

What they are saying about Golf Car Classics - Ron Lyons' Guide to Collecting Vintage Golf Cars

“Ron Lyons is a character, and this is meant in the most endearing way. He is interested in anything having to do with antique golf.

This passion has led him to assemble the greatest collection of antique golf cars in the world. In fact it is enough to start a golf car museum at his Legends Golf and Country Club. The amazing thing about his collection is that he has meticulously restored each addition which date back to 1949. This includes mechanical restoration so they all run today.

Without Ron's passion for golf cars a very important part of golf history would have been lost over time. Golf cars created the opportunity for millions of golfers to take up the game that would not have done so otherwise.

We all owe Ron a debt of gratitude for preserving this important piece of golf history.”

**Joe Black, Past President
PGA of America**

“I personally consider Ron Lyons to be the foremost authority in the world when it comes to old golf cars made before 1970. He has done an enormous amount of research collecting not only rare documents including original literature and ads but also collecting and restoring actual examples of these almost forgotten vehicles. He is the first person I go to when I come across a golf car I have never seen and also the last person. If he doesn't have the answer it has not been discovered yet!”

**Roderick Wilde, Owner
Vintage Golf Cart Parts, Inc.**

The History of golf has many manifestations. With this book Ron has excelled in bringing to life the narrative of golf cars, a product that is taken for granted today but has truly played a significant role in the fascinating and eclectic cultural evolution of America.”

You even have a rare image of Arnold in his “Birdie” golf car – an awkward moment for both vehicle and driver launching an enterprise that was not one of his most successful commercial ventures!

**Alastair Johnston
Arnold Palmer's long time agent and chairman of Arnold Palmer Enterprises**

I just returned home from a trip to Oak Harbor and your book was waiting for me on the counter. FANTASTIC! THANK YOU!! for sending it to me. It is grrrrrrreat in so many ways! I took a quick trip through the pages and was blown away, especially by the before and after shots. All those great golf carts, what an array of creativity and design, beauty and style!!! You have a gold mine sitting there on your golf course! Love those carts!

I wish you the greatest success with your book and continued collecting of these motorized fairway drivers!

**Jeff Ellis
Author, The Clubmaker's Art**

The book is awesome!!!! What a lot of work. The research is unbelievable and the pictures are priceless. This is a monumental work, my friend and you should be very proud. Thank you so much for sending Chris and me a copy of this fabulous effort and capturing a significant part of golf history.

Mike Hurdzan

Golf course architect of 400+ projects on 5 continents
