.

Others to watch:

- Kyle German, winner of the Canadian Club Pro Championship in 2008
- Cec Ferguson, three-time former champion, a seasoned veteran playing in what he says will be the final competitive event of his career
- Lindsay Bernakevitch, Shaughnessy assistant with years of experience on the Canadian Tour can take it low
- Dan Swanson, winner in 2007 at Rivershore
- Don't be surprised if some of these place well: Dave Bolton, James Harper, Murray Poje (1999 winner at Morgan Creek), Scott Rodgers, Fraser Mulholland (2004 champion at Big Sky), Dave Zibrik, Rob Anderson, Gordy Scutt, Kevin Maxwell, Bill Kelly

Recent winners of the PGA of BC Championship:

2003 Phil Jonas -- Quilchena
2004 Fraser Mulholland -- Big Sky
2005 Mike Haraguchi -- Salmon Arm
2006 Edd Boudreau -- Royal Colwood
2007 Dan Swanson -- Rivershore
2008 Bryn Parry -- Quilchena
2009 Doug Morgan -- Crown Isle

Live scoring available online for Championship!

For the first time, live scoring of the PGA of BC Championship will be available online at the PGA of BC website www.pgabc.org

The Association has teamed up with Golfbox, a supplier of tournament scoring software, to experiment with the system, which will also display results on electronic scoreboards inside the Whistler GC clubhouse next week.

Check the home page of the website starting Monday for a link to live results of the Championship.

Nominate your 2010 PGA of BC Golf Award candidates today!

PGA of BC members are strongly encouraged to submit nominations for the 2010 PGA of BC Golf Awards.



This year's program will culminate in golf awards being presented Oct. 14th at the Penticton Trade & Convention Centre in conjunction with the 2010 PGA of BC Trade Show.

Awards will be presented in the following categories:

- Head Professional of the Year
- Assistant Professional of the Year
- Teacher of the Year
- Junior Promoter of the Year
- Sales Representative of the Year
- Golf Facility of the Year
- Golf Shop of the Year

Two other awards are determined by the Board of Directors:

- Player of the Year
- Patron of the Year

As in previous years, the B.C. zone will be defined by four geographic regions: Lower Mainland, Vancouver Island, Interior and Kootenays/North.

Regional Nominating Committees in each of these regions will consider nominations in the various award categories. Each committee will then select a Regional Finalist in each category.

The names of the Finalists along with supporting information will be forwarded to a Final Selection Panel made up of previous winners of the Golf Awards. The panel will determine a winner in each category based on a weighted ballot. Winners will be announced Oct. 14th.

Nominations from PGA of BC members will be open until Friday, Sept. 3rd. Self-nominations are accepted.

[To nominate someone for a PGA of BC Golf Award, please click here](#)

Special FlightScope discount for PGA of BC members

The Official Launch Monitor of the PGA of BC offers members big savings on Doppler radar based launch monitors.



As proud sponsors and supporters of the PGA of BC, FlightScope is offering PGA of BC members up to \$1,500 off the price of Doppler radar based Launch Monitors and Gold Technical Support and Software Upgrade Packages.

Offer is valid on orders placed before September 15, 2010. Please contact Warren Mapé at 416-356-4795 or warren@flightscope.com if you'd like to take advantage of this special offer or require more information.

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Painter's Lodge offers PGA of BC members great deal for famous Octoberfish derby



The Official Holiday & Fishing Resort of the PGA of BC's famous and always popular fishing derby offers members a terrific deal on their annual event.

The Octoberfish derby runs October 1st to 11th at Painter's Lodge in Campbell River, where the largest chum caught earns a trip for two to the MV Charlotte Princess in 2011.

Painter's Lodge is offering PGA of BC members a sizzling price of **\$289** per person for the derby package (regular \$329). This includes 2 nights accommodation and 2 four hour fishing trips. The price is based on double occupancy. Please visit the link below to see package details and prizes.

If interested in booking, please make sure you identify yourself as a PGA of BC member to ensure you qualify the appropriate discount.

[Click here to view Painter's Lodge's PGA of BC Promotion](#)

Members on the Move

As of August 25, 2010

Matthew Cadzow is accepted as a member of the CPGA and becomes a Candidate for Membership at Cowichan Golf Club

Stephen Connor is accepted as a member of the CPGA and becomes a Candidate for Membership at Rivershore Golf Links

Jared Rempel is accepted as a member of the CPGA and becomes a Candidate for Membership at Chilliwack Golf & Country Club

Jordan Caron passes his Class A Exam and becomes a Class "A" Professional

Kevin Hoglund passes his Class A Exam and becomes a Class "A" Professional at Cranbrook Golf Club

Aaron Nelson passes his Class A Exam and becomes a Class "A" Professional at Bootleg Gap Golf Course

Jess Norris is accepted as a member of the CPGA and becomes a Candidate for Membership at Big Sky Golf & Country Club

As of August 18, 2010

Corey Lowe is accepted as a member of the CPGA and becomes a Candidate for Membership at The Ridge Course at Cordova Bay Club

Ryan Stugis is accepted as a member of the CPGA and becomes a Candidate for Membership at Sandpiper Golf Club

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Teaching Professional
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Teaching Professional
Golf Town - North Vancouver

Assistant Professional
Point Grey Golf & Country Club

General Manager
Seven Hills Golf & Country Club

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Storey Creek Golf Club

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