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The following products were tested and recommended by PGA TOUR Partners Club members. The Member Rating is based on a 1-10 scale with 10 Excellent, 7 Good, 4 Fair and 1 Poor.



Wilson Staff Di9 Irons

800-622-0444, www.wilsongolf.com, \$499 steel/\$599 graphite

MEMBER RATING: 8.7 BEST FEATURE: FEEL

The low-profile, wide-sole Wilson Staff Di9 irons have a toe-friendly cavity design that extends the sweetspot toward the toe, where most mis-hits occur. A vibration-dampening urethane insert improves feel, and each eight-iron set comes with approach and gap wedges.

Bob Johnson, Waconia, MN: "The Di9 irons install confidence at address and are packed full of forgiveness. My mis-hits are hardly noticeable."



Tiger Shark Golf GreenSpeed Putter

586-758-7807, www.tigersharkgolf.com, \$79 Tiger Shark grip/\$99 SuperStroke grip

MEMBER RATING: 8.8 BEST FEATURE: DURABILITY

Available in five clubhead models, GreenSpeed putters have adjustable rear weighting, allowing players to customize them for feel and green speeds. Each face-balanced clubhead has a matte finish for reduced glare and double-milled face grooves for a no-skid roll.

Phil Palmeri, Binghamton, NY: "The adjustable weights are great for varying green conditions and the oversized SuperStroke grip reduces pulled or pushed putts."

Nickent Golf 5DX Ironwood

888-NICKENT, www.nickentgolf.com, \$199

MEMBER RATING: 8.7 BEST FEATURE: QUALITY

Available in 10 loft options, the stainless steel Nickent 5DX Ironwood has wings on the back of the clubhead to optimize the center of gravity and provide forgiveness. The lightweight face gives consistent ball speed, and the cambered sole, with a beveled leading edge, makes it easy to hit from any lie.

Terry Sterricker, Clermont, FL: "The 5DX fits my eye very well, is forgiving and gives me more control and distance than any other fair-way wood or hybrid I've tried."



Antigua Golf Echo Shirt

800-528-3133, www.antigua.com, \$65

MEMBER RATING: 9.5 BEST FEATURE: APPEARANCE

The Antigua Echo shirt is made from a 100 percent polyester. Its Desert Dry moisture management fabric absorbs and wicks moisture quickly and evenly to keep you comfortable and dry. It has a two-button placket, pearlized buttons, flat knit collar, open sleeves and side slits.

John Barbahen, Alsip, IL: "The Echo shirt looks fantastic, is lightweight, extremely comfortable and it moves with you when swinging your clubs."

Starting Time Master Clean

800-851-5442, www.startingtimegolf.com, \$12.95

MEMBER RATING: 7.9 BEST FEATURE: EASE OF USE

The Master Clean is a lightweight and durable golf ball and club cleaner. Simply wet the interior of the Master Clean, clip it to a golf bag or place it in your pocket, and it is ready to quickly remove dirt, mud and grass from balls and golf clubs.

Betty Harden, Bakersfield, CA: "Finally a ball and club cleaner that doesn't take up room, is always near by and it cleans balls and clubs better than a towel."

Club members tested products for this issue totaling more than \$23,000.

GO LOW GOLF, Inc. PRO TOUR CARD Training Aid

888-584-6569, www.protourcard.com, \$19.95

MEMBER RATING: 8.0 BEST FEATURE: VERSATILITY

Designed by a professional golfer and instructor, the PRO TOUR CARD is a compact training aid offering more than a dozen game-improvement drills that give golfers immediate visual feedback. It comes with an instructional DVD, instructions for proper drill techniques, and can be used indoors.

Larry Galuppo, La Quinta, CA: "It addresses key areas of the game and it made a huge improvement in my chipping and putting technique."



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