



**Allen Wronowski, PGA | President  
Hillendale Country Club, Phoenix, Md.**

The 37th President of The PGA of America, Allen Wronowski is the PGA director of golf at Hillendale Country Club in Phoenix, Md., a facility that he has served since 1979, beginning as an assistant professional, then PGA head professional (1990) before being named PGA director of golf (2010). Wronowski's record of service to the Association includes a term as District 10 Director on the PGA Board of Directors from 1995-2000, when he demonstrated his passion to enhance player development. As a national officer, Wronowski has expanded upon this initiative by supporting the core values of PGA Professionals and their impact upon junior golf, minorities and diversity.

He has served as chair for the 2009-10 PGA Professional National Championship, 2007-08 Junior PGA Championship and PGA Board of Control. In addition, he has served as co-chair of the National PGA Junior Golf Committee and as a board member of the Folds of Honor Foundation since 2009.

A native of Baltimore, Wronowski fell in love with the game of golf as a high school junior, so much so that he eventually decided to turn professional in 1976. Wronowski became active in Section governance soon after being elected to PGA membership in 1981, and has served on the Middle Atlantic PGA Section board of directors since 1996, holding all offices and representing the Section at the national level. Wronowski's impact with the Middle Atlantic PGA included creating a business plan for the Board and committees that is still a standard today; implementing a mentoring program that continues to be utilized by all chapters; and guiding an investment fund that increased Section reserves to \$1.9 million, and led to a permanent headquarters in Stafford, Va.

In 1999, the Middle Atlantic PGA named Wronowski its Section Golf Professional of the Year; and in 2002, he earned the MAPGA Bill Strausbaugh Award for his behind-the-scenes work on employment efforts for the members of the Section. Wronowski was also named the 1984 Middle Atlantic Assistant Golf Professional of the Year.

Elected to national office as PGA Secretary in 2006, Wronowski became Vice President in 2008. He was elected PGA President on Nov. 6, 2010. Wronowski and his wife, Gail, live in Bel Air, Md.



**Ted Bishop, PGA | Vice President  
The Legends Golf Club, Franklin, Ind.**

PGA Vice President Ted Bishop served as District 6 Director on the PGA Board of Directors and since 1991 has worked as general manager and PGA director of golf at The Legends Golf Club in Franklin, Ind. He was elected PGA Secretary in 2008 and PGA Vice President on Nov. 6, 2010. Bishop is well-versed in virtually every aspect of Association governance. He has served on the PGA Board of Directors since 2006, and from 2002-05 served on the PGA Board of Control (BOC), where he evaluated hundreds of membership cases. He later served as Chairman of the BOC while PGA Secretary.

As PGA Vice President, Bishop oversees the finances of The PGA of America. He also was chairman of the PGA Membership Committee and served on the PGA Budget and PGA Properties Committees. He is a past chair of the PGA Code of Ethics Task Force. Bishop served as Chair of the PGA Professional National Championship in 2009-10, and will repeat the task in 2011-12.

In 1991, Bishop oversaw the construction and development of The Legends Golf Club, a 45-hole complex that is the home of the Indiana PGA Section and Indiana Golf Association. Bishop played a key role in the organization of the Indiana Golf Foundation. His efforts in the early 1990s helped establish the Indiana Golf Academy and the expansion of the Indiana Golf Hall of Fame.

After graduating from Purdue University with a Bachelor's Degree in Agronomy in 1976, Bishop began his professional career as a PGA Professional and superintendent at the Phil Harris Golf Course in Linton, Ind. Elected to PGA membership in September 1985, he has served in a leadership capacity at either the Section or National levels since 1989. From 1997-98, Bishop served as president of the Indiana PGA Section. He was named the 1998 Indiana PGA Golf Professional of the Year. He is also a two-time (1996-97) Section Bill Strausbaugh Award recipient and the Section 1991 Horton Smith Award winner. Bishop was a four-time Indiana Open qualifier with three holes in ones to his credit. He has twice been awarded the prestigious Sagamore of the Wabash by the Governor of Indiana for service to the communities that he has resided in.

He and his wife, Cindy, live in Franklin, Ind., and are the parents of Ashely Davidson, a membership director at The Legends Golf Club; and Ambry Bishop, a PGA assistant professional at St. Andrews Golf Club in Hastings-on-Hudson, N.Y., and the head women's golf coach at St. John's University.

## PGA OFFICERS



### **Derek Sprague, PGA | Secretary Malone Golf Club, Malone, N.Y.**

PGA Secretary Derek Sprague served as District 1 Director on the PGA Board of Directors from 2007 to 2010, and serves as PGA general manager and head professional at Malone Golf Club in Malone, N.Y. He was elected PGA Secretary on Nov. 6, 2010.

Sprague enters national office having served since 1998 in a leadership capacity at both the Section and National levels. He began service on the Northeastern New York PGA Board of Directors in 1998, and served as Section president from 2003 to 2004.

At the National level, Sprague was a member of the PGA Employment Committee (1995-2001); and is a member of the PGA Affinity-Affiliate (2008-present); PGA Finance (2008-present) and PGA Budget (2009-present) Committees.

Sprague turned professional in 1989, beginning his professional career at Malone Golf Club. He was elected to PGA membership in 1993.

He was named the 2005 and 2008 Northeastern New York PGA Golf Professional of the Year. He is also a four-time Section Bill Strausbaugh Award recipient (2000-03); a two-time Section Merchandiser of the Year for public facilities (1998-99); and winner of the 2006 President's Plaque for outstanding contributions to player development.

Born in Malone, Sprague followed the lead of his late father in devoting himself to community service by serving since 2003 as a board member for the Malone Central School District. Since 2005, Sprague also has been a board member on the Greater Malone Community Fund.

Sprague is a 1988 graduate of James Madison University in Harrisonburg, Va., where he competed on the golf team and earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in marketing. He and his wife, Jennifer, live in Malone, N.Y., and are parents of a daughter, Alexandra, 15, and a son, Davis, 13.



### **Jim Remy, PGA | Honorary President Okemo Valley Golf Club, Ludlow, Vt.**

Jim Remy brings his insight in the business of golf and as a leader in Association affairs to the role of PGA Honorary President.

Elected in 2008 as the 36th PGA President, Remy became the first New England PGA Section member to ascend to the Association's highest office. During his term, Remy promoted the essential role that PGA members play throughout the industry, especially as a golf employer's most valuable asset for economic growth and development. Remy also campaigned for improving the general public's perception of the fitness and healthy lifestyle values of the game of golf.

Remy holds the distinction of having served in virtually every capacity within the areas of PGA governance, including an unprecedented six-and-a-half year term on the PGA Board of Control, which reviews and rules on membership issues.

Remy has also served in almost every capacity within the New England PGA Section, including as the Section's president from 1995-97. Among various awards, he was named the 1997 New England PGA Golf Professional of the Year and was inducted into the New England PGA Section Hall of Fame in 2008.

A PGA member since 1984, Remy is the vice president and general manager of the Okemo Golf Division at the Okemo Valley Golf Club in Ludlow, Vt. He began his career as a PGA assistant professional at Worcester (Mass.) Country Club, and later served as an assistant professional at Mount Pleasant Country Club of Boylston, Mass.

After accepting the PGA head professional position at Killington Golf Resort in Vermont in 1985, Remy became the PGA director of golf and summer sports, and eventually the PGA director of golf for the Vermont Divisions for S-K-I Ltd.

In late 1997, Remy accepted a position with Okemo Mountain Resort and became responsible for the construction and development of the Okemo Valley Golf Club. As vice president and general manager of the Okemo Golf Division, he is responsible for all aspects of one of New England's leading membership and resort facilities.

Remy and his wife, Darlene, live in Ludlow, Vt., and have a daughter, Niki.