

THE INSIDE PITCH

2026 March Edition

THE PERFECT GAME FOUNDATION® is a 501(c)(3) Non Profit that was created in April of 2011 to assist those who aspire to a working career in sports.

TPGF Golfers and Friends ... TPGF Golf '26 is July 13 @ TPC Potomac.

Come join us for a great day of golf and fun!

As you may know, TPGF does a once-a-year Golf Tournament as a Fund Raiser and at that event we have a Silent Auction. Once again, we will be offering a few Auction Items ahead of the Tournament.

There are three Auction Items below that are available now!

Remembering TPGF Golf '25 with this video!



Also in this edition of the Inside Pitch you'll hear from
Fellows Ben Hoffman, Kat Vanbelleghem, and Julia Boller.

This year in addition to Publishing The Inside Pitch the Tournament and Auction will be
managed by Fellow Sanah Hathiramani with
Pre Game and Game Day support provided by TPGF Fellows

They all look forward to meeting you on Game Day at TPC Potomac July 13!

Down below you'll find 2 Auction Items for early purchase

1. This online Auction will close April at 5pm EDT - Bids/Purchases can be placed by replying to Del.Wilber@perfectgamefound.org.

2. Minimum bids are noted for each item.

3. A "Buy it Now" price is also noted in case anyone wants to skip the Auction process.
Again, reply to Del.Wilber@perfectgamefound.org for a 'Buy It Now' purchase.

First Auction Item:

A foursome at the beautiful Wyndemere CC in Naples, FL between now and October 15, 2026

Value: Not commercially available (private club)

Minimum Bid: \$400

Buy it Now: \$600

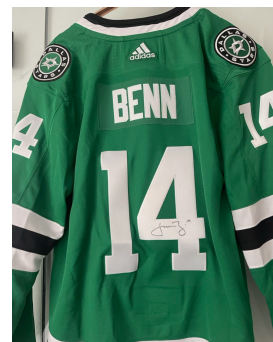


Second Auction Item:

Autographed Dallas Stars Game Jersey by Captain Jamie Benn

Minimum Bid: \$150

Buy It Now: \$250



Third Auction Item:

Autographed Game Jersey by Miami Dolphins
2 time Super Bowl Champion and Hall of Fame QB Bob Griese

Minimum Bid: \$300

But It Now: \$450



Of course, we will be available to answer any questions.

Sanah's Sentiments



Hi Everyone,

I can't believe we're already gearing up for this year's Annual Golf Tournament! This event has a special energy to it. There's something about getting everyone together around a shared love of sports and good company that just never gets old.

Honestly, planning events is something I've always loved. Big or small, a birthday, a dinner party, or something like this, there's nothing quite like watching all the moving pieces slowly fall into place. But what really makes it worth it is you all. Seeing the excitement, hearing the feedback, and getting to build real relationships along the way - that's the part I'll always remember.

I'm so grateful to be doing this alongside Del, the board members, our incredible Fellows, our sponsors, and everyone else who's been part of making this happen. I look forward to seeing everyone in July!

Ben's Byline



Hello there, I'm Ben Hoffman, a 19-year-old freshman at James Madison University. The 14th TPGF Golf Tournament Fund Raisher is now in the works for July 14 at TPC Potomac. Hope you can join us and play!

This month I'll be focusing on the current NFL free agency period. Excitement and significant roster changes often follow the opening of free agency, and this year was the same. In an effort to improve their rosters ahead of the upcoming season, teams all across the league immediately started signing the best players available.

Kenneth Walker III's signing with the Kansas City Chiefs following an amazing postseason run was one of the biggest signings. Walker, a former Seattle Seahawks player, accepted a three-year contract worth roughly \$45 million. Kansas City now has a talented running back who recently won MVP of the Super Bowl and had an incredible playoff run.

In free agency, a number of other teams also made significant decisions. One of the more dedicated clubs was the Las Vegas Raiders, who signed a number of players to bolster its defense and offense. They went on a massive spending spree to bolster the club for the new season, adding players like Tyler Linderbaum, Quay Walker, and Kwity Paye.

Because it enables teams to quickly strengthen their rosters without waiting for the draft, free agency is always one of the most significant aspects of the NFL offseason. While some teams prioritize depth and long-term development, others concentrate on acquiring great players who can have an immediate impact. Fans will keep a close eye on how these new additions impact the team's performance and chances of making the playoffs the next season as the offseason progresses.

Which free agent acquisition do you believe will affect the NFL the most in the next season?

Julia's Corner



Hi, Julia Boller here, a freshman at Virginia Tech. Instead of “Julia’s Captures” for this month, I will be writing about the Virginia Tech men’s basketball team, and also what I did over spring break!

Unfortunately, despite such a talented roster with very high potential, Virginia Tech did not qualify for a spot in the NCAA Division I March Madness tournament. The season got off to a pretty hot start, beating UVA, which was nationally ranked. However, the team failed to close out a couple very close matches that would put them in a much better position of contention for the tournament. The team also declined an invite to the NIT, so their dancing is over for this year. I am looking forward to what recruits and management moves the team does this offseason, as it will be an important offseason with the continued promise the team holds, such as freshman Neoklis Avdalas.

This spring break, I went to visit family down in Naples, Florida. It was a much needed relaxing spring break, as I had just had my midterms the week prior. I went to the beach, played pickleball, and hung out with my family. It is crazy to me how there is only half a semester left in freshman year, it flew by really fast! This has definitely been my favorite year of school ever, and I really look forward to going back every time!

Next month, I will dive into Virginia Tech wrestling, and also spring at Virginia Tech! Look forward to seeing you at TPC Potomac for the TPGF Golf Fund Raiser!

Kat Vanbelleghem



Hi everyone!

It's been busy lately, but all good things. I moved to downtown DC in July and am now just three Metro stops from my office, which has been a huge upgrade from my previous 1.5 hour commute! I'm especially looking forward to warmer weather and the cherry blossoms in the spring.

Work has been going really well, and I've been learning so much in my new position. It's hard to believe there are less than two months left in the regular season! I'm already wrapping up my second season at Monumental. Time is flying by!

As always, I'm incredibly grateful for Del's continued support of both me and the foundation. The Perfect Game Foundation is so special!

A promotional poster for the 14th Annual Golf Tournament. The background is a lush green golf course. On the left, white text reads 'The Perfect Game Foundation' and '14TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT'. Below this is the TPC Potomac logo. On the right, a circular inset shows a golfer's hand in a white glove holding a golf club over a tee box. A golf ball with the TPGF logo is on the tee. At the bottom right, another golf ball with the TPGF logo is shown on a tee. A green banner at the bottom left contains the date 'JULY 13TH 2026'. A green box at the bottom right lists 'TPGF FUNDRAISER' options: Individual Golfer (\$500), Foursome (\$2,000), and Ambassador Foursome, with a 'Request Details' link.

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At TPC Potomac

JULY 13TH 2026

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