

Bob Ford Bio:

There might not be a club professional in America who is more respected, more visible and who exhibits more professionalism than Bob Ford. Not only is he the Head Professional at Oakmont Country Club, but he spends the winter months serving as Head Professional at another historic club, Seminole Golf Club, in Juno Beach, FL both of which are annually ranked among America's top ten golf courses. The arrangement is unique among golf professionals, and only serves to crystallize the regard with which Ford is held in the golf industry.

Ford 52, is the consummate club professional- an outstanding merchandiser, a player with the ball-striking skills of a machine, a teacher who conveys the nuances of the game in an understandable fashion and, perhaps above all, a gentleman.

His track record as a player- ten appearances in the PGA Championship, three in the U.S. Open, nine time Player of the Year in the Tri-State PGA Section- is exceeded only by the manner in which he comports himself as the finest club pro in America.

-- Gerry Dulac
Pittsburgh Post Gazette

Head Professional

Oakmont Country Club	Oakmont, PA	1980-Present
Seminole Golf Club	Juno Beach, FL	2000-Present

Bob Ford's Achievements and Awards

Playing Achievement

3 Time U.S. Open Contestant
10 Time PGA Championship Contestant
5 Time PGA Cup Team Member
3 Time Pennsylvania Open Champion
2 Time Pennsylvania PGA Champion

Advisory Boards (Currently Serving)

TaylorMade/Adidas/ Maxfli
Polo Ralph Lauren
Fownes Foundation
First Tee in Pittsburgh

Awards & Achievements

1985 National PGA Merchandiser of the Year
1986 Tri-State PGA Horton Smith Award
1987 Tri-State PGA Teacher of the Year
1987 National Club Professional of the Year
1988 National Club Professional Player of the Year
1994-1998 President TSPGA
1996 Allegheny Kiski-Valley Sports Hall of Fame
1997 National PGA Merchandiser of the Year
1998 Western Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame

2005 PGA Professional Hall of Fame
2006 University of Tampa Sports Hall of Fame

Co-Author of a golf instructional book:
GOLF: THE BODY, THE MIND, THE GAME