



GOLF RESOURCES & PROGRAMS

Your Guide to Local Links and Youth Development

First Tee Metropolitan NY – Essex County

First Tee is a prominent youth development organization that introduces the game of golf and its inherent values to young people. The Essex County chapter seamlessly integrates a comprehensive life skills curriculum with golf instruction. By participating in their programs, kids and teens build character, learn leadership skills, and are empowered to face life's challenges—all while learning the fundamentals of the sport at local courses.

[Visit First Tee Essex County →](#)

Youth on Course

Youth on Course is a nationwide initiative dedicated to providing youth with affordable access to golf. Members (ages 6-18) can play rounds of golf for \$5 or less at thousands of participating courses across the country. Beyond affordable tee times, the program also offers high school scholarships, caddie programs, and networking opportunities, breaking down financial barriers to ensure the future of the game is accessible to everyone.

[Explore Youth on Course →](#)

Essex County Golf

The Essex County Golf system oversees three historic and beautifully maintained public golf courses: Francis Byrne Golf Course in West Orange, Hendricks Field Golf Course in Belleville, and Weequahic Golf Course in Newark. The official portal provides everything a golfer needs to know, including booking tee times, course layouts, tournament information, ID card registration, and daily rates. It serves as the central hub for public golf in the Essex County area.

[Book a Tee Time →](#)