



OPTIMIST CLUB OF AURORA INC.

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## Press Release Junior Golf Tournament

The Optimist Club of Aurora will hold its 3rd Annual Optimist Junior Qualifying Golf Tourney at St. Andrew's Valley Golf Club in Aurora on Sunday May 30, 2010. All youth (boys and girls) aged 10 to 18 may compete. Eighteen-year-olds must not turn 19 before August 1, 2010. Age groups for competition are as follows:

10-11 Years

12-13 Years

14-15 Years

16-18 Years

A winner will receive a trophy in each age group, provided there are a minimum of six players in the age group. The top two golfers in each age group (providing their score qualifies them) will also be invited to the Central Ontario District Tourney to be held on Monday, June 21, 2010 at Caledon Country Club in Inglewood, Ontario. Two finalists at the Central Ontario District Tourney will then qualify for all expenses-paid trip to the Optimist International Golf Championships to be held July 22 – August 1 at the PGA National Golf & Spa in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida.

Tiger Woods, six-time winner of the Optimist International Junior Golf Championships, had this to say about Optimist Junior Golf:

*"It was an important part of my golf development as a child. The chance to compete at that high a level against other strong junior golfers was not one that I had often, so I always appreciated the opportunities that I had to compete in the tournament. I was fortunate to win six times at the Optimist Junior World of Golf Tournament, and each one of those wins was a very important stepping stone in my playing career."*

To register for the Optimist Club of Aurora Junior Golf Tournament, you may:

- call Greg Way at (905) 713-2570
- by e mail at [g\\_jway@sympatico.ca](mailto:g_jway@sympatico.ca)
- applications are also be available at St. Andrews Valley Golf Club and on our Club website [www.auroraoptimist.com](http://www.auroraoptimist.com)

For more information on the Central Ontario District Junior Golf Qualifying Tournament, please go to <http://www.cenon.org/programs/junior-golf.html>

For more information on the Optimist International Junior Golf Tournament, please go to <http://www.optimist.org/GolfersMenu.cfm>

Cost is \$70.00 per golfer which includes 18 holes, lunch, and prizes. The registration deadline is May 26, 5:00 p.m.

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