

<u>Junior Code of</u> <u>Conduct & Safety</u>

Genesis Golf is dedicated to providing an outstanding golf experience for all children. A child's ability to follow direction, obey rules and respect others is of utmost importance. We understand that as all kids grow, they make mistakes, and we look at those as teachable moments. However, a child with chronic behavioral issues resulting from habitual breaking of rules and not following direction will not be able to continue attending sessions. These efforts are made to ensure a positive and safe environment for all children.

Children are expected to behave appropriately and promote a safe, fun and healthy environment through respectful participation. The staff will use a positive approach to correction or discipline and will seek parental support to resolve behavior issues and to encourage positive behavior. The biggest safety factors for Genesis Golf are:

- Making sure there is an "arm's length" clearance from any other person before hitting.
- Sitting or standing in the designated safe zones/seats at the appropriate time.
- No clubs raised above your waist, over your shoulder, swinging from side to side as you wait or listen to instruction. Clubhead stays on the ground unless you are physically participating in that day's activities.
- No throwing balls, intentionally hitting balls at another child, throwing or slamming of the clubs on the ground or walls
- Children are to hold their tempers and release any frustrations in a positive manner since clubs are dangerous.
- No talking while the instructors are going over rules, class plans and expectations. If you have a question, please raise your hand like you would in school.
- ASK an instructor before you do anything. (bathroom break, moving around the room, retrieving balls etc.)
- Wait for the Instructor to tell you that you can swing in between instruction or demonstration and your time to try it yourself. Genesis will use the terms "Setup Your Stance" as a cue, which means they can swing thereafter.

We operate on a "3 strikes and you're out" system when it comes to discipline.

- Strike #1: Verbal warning about misconduct
- Strike #2: Participant will be placed in "time-out" from class activity due to repeated disruptions. Time in "time out" based on the given situation.
- Strike #3: Participant will be removed from class for the day and a meeting with the parents will be conducted.

Participants who remain disruptive after repeated correction from their instructor may be dismissed from the program.