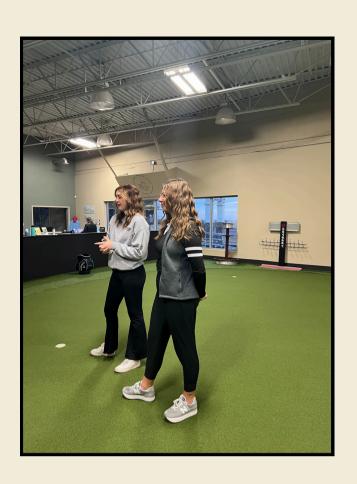
GREENSIDE NEWS









INSPIRING THE NEXT GENERATION OF WOMEN IN GOLF

This Spring, Madi Brown and Emma Mellencamp led a key outreach effort by organizing a presentation with the First Tee of Southern Colorado during their Girls High School Golf Prep Camp.

They shared their experiences as PGA Golf Management students, offering inspiration and insight to the next generation of young women in golf.

Outreach like this is essential to growing the game and helping more women see a future for themselves in the industry.

MASTERS ALUMNI ENGAGEMENT EVENT



This April, Mark Bacheldor, PGA and Jon Husby, PGA attended the Masters to connect with UCCS PGA Golf Management alumni working in the golf industry. Meeting with former students at one of golf's biggest stages highlighted the strength of our alumni network and our commitment to career development. They're hoping to make this a yearly tradition!





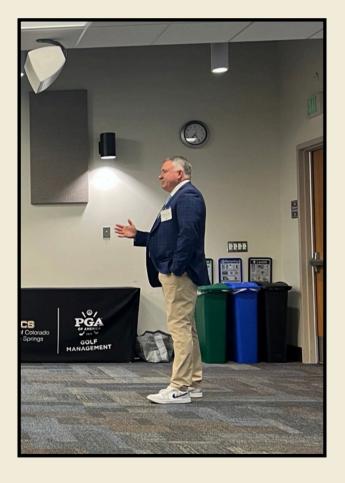
Visit from Don Rea Jr.

On February 4th, the PGA Golf
Management program at UCCS had the
honor of hosting Don Rea Jr., PGA,
President of the PGA of America, and
Will Robins, PGA, a leading expert in
golf coaching and player development.
Their visit provided students with an
invaluable learning experience, as they
shared insights on the future of coaching,
career growth in the golf industry, and
the impact of PGA Coach—a gamechanging platform designed to help
professionals better serve their students.

Rea, a passionate advocate for PGA Professionals and their role in growing the game, spoke about the evolving landscape of the golf industry and the importance of building strong relationships with players and communities. Robins, known for his innovative coaching philosophy, engaged the students in discussions on how PGA Coach empowers professionals to deliver effective, personalized instruction.

The visit was not only an opportunity for students to learn from two of the most respected figures in golf but also a chance to gain first-hand advice on career advancement, coaching strategies, and leadership in the industry. Their message reinforced the program's commitment to preparing future PGA Professionals for success, both on and off the course.









Visit from Don Rea Jr.





Don Rea's Custom PGA Nikes



Adding to the significance of the event,
Tommy Aicher, Dean of the College of
Business, and Jennifer Sobanet,
Chancellor of the University of Colorado
Colorado Springs, were in attendance.
Their presence underscored the
importance of the PGA Golf Management
program to both the college and the
university as a whole. Their support sends
a strong message about UCCS's
commitment to preparing future leaders in
the golf industry through meaningful
educational experiences and industry
partnerships.







Pros Fore Clothes



This spring, the program is proud to have won the Golden Hanger Award two years in a row through the Pros Fore Clothes Golden Hanger Challenge.

As part of the celebration, Patrick White, PGA, visited the UCCS campus to speak with students about his career in the golf industry, offering valuable insight and inspiration. During his visit, he also presented the 2024 Golden Hanger Award, recognizing UCCS for last year's outstanding contribution.

The 2025 competition has officially concluded, and UCCS is now eagerly awaiting the results. This spring, students once again stepped up in a big way—collecting more than 1,000 pounds of clothing, averaging over 17 pounds per student. With another strong showing, the program hopes to secure its third consecutive win—a testament to the generosity, leadership, and commitment of the students.









PGA Show

This past January, the UCCS Program once again brought four students to the PGA Show. However, more students made the trip beyond those four. The week was full of networking opportunities, exciting new golf gear, and valuable golf industry education.













UCCS on the News

This semester, the UCCS PGA Golf Management Program had an exciting opportunity to be featured live on FOX21 News, thanks to a visit from local reporter Julie Baker. Over the course of the morning, Julie filmed five live segments right here on campus, highlighting the people, facilities, and experiences that make our program so unique.

The broadcast gave viewers across
Southern Colorado a first-hand look at everything our students experience — from career-building internships to leadership opportunities and hightech learning environments.



One of the highlights? Julie picked up a club herself and hit balls in the indoor swing lab, laughing with students and instructors while learning about the technology we use to analyze swing mechanics. Throughout the morning, Julie also interviewed several of our students, who shared their personal journeys through the program, their internship experiences at top golf resorts, and how UCCS is helping them build careers in the golf industry. Each segment spotlighted a different aspect of the program. The live segments were a great way to show the community what we're all about — and to share the passion and professionalism of our students with a wider audience.



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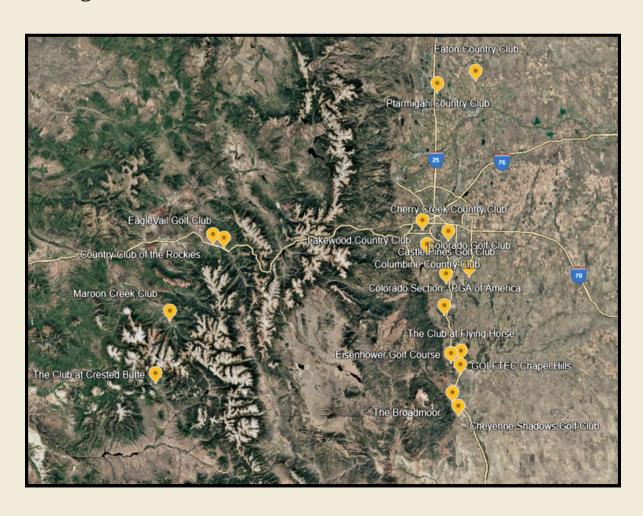


Internships Across the Country

Colorado Courses

- Eisenhower GC
- Castle Pines Golf Club
- Cherry Creek Country Club
- Cheyenne Shadows GC
- Colorado Golf Club
- Columbine Country Club
- COPGA
- Country Club of the Rockies
- EagleVail

- Eaton CC
- Flying Horse
- Glacier Club
- GolfTec
- Lakewood Country Club
- Maroon Creek CC
- Ptarmigan Country Club
- The Broadmoor
- The Club at Crested Butte



Internships Across the Country

Around the United States

CC of Fairview - CT

Ocean Reef - FL

Santa Rosa Beach Club - FL

Gozzer Ranch - ID

Old Elm Club - IL

The Weston Club - MA

Northland CC - MN

White Bear Lake Yaht Club - MN

Reserve at Moonlight Basin - MT

Beech Mountain Resort - NC

Moccassin Creek - ND

Heritage Hills GC - NE

Navesink CC - NJ

Scioto - OH

Bandon Dunes - OR

Steel Club - PA

Moccasin Creek CC - SD

Elkhorn Ridge GC - SD

Colonial Country Club - TX

Victory Ranch UT

Golf Club at Black Rock - WA

Willamette CC - WA

Bishops Bay CC - WI

Whistling Straits - WI

Jackson Hole Golf and Tennis Club - WY

<u>International Internships</u>

The Grove - England Old Head - Scotland



Spring Tournament Series

Tournament

Top Finishers



Tim Stolo 73 | Audrey Rosen 83



Matt Waisner 68 | Madi Brown 89



Charlie Richardson 74 | Madi Brown 87



Tim Stolo 67 | Audrey Rosen 74



Matthew Waisner 70 | Audrey Rosen 75



Singles Match Play Champions

Matthew Ryan

Doubles Match Play Champions

Team: Kenton Faulstich, Matthew Waisner

Spring Championship Winners

Individual: Timothy Stolo

Team: Liam Lake and Timothy Stolo







Players of the Semester

Men's Division

Tim Stolo



Top Finisher in

- Walking Stick
- Cheyenne Shadows
- Fall Championship

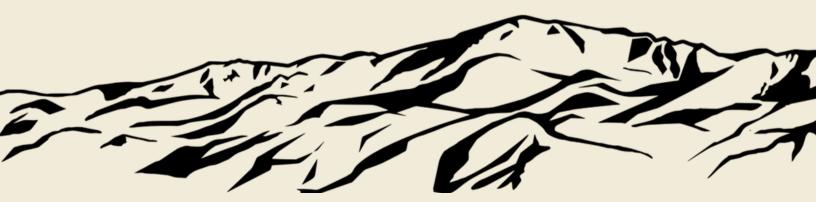
Women's Division

Madi Brown



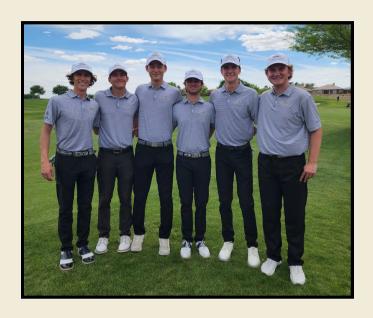
Top Finisher in

- Country Club of Colorado
- Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club



Kelbel Cup

The Kelbel Cup Golf Tournament held at TPC Las Vegas featured strong competition and challenging conditions. The team battled throughout the event, finishing in fourth place with a score of two-under par. While not the result they aimed for, it was a solid showing and a valuable experience on a tough course.







Kelbel Cup



Timothy Stolo Kenton Faulstich



Trey Harman Hunter Peffer



Thomas Tomiyama Matthew Waisner





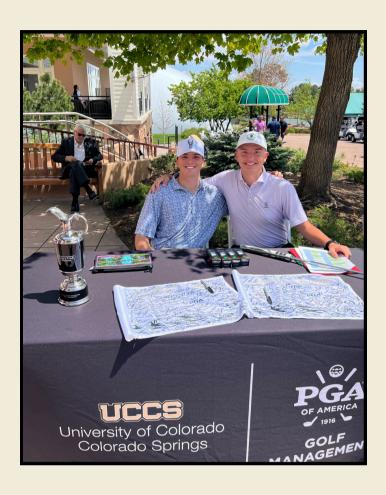


Family and Friends Golf

This Spring, the program hosted its annual Family and Friends golf Golf Tournament at the prestigious Broadmoor Golf Club. The event brought together students, staff, families, and friends for a day of camaraderie, competition, and celebration. Participants enjoyed stunning mountain views, world-class golf, and the opportunity to experience one of the country's top-ranked courses.









Family and Friends Golf











Family and Friends Banquet



The PGA Golf Management Program at UCCS celebrated a successful year with its annual Family and Friends Banquet at Red Rocks Barn. Guests enjoyed a warm, welcoming atmosphere as we reflected on milestones and memorable moments from the year.









Family and Friends Banquet









