

Skechers Performance™ Launches the New Spring 2017 GO GOLF Footwear Collection and Debuts a New Commercial Spot at the 2017 PGA Show

Skechers Performance Elite Athletes Team Up for the 2017 GO GOLF Campaign

MANHATTAN BEACH, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Skechers Performance™, a division of Skechers USA, Inc. (NYSE:SKX), will debut the first in a series of new GO GOLF commercial spots at the 2017 PGA Merchandise Show on January 24, 2017. The new campaign stars Skechers GO GOLF's roster of elite athletes including Matt Kuchar, Billy Andrade, Wesley Bryan, Russell Knox, Ashlan Ramsey, Belén Mozo and Brooke Henderson in various comedic settings. Visitors at the PGA Show and local Orlando residents will be able to see a sneak peek of the campaign in a limited release commercial spot on January 24th − 27th.



Skechers GO GOLF athletes from left to right: Russell Knox, Wesley Bryan, Matt Kuchar and Billy Andrade. (Photo: Business Wire)

The new campaign plays off of the fun, tongue-in-cheek tone of the previous "GO **GOLF Tips with Matt** Kuchar" campaign, but with fresh, new angles and new athletes. The new GO **GOLF** commercials will roll out several spots throughout 2017 in which viewers will hear what Matt Kuchar really thinks about while gearing up for his final putt at a Major (hint, hot dogs). They will also see a playful argument between

Belén Mozo and Brooke Henderson (comfort vs. style) with Ashlan Ramsey refereeing. Additionally, Wesley Bryan will make his Skechers GO GOLF commercial debut, as will Russell Knox, as he tests out the new GO GOLF Focus in less than favorable wind conditions.

"We've been eagerly anticipating the launch of our new spring 2017 GO GOLF collection

and the feedback has been incredible," said Rick Higgins, SVP of Merchandising/Marketing, Skechers Performance. "We've combined comfort with cutting-edge technology to create the best-in-class performance footwear that golfers will enjoy wearing. Our new marketing campaign for 2017 brought together our roster of elite golfers to highlight the comfort and functional footwear story and you will see from the commercial spots that we also had a lot of fun."

The footwear featured in the new commercial spots includes the 2017 Skechers GO GOLF Focus (a new stability shoe), the GO GOLF Pro 2, GO GOLF Elite 2 and the GO GOLF Birdie for women. All styles have the innovative performance technologies and comfort that Skechers Performance is known for, such as the lightweight and responsive 5GEN midsole cushioning.

The new 2017 spring line is now available and will be on display at the Skechers Performance booth number 1059, along with new Skechers GO GOLF apparel for men and women.

Finally, visitors will have a chance to meet Skechers GO GOLF athletes in person. Colin Montgomery will be at the Skechers Performance booth number 1059 on Wednesday, January 25th, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm and Billy Andrade will be signing autographs on Thursday, January 26th from 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm.

Learn more about Skechers Performance at <u>GOSkechers.com</u> and follow us on Facebook (<u>facebook.com/SkechersPerformance</u>), Twitter (<u>twitter.com/skechersGO</u>) and Instagram (<u>instagram.com/skechersperformance</u>).

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