



**2019: 93rd Annual!**

**Championship: May 20-22**  
 Pro-Am Benefiting Folds of Honor:  
 May 18-19  
 KENT, WA – Meridian Valley CC



The Washington Open Invitational dates back to 1922. In that year, young Al Espinosa captured the crown at Yakima CC. Famous names in the champions list include Al and Emery Zimmerman, Al Mengert (who holds the record for most consecutive wins), Senior Tour Player Rick Acton and PGA Tour Player Fred Couples. In 2016, Jeff Coston claimed his fifth Muckleshoot Casino Washington Open Invitational title, tying him with legend Chuck Congdon in the most Washington Open Championships of all time. The current tournament record of 200 is held by PGA Professional Tim Feenstra of Broadmoor GC (2011) and Jeff Gove (2012).

**Folds of Honor**  
 Folds of Honor is a 501 (C)(3) charitable foundation supporting scholarships and assistance to the spouses and children of those killed or disabled in military service to America. The Pro-Am event includes a golf tournament, dinner and silent auction that raises funds for Folds of Honor.

**Past Champions**



2018 - Ryan Benzel



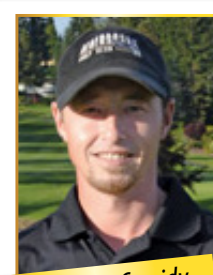
2017 - Drew McCullough



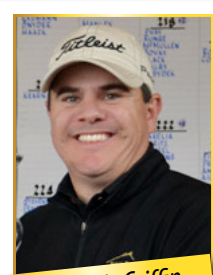
1996, 1999, 2001, 2010, 2016 - Jeff Coston



2015 - Darren Black



2014 - John Cassidy



2013 - Chris Griffin

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**Watch**

Watch PGA Professional Ryan Benzel of Sahalee CC attempt to defend the title against 168 PGA Professionals and top amateurs from the Northwest! Admission and parking are free. To see if your local PGA Professional is playing, visit [pnwpga.com](http://pnwpga.com). Tee times will be posted by Friday, May 10.

**Enter**

Amateurs with a current USGA handicap index of 8.0 or less are eligible to enter. Enter online at: <https://www.pnwpga.com/event/2019-muckleshoot-casino-washington-open-invitational/>

**Meridian Valley CC**

Meridian Valley Country Club opened on July 1, 1967. This exceptional 18-hole layout was designed by Ted Robinson, one of the nation's leading golf course architects, who chose the site for its stunning views. MVCC hosted the Washington Open Invitational in 1972, 1976, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2009 and 2013-2018 as well as the SAFECO Classic from 1982-1999.

