



Canada Summer Games 2009

The Newfoundland & Labrador Golf Association is pleased to announce our 2007 initiative to train our young golfers for the 2009 Canada Summer Games in Prince Edward Island.

“Going for the Games”

In conjunction to our new NLGA ***“Long Term Junior Development”*** initiative for 2007, NLGA will provide elite training under a progressive curriculum with cutting edge instruction methods for our promising young golfers.

The Canada Games Council Sport Committee has approved the eligible age for golf in the 2009 Canada Summer Games as **born on or after August 7, 1990.**

This training will be provided by CPGA Professionals and in accordance with the new “Long Term Player Development Guide for Golf in Canada”, recently introduced by RCGA and CPGA. This new guide provides a valuable roadmap as we develop a pathway to creating champions.

NLGA recently has named the first two members of the NLGA 2007 Provincial Coaching Team; CPGA Professionals, James Stick of St. John’s and Darlene Thomas of Corner Brook. It is anticipated that other CPGA Professionals within the province will be added to the team in the near future.

In cooperation with junior chairpersons in the province, NLGA is in the process of selecting eligible young golfers for inclusion in the 2007 ***“Going for the Games”*** training. Both the boys and girls teams will be comprised of three golfers. Interested young golfers should contact their club’s junior chairperson or for further information, please contact NLGA at exdirnlga@nl.rogers.com .