

PROFILES

NZPGA Golf Professionals



Quenton Diment

I am a Triple A NZPGA Golf Professional currently at the Northland Golf Club.

I have had 23 years of golf coaching experience:

- World Secondary School Champions 2012 and 2013
- NZ School Champions 2012 and 2013
- NZ Women's Strokeplay Champion 2009
- NZ Matchplay Champion 2013
- NZ U21 Strokeplay and Matchplay Champion 2004
- NZ National Women's Teams Champion (x3)
- Korean and Japanese Golf Academies.



Michael MacDonald

My current role as Northland Golf Development Manager involves coordinating the Golf Northland player development programme, as well as organising tournaments and competitions.

I have been representing Northland at both Senior and Junior levels over the past eight years winning multiple club senior championships at my home club of Northern Wairoa on Northlands west coast.

My qualifications are Bachelor of Sport and Recreation (AUT), Diploma of Sport and Recreation (NorthTec) and PGA Gateway Coach.



Lee Neumann

I am 22 years old and in the final year of completing my Sport and Recreation degree through AUT. I have been a Northland Junior and Senior representative since 2008. In 2012 I was the Northland Under 21 and Under 23 Champion, as well as the New Zealand Māori Golf National Champion.

Currently I am the Players' Representative for the Northland Men's Golf Committee and assist with the development of the Northland Golf Academy.

I feel hugely fortunate to have grown up in a place where golf is easily accessible so it's an exciting prospect to share our amazing courses with other avid golfers!

NorthTec Sport and Recreation Staff Members



Dan Clark

Currently I am the Programme Leader for Conservation & Environmental Management and Sport & Recreation at NorthTec managing all the programmes in these areas as well as coordinating the AUT and Unitec degrees.

I have been lecturing at NorthTec since 2006 in Sport and Recreation up to Level 7. In 2009 – 2010 I was the winner of the NorthTec Excellence in Tertiary Teaching Award.

I have a passion for implementing ICT into our programmes. Our Level 6 and 7 students are currently taught using iPads, we run Sportscode Gamebreaker and Silicon coach analysis software and we have a new set of GPS trackers along with a set of wireless timing lights.



Bobby Newport

I have been with NorthTec Sport and Recreation since 2008 teaching across our programme. My primary topic focus is Coaching and Skill Acquisition, but I also teach Sociology and Professional Studies, and I am currently the lead tutor on an iPad Project that we are running with our Level 6 Diploma students.

In my free time I enjoy a good round of golf when I get out there.



Kelly McCallum

I have been a Sport and Recreation tutor at NorthTec for a year and a half. My focus is in fitness and developing programmes for athletes.

Previously I was working with the Japan Rugby Union in the High Performance Department coaching and developing their national rugby 7s programme. Before that for 12 years I used to teach at international school all over the world.



OUTLINE

The 4-week Golf School programme developed especially for international students by NorthTec Sports and Recreation offers participants an integrated coaching practice. Students will have a chance to improve their game through regular sessions with local NZPGA golf professionals, as well as utilising the latest in sport technology.

Participating students will also have the opportunity to play on some of the regions finest golf courses and will be introduced to unique Northland tourist attractions and cultural experiences. Students who wish to enrol in further study can pathway into the 3-year AUT Bachelor of Sports and Recreation degree delivered fully on our Whangarei campus.

GOLF COACHING

NorthTec Golf School students will have half of their programme time scheduled on golf courses. They will spend four sessions a week at Northland Golf Club being coached by Quenton Diment, the club's current Triple A NZPGA professional, as well as working with fellow pros, Michael MacDonald, Lee Neumann and Caroline Bonn.

Participants will also get the opportunity to play a round each at selected local golf clubs where they will no doubt enjoy the beautiful scenery and warm kiwi hospitality of the 'Winterless North'.

SPORT TECHNOLOGY

Participants will also have regular access to the latest technology and software at local state-of-the art sport facilities to improve their game:

- **SportsCode Gamebreaker**, a coach analysis software that captures video footage from several different angles, available at ASB Stadium through NorthTec <http://sportstec.com/products/sportscodelite-plus-10>
- **Ubersense**, a slow-motion sport technique analysis programme, available at ASB Stadium through NorthTec <http://www.ubersense.com/sports/golf>
- **SAM PuttLab**, the ultimate putting training system, offered as part of the Whangarei Boys' High School Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis academy, along with Balance Lab that measures weight transfer, and Flightscope, a ball flight monitor <http://www.samputtlab.com/>

HOMESTAY

Our caring local homestays welcome students as family members and give them a first-hand experience of the 'Kiwi' way of life, as well as a chance to practice speaking English every day.

Homestay is a popular option with our short-term students as a comfortable and convenient form of accommodation with all meals, transport and extra support provided.

COST

The package price of NZ\$4,500 including club hire, golf lessons, activities, transport, homestay accommodation and insurance. Participants are required to bring their own iPad.

DATES

Proposed future course dates: October 2014 and February 2015

NORTHLAND GOLF CLUB

www.northlandgolfclub.co.nz



Situated just 10km from the NorthTec campus, Northland Golf Club is a par 71, 18-hole course set in a peaceful scenic valley with fairways lined by flowering native trees which attract many varieties of native birds.

This classical inland course is just over 5650 metres off the championship tees and with its several meandering streams and ponds offers a fair but genuine challenge to golfers of all levels all year round.



Northland Golf Club has always nurtured upcoming talent helping produce a number of local champions, past and present.

NORTHTEC GOLF SCHOOL PROGRAMME

The itinerary below has specifically been developed for the 4-week NorthTec Golf School programme:

| ITINERARY | | | | | | | |
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| WEEK 1 | SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
| AM | Arrive Auckland. Pick up Golf clubs, travel by vans to Whangarei | Orientation, welcome to NorthTec, Raumanga ICT Computer Logs on / iPads Communication | Introduction to ASB Stadium Sport & Recreation Course option | GOLF at local Club | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Day with Homestay host families |
| PM | Arrive at NorthTec, picked up by Homestay families | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Introduction to Golf Analysis School WBHS | Picnic at Ruakaka beach | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Friendly Golf Tournament @ Northland Golf Club (with members & meal afterward) | |
| WEEK 2 | SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
| AM | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Introduction to Ubersense ASB Stadium | Ubersense ASB Stadium | Treaty Ground Waitangi | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Day with Homestay host families |
| PM | Afternoon with Homestay host families | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | GOLF at local Club | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Friendly Golf Tournament @ Northland Golf Club (with members & meal afterward) | |
| WEEK 3 | SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
| AM | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Introduction to Sportscode ASB Stadium | Sportscode ASB Stadium | Cape Reigna Day Trip | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Day with Homestay host families |
| PM | Afternoon with Homestay host families | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Friendly Golf Tournament @ Northland Golf Club (with members & meal afterward) | |
| WEEK 4 | SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
| AM | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Level 5 sport and recreation student for a day Applied Practice | Level 5 sport and recreation student for a day Applied Practice | GOLF at local club | Golf Driving Range Swing Analysis WBHS | Friendly Golf Tournament @ Northland Golf Club (with members & meal afterward) | DEPART WHANGAREI |
| PM | Afternoon with Homestay host families | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | Kauri Forest | GOLF @ Northland Golf Club | | |

