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AWARD – PATRIOT AWARD

RECIPIENT – BRYAN BROTCHE

EMPLOYER – RIVERMOOR GC

ELECTED TO PGA MEMBERSHIP – 2007

Hometown – Calimesa, CA

Current Residence – Williams Bay, WI

College – California State University, San Bernardino - B.S. in Kinesiology

Past Work Experiences

11 1/2 years at Geneva National as 1st Assistant (4 1/2), & Head Professional (7)

Favorite quote

"Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to become angry."

Favorite homemade meal – Carnitas Tacos

Favorite way to spend free time / hobbies / personal interests – Lots of travel, my goal is to play golf in all 50 states. I truly love observing & studying ocean life, Killer Whales especially, and would love to be able to spend more time around them in the wild.

Dream foursome and Venue - My Dad, my Brother, and my beautiful wife at Old Head in Ireland.

Golf Superstitions - The only thing would be the type of ball marker I use. I have a few favorites, an 1899 Morgan Silver Dollar, an SOWF coin, and several different Challenge coins.

What is the best thing to come out of the 2020 pandemic? I saw a rebirth in the love for playing golf. There are so many folks that I talked to and saw, that either started playing golf this year, or took it back up since it was a safe activity to participate in during this pandemic.

What are you most looking forward to in 2021? Definitely looking forward to having more group activities where we can connect socially with each other. I have some very dear friends in this state that I look forward to seeing more often than we could in 2020. I look forward to continuing to grow the programs and events that we have at Rivermoor GC to help our Military Veterans.

Best describe what it means to win this award?

Being awarded something like this is tremendously humbling, because it takes so many people to help make this happen. The connection that was birthed between the Special Operations Warrior Foundation (SOWF) and the membership at Geneva National is truly special and I hope lasts long after me. My fellow professionals that have help contribute to the cause, I will forever be indebted to them and thank them so much.

There are a lot of really good causes to support in our country, and many different options to choose from in regard to helping our nation's military veterans. The SOWF is amongst the most efficient in how they use the monies available to them and have a truly passionate leadership group committed to fulfilling promises made to our soldiers and their families.

