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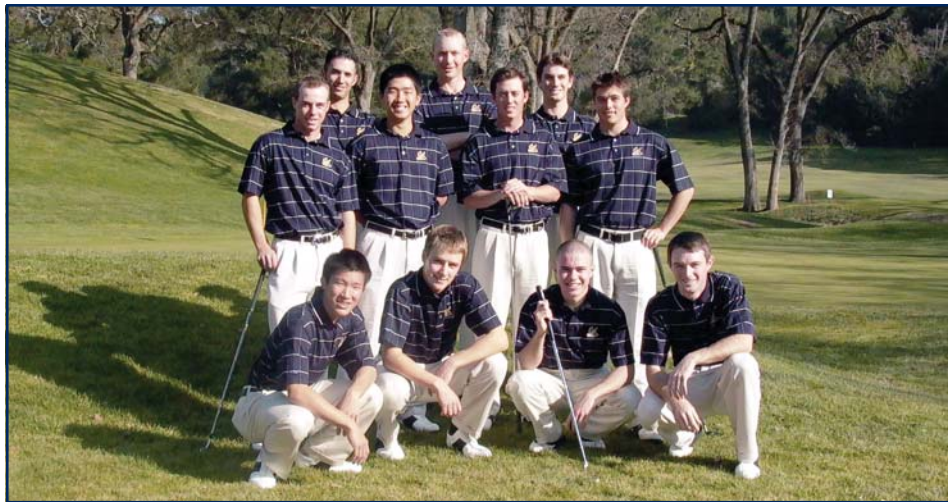
GOLDEN BEARS

Cal 2007 MEN'S GOLF MEDIA GUIDE

2007 CALIFORNIA GOLDEN BEARS MEN'S GOLF

CALIFORNIA MEN'S GOLF QUICK FACTS

Location: Berkeley, Calif.
 Enrollment: 32,000
 Founded: 1868
 Nickname: Golden Bears
 Colors: Blue (282) & Gold (116)
 Conference: Pacific-10
 Home Course: Orinda Country Club
 Chancellor: Robert Birgeneau
 Athletic Director: Sandy Barbour
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 2006 Pac-10 Finish: Seventh
 Returning Lettermen: 6
 Returning Redshirts: 1
 Lettermen Lost: 3
 Newcomers: 5
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2006-07 MEN'S GOLF ROSTER

Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown (Previous School)
Brandon Beck	5-11	150	Jr.	2V	Oak Park, Calif. (Oak Park HS)
Evan Derian	5-8	155	Fr.	HS	Manhattan Beach, Calif. (Mira Costa HS)
George Gandranata	5-9	165	So.	1V	Jakarta, Indonesia (The Pendleton School)
Chris Jensen	6-2	175	Fr.	HS	Los Altos, Calif. (St. Francis HS)
Michael Jensen	6-0	155	Jr.	2V	Los Altos, Calif. (St. Francis HS)
Andrey Mindirgasov	6-2	180	Fr.	HS	Pacific Grove, Calif. (Pacific Grove HS)
Erick Thorson	5-9	155	So.	1V	Westlake Village, Calif. (Moorpark College)
Michael Wilson	5-10	165	Sr.	3V	Pacific Grove, Calif. (Pacific Grove HS)
Freddy Wolfe	6-5	215	Jr.	1V	Palm Springs, Calif. (College of the Desert)
Kent Yamane	5-11	180	Jr.	JC	San Jose, Calif. (Chabot College)
John Yeun	5-8	140	Fr.	HS	Brea, Calif. (Brea Olinda HS)

Head Coach: Steve Desimone (Cal 1970, 28th year)
Assistant Coach: Walter Chun (Cal 2001, Third year)
Administrative Assistant: Curt David (Pacific 1989, Third year)
Volunteer Assistant: Gene Bakkum (UC Davis 2000, Third year)



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CAL GOLF VENUES



ORINDA COUNTRY CLUB

Orinda is the longtime home of the Golden Bears and the Cal Golf Committee. The course was the site of the 1988 and 1998 Pac-10 Championships and continues to host the Cal Golf Tournament, the cornerstone of the annual fundraising for the program.

**28th ANNUAL
CAL GOLF
TOURNAMENT**
September 17, 2007
Orinda Country Club
Orinda, Calif.

METROPOLITAN GOLF LINKS

Metropolitan is the primary practice facility for Cal Men's and Women's Golf. The practice facilities and course are located in Oakland next to the International Airport approximately 15 minutes from campus.

CAL GOLF CONSTRUCTING STATE-OF-THE-ART SHORT-GAME FACILITY

In a huge boost for California's men's and women's golf programs, the Golden Bears hope to begin utilizing a new short-game facility at the Metropolitan Golf Links in Oakland this spring. The Cal athletic department would like to thank everyone who combined to contribute approximately \$500,000 to bring the project to fruition. The lead donors were Judy Isaac, Pat and Kent Newmark, Ellen and Joffa Dale, Lon and Becci Haskew and Jay deBenedetti.

"This has been a dream of mine and Cal men's golf for 27 years and for the women's program since its inception in 1994-95," said men's head coach Steve Desimone. "The facility will help improve our players from 120 yards and in. Both teams can always be more efficient in that area. It will also help in terms of recruiting because it will make us more

competitive with the best programs in the country. For the first time, we will also be able to reach out to the community and host golf camps and clinics."

The programs broke ground on the privately-funded project in early September after a long planning process. The two-and-a-half acre state-of-the-art short-game facility is being constructed on the southwest corner of the Metropolitan Golf Links near the Oakland Airport. Built to United States Golf Association specifications, the facility will feature a 140-yard hitting area and two oversized greens - one for putting and chipping, and the other for the aerial game, including pitching and bunker play. After a winter lay-off, work will resume in March and is scheduled to be completed in May. After the "grow-in" phase, the facility is expected to be open for practice for the fall 2007 season.



Head Coach Steve Desimone sits atop pipes as he surveys construction progress at Cal's new short-game facility at Metropolitan Golf Links.





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BACK ROW (L-R) Assistant coach Walter Chun, Brandon Beck, Michael Jensen, Andrey Mindirgasov, Chris Jensen, Freddy Wolfe, assistant coach Gene Bakkum, head coach Steve Desimone.

FRONT ROW: Administrative assistant Curt David, Michael Wilson, Erick Thorson, John Yeun, Evan Derian, Kent Yamane, George Gandranata.

2006-07 CALIFORNIA MEN'S GOLF SCHEDULE

2006 FALL TOURNAMENTS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Days</i>	<i>Tournament</i>	<i>Host</i>	<i>Results</i>
Sept. 9-10	Sat.-Sun.	Gene Miranda Falcon Invitational Eisenhower Golf Club, Colorado Springs, Colo.	Air Force Academy	Third
Sept. 25-26	Mon.-Tue.	Opus NW Husky Invitational Washington National Golf Club, Auburn, Wash.	Washington	Fourth
Oct. 9-10	Mon.-Tue.	Alister MacKenzie Invitational The Meadow Club, Fairfax, Calif.	California	Champions
Oct. 16-17	Mon.-Tue.	The Prestige Greg Norman Course at PGA West, La Quinta, Calif.	Stanford/UC Davis	11th
Nov. 6-7	Mon.-Tue.	CordeValle Classic CordeValle Country Club, San Martin, Calif.	UCLA	14th tie

2007 SPRING TOURNAMENTS

Jan. 29-30	Mon.-Tue.	PING/Arizona Intercollegiate The Arizona National Golf Club, Tucson, Ariz.	Arizona	
Feb. 21-23	Wed.-Fri.	John Burns Intercollegiate Leilehua Golf Course, Wahiawa, Oahu, Hawaii	Hawaii	
Mar. 5-6	Mon.-Tue.	Ashworth Invitational North Ranch Country Club, Thousand Oaks, Calif.	USC	
Mar. 19-20	Mon.-Tue.	The Western Intercollegiate Pasatiempo Golf Club, Santa Cruz, Calif.	San Jose State	
Mar. 26-27	Mon.-Tue.	Duck Invitational Eugene Country Club, Eugene, Ore.	Oregon	
Apr. 13-15	Fri.-Sun.	ASU Thunderbird Invitational Karsten Golf Course, Tempe, Ariz.	Arizona State	
Apr. 23-25	Mon.-Wed.	Pac-10 Championship Eugene Country Club, Eugene, Ore.	Oregon	
May 17-19	Thu.-Sat.	NCAA Western Regionals Karsten Golf Course, Tempe, Ariz.	Arizona State	
May 30-June 2	Wed.-Sat.	NCAA Championships Golden Horseshoe Golf Club, Williamsburg, Va.	VCU	