



## **The First Tee of Orange County is Relocating to Dad Miller**

The First Tee of Orange County is excited to announce we will be moving our home facility to Dad Miller Golf Course (430 N. Gilbert Street, Anaheim, CA 92801). The First Tee of Orange County, whose mission is to impact the lives of young people by providing educational programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values and promote healthy choices through the game of golf, will be able to better serve our participants, families, volunteers and stakeholders at our new home. Our character education is based on Nine Core Values: Honesty, Integrity, Sportsmanship, Respect, Confidence, Responsibility, Perseverance, Courtesy and Judgment.

The Anaheim City Council unanimously approved The First Tee of Orange County's agreement, allowing them to provide two classrooms and office space on property adjacent to the Dad Miller Driving Range. "We are excited about the opportunity for The First Tee of Orange County to reach even more youth golfers across Orange County," said Gail Courtney, Executive Director. "Our new home at Dad Miller Golf Course will provide our participants and their families an expanded golf experience with the 18-hole course." The First Tee of Orange County programming will begin October 1, 2018 at the new facility.

"We are honored to be the new home of The First Tee of Orange County as this will have a very positive impact on our community. I am especially excited for all the young people who will learn the character-building benefits of playing the game of golf." Said Michael Lautenbach, Golf Manager, City of Anaheim, Anaheim Hills Golf Course/Dad Miller Golf Course

"Over the past five years, The First Tee of the Orange County has experienced amazing growth. In that short time, The First Tee has impacted over 15,000 young people through our Life Skills Experience Programming at golf courses across Orange County. The First Tee of Orange County continues to grow its outreach efforts by partnering with more schools and after-school locations and will impact hundreds of young people in 2018," said Larry Mastrovich, President of the Board of Directors.

Over the next few weeks the staff will be moving into their new space and plan to host a grand opening event in the near future to celebrate the new home!

Families interested in enrolling their children or grandchildren in programming can visit <https://www.thefirstteeorangecounty.org/> and click the REGISTER button on the top right of the page. As a nonprofit, we always welcome donations; please feel free to donate on our website at: <https://www.thefirstteeorangecounty.org/donate/>

### **About The First Tee of Orange County**

The First Tee of Orange County is a youth development nonprofit organization dedicated to impacting the lives of young people in Orange County, California by providing educational programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values and promote healthy choices through the game of golf, offering programs specifically designed for young people ages 4 to 17. For more information, visit <https://www.thefirstteeorangecounty.org/>. The First Tee of Orange County offers programming throughout the entire county and are always seeking volunteers for coaching and other rewarding opportunities.

### **About Dad Miller Golf Course**

Dad Miller Golf Course, located at 430 N. Gilbert Street, Anaheim, CA 92801, is an 18-hole, par 71 course, featuring a lake, with lovely trees surrounding the fairways, and is easily walked. The practice center at Dad Miller offers chipping green and a night-lighted driving range. The facility includes a snack bar and restaurant. Conveniently located in North Anaheim near the 91 and 5 Freeways, Dad Miller is an easily accessible golf course from anywhere in Orange County and Los Angeles. Its walkability and fun yet challenging golf experience have deemed it the best value golf experience in Orange County.