



**Stable mates**  
Nicklaus' two new drivers have high MOI to resist off-centre twisting.

## Jack unveils '08 range

Fastback and Drawback models boost forgiveness.

Nicklaus Golf has unveiled its updated Dual Point Technology drivers for 2008, with two models heading up the series. The Fastback and Drawback both aim to

optimise MOI by locating weight in the extremities of the clubhead. Both clubs also feature a 10g weight plug low and deep in the head for a squarer impact and higher

launch. The Drawback is aimed at slicers and is slightly offset.

Both cost £199 and will be available in March. [www.nicklausgolf.co.uk](http://www.nicklausgolf.co.uk)

### Product news 04/08



#### Calvin Klein to enter golf market with apparel range

Having conquered the casual clothing market, designer Calvin Klein is set to enter the uncharted territory of the golf industry. A preview of the new range at the PGA show in Orlando revealed clean lines and flat fronts in black, grey, white and tan. The collection will be available from June.

**More information:**  
[www.calvinklein.com](http://www.calvinklein.com)

#### Cleveland putters go milled

Cleveland Golf has updated its range of VP (Visual Performance) putters by offering an additional three putters that are CNC milled from 304 stainless steel. The new putters, called VP Milled, are also hand polished and will be available in the spring.

**More information:**  
[www.clevelandgolf.co.uk](http://www.clevelandgolf.co.uk)



#### Hill Billy gets makeover

Hill Billy has unveiled the new Terrain electric trolley, with a view to taking the successful brand to a more technically-savvy generation of golfers. The £289 Terrain features a lightweight frame, a powerful 200-Watt motor and a 26AH battery designed to cope with even the hilliest of courses. The new soft-touch grip can be used with either hand while the distance function enables total control.

**More information:**  
[www.hillbilly.co.uk](http://www.hillbilly.co.uk)

## Cobra goes top end

New irons have already won on Tour.

Perhaps more famed for its easy-to-use woods and hybrids, Cobra has made a significant entry into the advanced-player irons market with two new launches. The King Cobra Pro CB irons – with a forged cavity back – have already been used to great effect on the PGA Tour by JB Holmes, who won the FBR Open with them, and by staff player Camilo Villegas. The Pro MB irons, meanwhile, are a forged blade with a thinner topline and rounded sole camber. They are already being used by Ian Poulter and Jason Gore. Both models are available now, priced £632. Details: [www.cobragolf.co.uk](http://www.cobragolf.co.uk)



**New irons**  
Cobra's Pro CB and MB irons are now in the hands of top pro golfers.

## Gear Mole

He burrows into the bags of the big names on Tour

#### Five-star Tiger

Tiger Woods has replaced his T40 5-wood with a new 19-degree SasQuatch Sumo with a Diamana 103X shaft. Woods said: "I hit it a little bit further and it's a little bit better out of the rough."

#### Wilson irons triple

Pdraig Harrington used the Ci7 to win the Hassan Trophy; P17 irons helped Markus Brier win the Volvo China Open; and FG-59s helped DJ Trahan to the Bob Hope Chrysler Classic.

#### Howell goes back to trusty putter

Charles Howell III, having switched to Bridgestone irons and TaylorMade woods after leaving Callaway, has gone back to the putter he used in college; a Ping I-series B60.

#### Cale at the double

Mark Calaveecchia used two putters at the Mercedes Championship last month, using a standard Redwood Ping Anser on long putts and a Ping G5i Craze-E H belly putter for shorties.