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### Youth Player Development Grant Best Practice

#### Utilizing Training Aids for Youth Player Development.

Our grant was utilized for the purchase of five putting arcs, two Orange Whips and an Orange Peel for use with our Junior programs (primarily PGA Junior League and First Tee).

Over the course of the season, we set up the aids during practice and worked the youngsters through stations to learn about the tempo of the swing, the balanced body throughout and making putting strokes that are rhythmic, aimed and on plane. We were extremely happy to have additional “feel” oriented equipment as these young people respond very well to that type of coaching. The purchase will have an effect on our programs for years to come as these are well manufactured, durable tools.

