Date submitted: 11/21/07       Date approved:

Department and Course Number: PE 2005

Title of Course: Advanced Golf

Number of credits: Lecture 2   Lab

Catalog/Course Description:
A course for those interested in developing skill beyond the beginning level. Emphasis on the short game, reading a putt. (Additional fee; student provides own equipment)

Placement for Success prerequisites: (See instruction sheet)
(Prerequisite: PE 1004 Beginning Golf, one year experience, or consent of instructor)

Reading: English/Writing: Math:

Recommended course materials and resources, e.g. textbooks, workbooks, study guides, lab manuals, videos, guest lecturers. If applicable.

Textbook: Golf, Detty Moore, McGraw Hill Publisher, 2004; own equipment-golf clubs, tees; additional fee is green fees and fee at the driving range.

Students are expected to attend all lectures and working sessions, participate in all activities and discussion, listen to and follow directions, complete assignments on time, and request assistance when needed. Students are expected to assist with equipment when necessary. Attendance and class participation are critical in this class.

Women's Golf Video, and Wally Armstrong's Golf Videos (set of 3). Students will research a topic related to golf and submit a written paper with two outside sources.

Special Information
This class is intended for students of all ages and abilities. Any individuals who
have not participated in physical activities are advised to consult a physician before participating. Any history of disease or disability requiring limited participation should be reported to the instructor. Activity classes even under the safest possible conditions can be hazardous. Safety rules must be followed to minimize the risk of injury.

Relationship of proposed course to the department mission and goals

This course develops skills in an individual sport of golf. It meets the department mission by providing instruction in a lifetime physical activity. It meets the College Goal of Wellness.

Wellness is the recognition and incorporation of healthy behaviors into one's lifestyle. The department of PE recognizes the value of participation in fitness and recreational activities as one of many important behaviors for the development of a wellness lifestyle. This course may contribute to your implementation of appropriate wellness behaviors.

Course goals:

Goal: To develop abilities (physical, cognitive, fitness, affective) necessary to participate in lifetime individual sport-golf.
Goal: To acquire a positive attitude toward physical activity and the knowledge and skills to develop and maintain an appropriate fitness level.

Learning outcomes: (A minimum of one learning outcome shall be provided for each course goal)

State a minimum of two assessment instruments for each learning outcome.

Outcome: To identify and appropriately use terminology, rules, etiquette and safety during play.
  Assessment: Written exam
  Assessment: Self assessment
Outcome: To summarize the historical evolution of the game of golf.
  Assessment: Written exam
Outcome: To demonstrate the ability to execute the following fundamentals:
  Full swing with wood, full swing with iron, an individualized putting technique, half swing approach shot-chipping and pitching.
  Assessment: Self assessment
  Assessment: AAHPERD skill tests
  Assessment: Game scores
Outcome: To apply strategies during the game of: club selection, stroke swing.
   Assessment: Self assessment
   Assessment: Game scores pre/post
   Assessment: Written exam
Outcome: To score a game of golf.
   Assessment: Completed score card
   Assessment: Written exam

Course content:
(Provide an outline of major topics covered in course)

-Brief History of Golf
-Selection of Equipment-Club Length, Shoes, Putter
-Safety on Driving Range
-Terminology/Etiquette
-Technique of Golf Swing: Grip, Stance, Body Position, Swing, Addressing the Ball
-Technique of Chipping, Pitching, Sand
-Technique of Putting: Grip and Reading the Green
-Play from "Uneven Lie"
-Role of Golf as a Lifetime Activity in a Wellness Lifestyle

Placement for Success prerequisite
Check one of each area—English, reading, and math

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