



TENNESSEE

TEACHER & COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNERS

Established in 1986, the PGA Teacher of the Year Award bestows special recognition on a PGA golf professional who has excelled at teaching and coaching the game of golf. The award is presented to an individual based upon their:

- Overall performance as a golf professional at his/her facility
- Leadership ability, image, and the ability to inspire fellow golf professionals
- Use of teaching aids and the ability to illustrate their effectiveness
- Involvement in junior golf activities at the facility and in the community
- Service to his/her Section and the Association
- Promotion of golf
- Techniques for teaching small and large groups
- Articles written for publication in books and magazines

2025 Ben Pellicani

2024 T.J. Yeaton

2023 Ben Pellicani

2022 Brian Lackey

2021 Joe Hallett

2020 Braxton Hunter

2019 Jake Reeves

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2015 Virgil Herring

2014 Bruce Etter

2013 Joe Hallett

2012 Brian Lackey

2011 Rob Akins

2010 Randy Wylie

2009 Will Taylor

2008 Brian Lackey

2007 Drew Côté

2006 Eric Rebmann

2005 Des Mahoney

2004 Johnny Warren

2003 Virgil Herring

2002 Rob Akins

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2000 Nancy Quarcelino (Spring '00) John Wylie

1999 (Fall '99) Brad Redding

1998 Brad Redding

1997 Nancy Quarcelino

1996 Brad Redding

1995 Tom Berndt

1994 Brad Redding

1993 Brad Redding

1992 Mason Rudolph & Brad Redding

1991 Rob Rennell

1990 Gary Toulson

1989 Nancy Quarcelino

1988 Gary Toulson

1987 Jeff Cox

1986 Dave Ragan, Jr.