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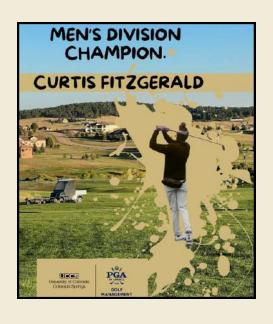




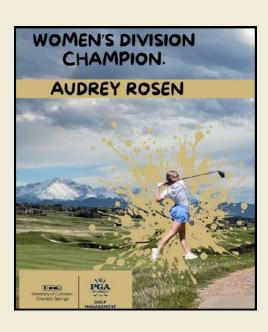
Fall Tournament Series



Team Blue Defeated
Team Red in a 2-person
best-ball Ryder Cup Style
tournament.













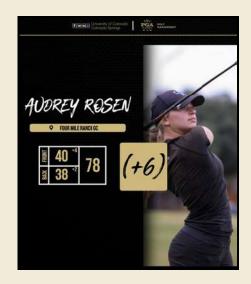




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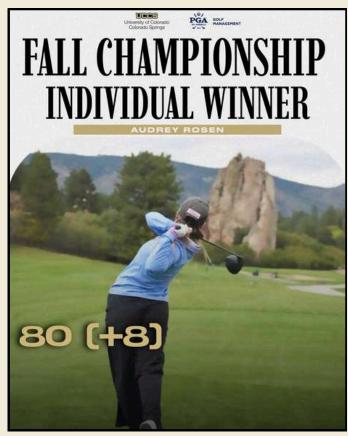






Fall Championship

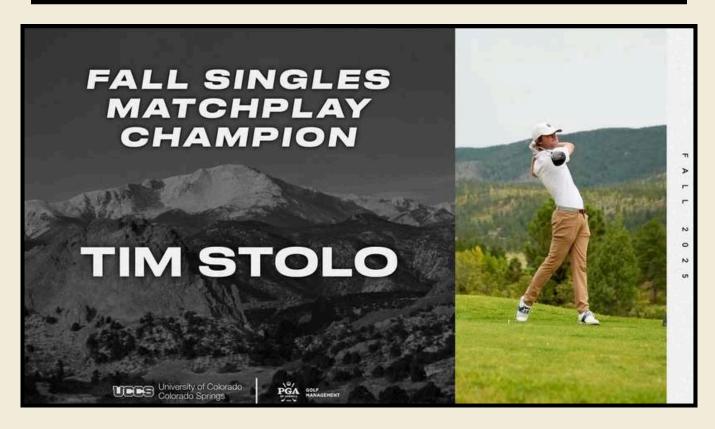








Match Play Tournaments







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GMG Cup 2025

This year, the UCCS PGA Golf Management Program traveled to Las Cruces, New Mexico to compete against New Mexico State in the GMG Cup, a Ryder Cup—style event. The team played strongly but fell 14—8 after a tough final stretch. The event provided valuable competitive experience and helped strengthen connections between PGA Golf Management programs. A special thanks to GolfTec for sponsoring this exciting event.





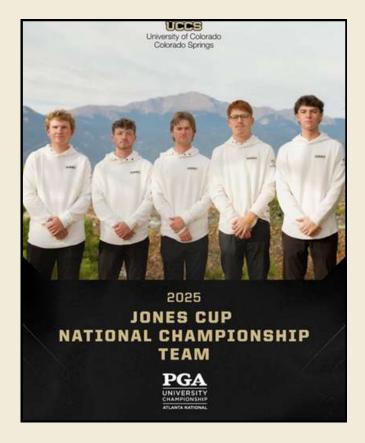




PGA University National Championship

This November, the PGA Golf Management Program proudly sent five students to compete in the PGA University National Championship known as the Jones Cup, at Atlanta National Golf Club. Representing the program on a national stage, the team committed to extensive preparation, focusing on adapting to new turf conditions and competing at a lower altitude to ensure they were ready to perform at their best.





That preparation and dedication translated into an impressive showing, as UCCS earned a fifth-place overall finish against PGA Golf Management programs from across the country. The performance was highlighted by an outstanding individual effort from Carson Kidd, who finished fourth overall. The strong results reflect the hard work, discipline, and competitive spirit of the students, and underscore the program's commitment to excellence both on and off the course.



Players of the Semester

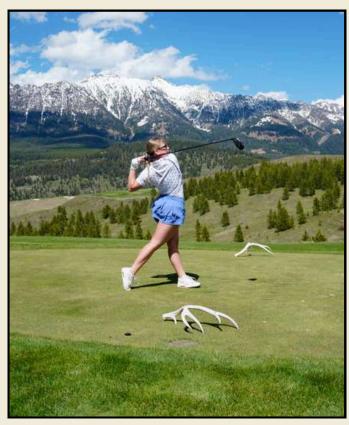
Men's Division

Tim Stolo



Women's Division

Audrey Rosen



Top Finisher in

- Singles Matchplay
- Cheyenne Shadows

Top Finisher in

- King's Deer Golf Club
- 4-Mile Ranch Golf Club
- Common Ground
- Fall Championship



PGMSS OnForm and GOLFTEC

For our monthly PGMSS meetings this semester, we welcomed Gear Fisher, Founder of OnForm, along with Beth Muir, Senior Recruiting Specialist, and Josh Troyer, Director of Teach Quality from GOLFTEC, to speak with the program.

Students were introduced to the OnForm platform and learned how it enhances the lesson experience through the use of technology and video, while also improving communication between instructors and students. The platform will be implemented within our Player Development Program to support instruction and development.

Beth and Josh also provided an overview of GOLFTEC, highlighting its teaching methodology and commitment to player improvement. They shared valuable insights into career pathways in teaching and coaching, giving students a better understanding of professional opportunities within the golf industry.













Pros Fore Clothes... Again

The program is proud to have earned the Golden Hanger Award for the third consecutive year through the Pros Fore Clothes Golden Hanger Challenge by collecting more than 1000 pounds of clothing donations. The competition started again this Fall with students are already on their way to a fourth title. They are partnering with the Colorado PGA and Colorado Golf Club to solicit donations.





PGA Annual Meeing



This fall, UCCS PGA Golf Management student Audrey Rosen attended the PGA Annual Meeting, taking part in a national leadership conference with peers from across the country. She experienced key events such as the PGA Special Awards Ceremony, sessions on PGA HOPE, and leadership presentations, while also networking with PGA leaders and fellow students. Audrey returned inspired, representing the strength of the UCCS PGA Golf Management Program and its focus on developing future PGA Professionals.





Patriots to Pros Boot Camp

This August, the PGA Golf Management Program hosted the 3rd annual Patriots to Pros Boot Camp at Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club, made possible through a COPGA REACH Grant. The program has seen remarkable growth since its first year with 18 attendees in 2025 compared to just 6 in 2023.

Patriots to Pros Boot Camp introduces veterans to the career pathways and opportunities available through PGA Membership and the PGA Golf Management Program. The event was supported by program partners Ty Thompson, PGA, Beth Muir from GOLFTEC, and Cheyenne Shadows Golf Club demonstrating a strong collaborative effort to engage and grow the local golf community.









2026 Hall of Fame Information



Call for Nominations: 2026 PGA Golf Management Hall of Fame

The UCCS PGA Golf Management Hall of Fame honors individuals who, through their lives, careers, service, and support, have made significant and lasting contributions to the PGA of America and the PGA Golf Management Program in alignment with its mission and vision.

Induction into the Hall of Fame is not required to occur annually and is determined by the quality of nominations and the selection process. Up to one individual may be inducted each year at the annual Family & Friends Awards Event.

Eligibility Requirements:

To be considered for induction, nominees must:

- Be a PGA Member in good standing
- Have graduated from the UCCS PGA Golf Management Program at least 10 years prior
- Demonstrate notable achievements within the established consideration categories

UCCS PGA Golf Management will have a booth at the PGA Show, please stop by to learn more about the Hall of Fame, the nomination process, and the program overall.





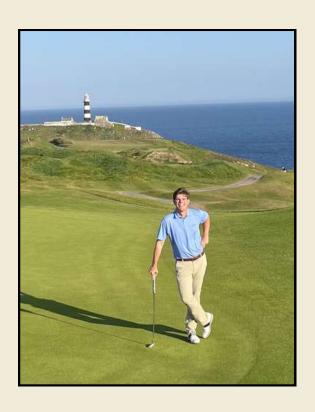


Summer Recruitment Junior Golf

This summer, the PGA Golf Management
Program expanded its recruitment efforts as
Recruitment and Outreach Specialist Paul
DeSandro traveled across the state to connect
with prospective students at junior golf
tournaments. Partnering with the Colorado PGA
Junior Player Series and the Summit Junior
Tour, the program attended multiple events to
engage with young golfers and their families.
These visits provided an opportunity to share
how the PGA Golf Management Program offers
the education required for PGA Membership
while opening the door to a wide range of career
pathways within the golf industry.



International Internship Highlight



This past summer, one of our students, Carson Wiesner, traveled abroad to complete an internship at the renowned Old Head Golf Links in Cork, Ireland.

The experience was filled with once-in-a-lifetime moments, highlighted by seeing Old Head from a helicopter—an unforgettable view that made the course feel like it sat on the edge of the world. Playing unlimited golf at a world-class facility, with evening rounds overlooking the Atlantic, became a surreal routine. Beyond the golf, the opportunity to meet and build connections with PGA Professionals from across the country, world-class coaches, and even a few low-key celebrities made the season truly unique and unlike anything that could be experienced elsewhere.