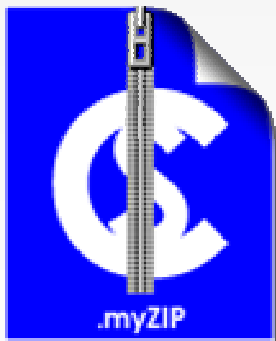




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## TW Caddie 08 User Guide



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# Introduction

Thank you for using TW Caddie 08 built by CourseDownloads.com. This program will allow you to Install, Manage, Edit and Uninstall Custom Courses and Libraries for The Tiger Woods PGA Tour 08 PC/DVD Video Game by EA Sports.



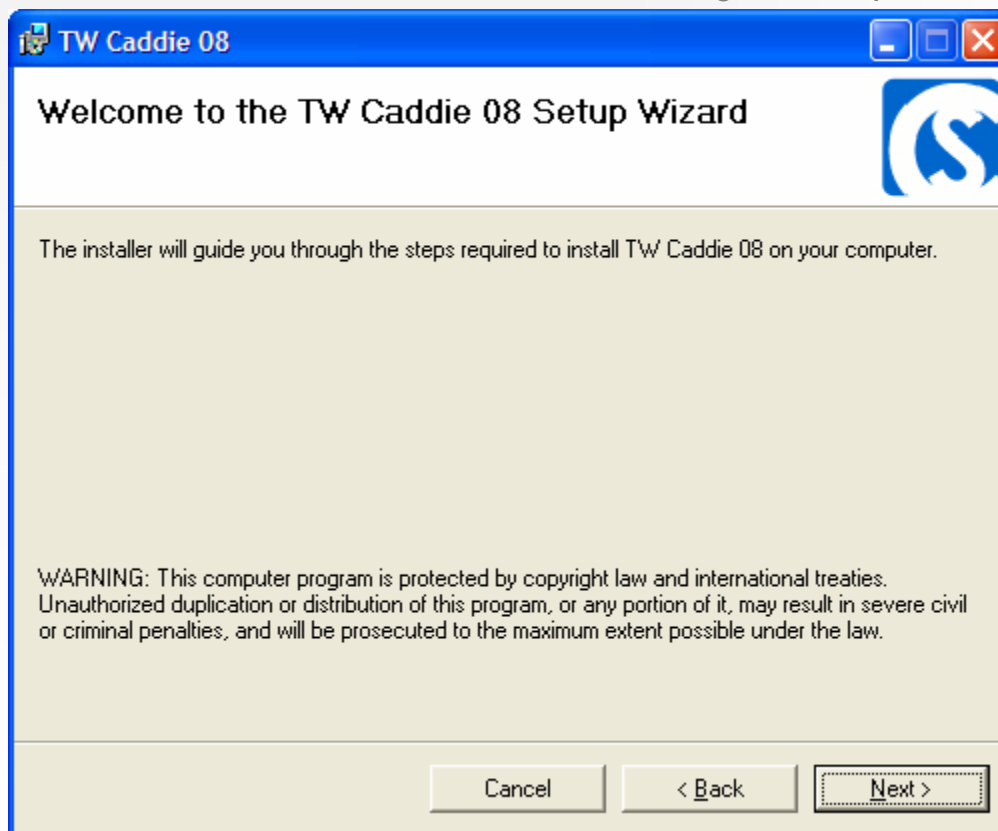
## Installation

To install the program double click on the file called Setup.exe. This will open the installation wizard which will guide you through the setup process.

## System Requirements

In order to use TW Caddie 08 you must be logged in as a Administrator have Microsoft .NET Framework 2.0 or higher, Microsoft Windows Installer 3.1 or Higher, be running Windows XP or Windows Vista, have at least 128 MB of RAM, 1GB of Available Hard Drive Space and Have Tiger Woods PGA Tour 08 Installed correctly. Some features may require a Internet Connection but is not required to use the program.

Image 1A - Setup Process



# Getting Started



## Starting the Program

There are several different ways to start the program. During the install process icons were placed on your desktop and your program menus. Double Clicking on either of these two methods is the easiest way to start the program. For advanced users the default path for installation is:

`C:\Program Files\CourseDownloads.com\TW Caddie 08\TW Caddie 08.exe`

Note: C: is the drive you installed the program to during the setup process

Double Clicking on this file will open the program.

## Setting Program Defaults

For advanced users you have the option of changing some of the defaults for the program. This should be your first stop after launching to program in order to guarantee that all files installed match your preferences. To edit program settings go to Options >> Properties. Now that the properties window is open you can edit the settings the program uses to install files for Tiger Woods PGA Tour 08.

### **Warn if overwriting files in target directory:**

Checked - You will receive a warning when a install file is going to overwrite another file.

### **Save configuration settings on program exit:**

Checked - All your settings will be saved for the next time you run the program.

### **Always ask for a target installation directory:**

Checked - This will prompt you for the folder you want to install a file to.

### **Hide uninstall option for stock courses and libraries:**

Checked - The uninstall feature is disabled for stock courses and libraries.

### **Default Installation Directory:**

Courses - Select the default folder you want course files installed to.

Libraries - Select the default folder you want library files installed to.

### **Install Libraries in dedicated sub-folder:**

Checked - <Library Directory>\<Library Name>\<Library File>

Example: `C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Libraries\Old Mill\Old Mill.tcl`

### **Default Course Download Directory:**

Folder - Location to the folder you download courses to.

Checked - Will change this path to the directory you last installed a file from.

### **Missing File Options - Advanced Users:**

Will use the files here instead of the default supplied files if the file you are installing is missing any of these files. If the course has any of these files the program will use those files. This feature is only for courses that are missing these files.

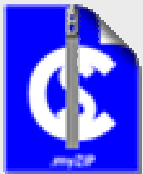
*Note: Since all courses require certain files in order to run correctly TW Caddie 08 will automatically install Default Files if none are listed under settings. These files are stored in the program to prevent accidental deletion and can not be edited, if you want different default files please indicate those in the Properties Window.*

# Installing Files



## Introduction

Installing files is the process of taking a course or library and installing it into the Tiger Woods PGA Tour 08 PC/DVD game. Without installing the course you will not be able to play the course in the game. There are two ways to install a file either using the automated process which only requires you to double click on the file or the manual process. The following steps will cover the manual process as the automated process only requires you double click on the file to install it. If you don't see the following icons for these file types, you installed the Course Architect after installing TW Caddie 08. To restore the icons you can either manually associate the file type or Uninstall and reinstall the program.



### Installing .myZip Files

Open the program and click either on the button labeled Install next to courses or go to File >> Open Installation Archive in the menu. A File Browser window will appear. Navigate to the .myZip file and select the file by double clicking on it or selecting it and clicking open and following the install process.



### Installing Compressed .TCX Files

Open the program and click on the button labeled Install next to courses or go to File >> Open Installation Archive in the menu. A File Browser window will appear. Navigate to the .tcx file and select the file by double clicking on it or selecting it and clicking open and following the install process.



### Installing Libraries .TCL Files

Open the program and click either on the button labeled Install next to libraries or go to File >> Open Installation Archive in the menu. A File Browser window will appear. Navigate to the .tcl file and select the file by double clicking on it or selecting it and clicking open and following the install process.



### Installing Course .TCR Files

Open the program and click on the button labeled Install next to courses or go to File >> Open Installation Archive in the menu. A File Browser window will appear. Navigate to the .tcr file and select the file by double clicking on it or selecting it and clicking open and following the install process. Once complete you will need to go to Course Properties and locate the Flag, Logo and Splash Screen for this course to have them visible in the game.



### Installing .ZIP Files

Open the program and click on the button labeled Install next to courses or go to File >> Open Installation Archive in the menu. A File Browser window will appear. Navigate to the .zip file and select the file by double clicking on it or selecting it and clicking open and following the install process.

Image 5A - Installation Dialog



# Uninstalling Files



## Uninstalling Courses

To uninstall a course find the course in the course list and then click on the button labeled Uninstall Next to the course list. After clicking the button a confirmation window will appear asking you if you really want to Uninstall the course. Selecting Yes will bring up another confirmation asking if you want to remove the files associated with this course. Selecting Yes will delete the courses .tcr file, flag, splash screen, logo and text file. Selecting No will keep those files on your hard drive in the same location. If you try re-installing this course without removing the files you may be prompted do you want over-write these files or the folder already exists. Do you want to create a new folder or risk over-writing files in this directory.

## Uninstalling Libraries

To uninstall a library find the library in the library list and then click on the button labeled Uninstall Next to the library list. After clicking the button a confirmation window will appear asking you if you really want to Uninstall the library. Selecting Yes will bring up another confirmation asking if you want to remove the files associated with this library. Selecting Yes will delete the libraries .tcl file. Selecting No will keep the file on your hard drive in the same location. If you try re-installing this course without removing the files you may be prompted do you want over-write these files or the folder already exists. Do you want to create a new folder or risk over-writing files in this directory.

Image 6A - Uninstall Dialog 1

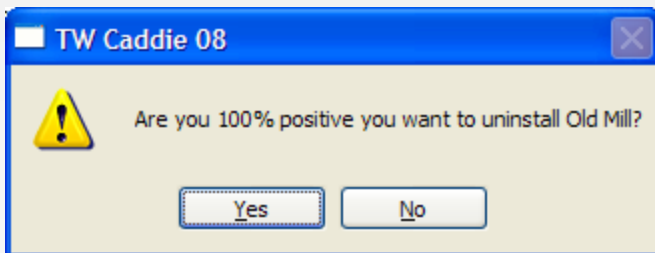


Image 6B - Uninstall Dialog 2

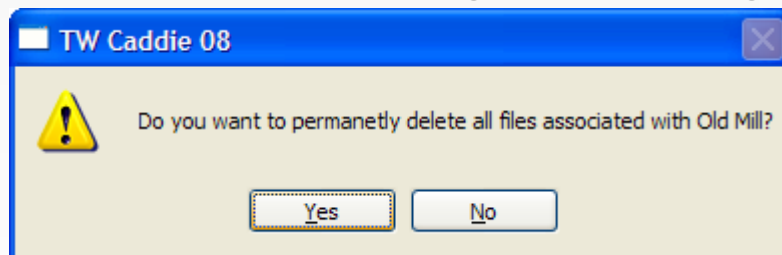
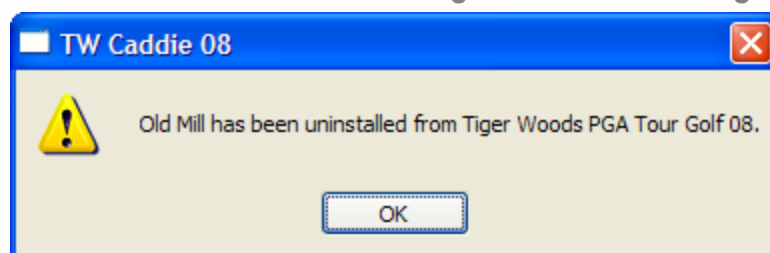


Image 6C - Uninstall Dialog 3



# Course Properties



## Introduction

Course properties allow you to edit the location of course files. You can edit the path to the .tcr file, the flag, logo, splash screen and course text. We have done everything we can to prevent you from making a course unplayable, but **I still must warn you editing these location with out knowledge to what they do can cause the course to be unplayable.** With that being said you can quickly see if there a problem with the course by looking at the name in the top left corner. If that name is RED then there's a problem and you will need to fix it before playing the course.

## Library List

The Library List shows a list of required libraries for this course. It allows you to easily see if a library file is missing or installed correctly. All the libraries listed in the list must show installed in order for this course to load in Tiger Woods PGA Tour 08. A visual indicator to quickly see if the library is installed correctly is the color of the background. If a Library is missing visit CourseDownloads.com and search for the library that is missing. The easiest way to do this is to go to the Course Page and locate the missing library.

Image 7A - Library List - Missing Library

Library Name	Installed	
big Forrest Mountain 07	True	
Common Textures 08	True	
Old Mill 2008	False	
The K Club	True	

## File Path

The file path is location of the .tcr file for that course.

## Course Flag

The file path is location of the flag.dds file.

Note: If the flag and the .tcr file are not in the same folder. The game will first look for the flag in the folder that contains the .tcr file, then load the flag listed in the properties and finally it will load a default flag from the game. So if the flag you specified is not showing you will need to copy that flag to the same directory as your .tcr file or remove the flag inside the directory containing the courses .tcr file. Flags must be named flag.dds in order to work.

## Course Logo

The course logo is the Logo that appears on the scorecard, course menu and upper right corner of the properties menu. Logos may only be named logo.dds in order to work properly.

## Splash Screen

The splash screen is the large image that shows up to the right of the course menu in game. Any \*.dds or \*.tga file may be used, to avoid problems when compiling a course you may not want to name the splash screen logo.dds.

## Course Text

The Course Text file is a .txt file that displays the text under the splash screen in game.



- The Course will load if this file is missing or incorrect.



- The Course will not load if this file is missing or incorrect.

# Library Properties



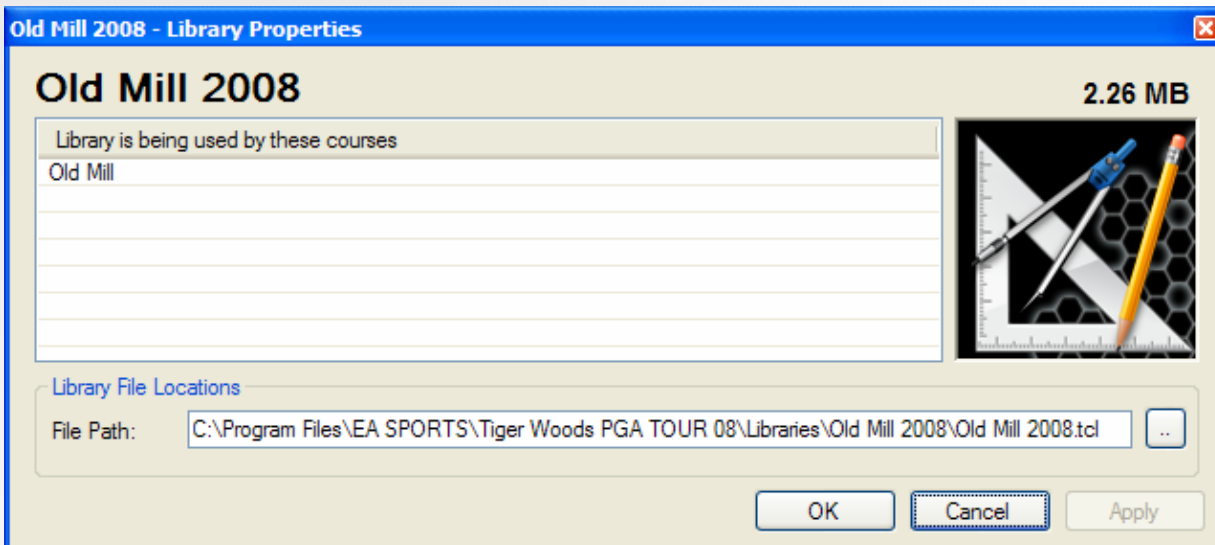
## Introduction

The Library Properties really doesn't do much, its primary function is to show you the courses that the library is used on.

### Course List


The Course List displays a list of all courses that the library is used on, this can be helpful when deciding on which library to use if you liked a particular, structure, tree or texture on another course and would like to use it on your design.

Image 8A - Library Properties



### File Path

The file path is location of the .tcl file for that Library.

 - None of the courses used by this library will work until the path is fixed



# Compressing a Course



Compressing a course is the first step in preparing your course so that it can easily be share with friends or the members and visitors of CourseDownloads.com. Since all courses need to be compressed in order to be installed with all the files you want them to have like Flag, Logo , Splash Screen, Text, INI File and Course Life System (CLS). I am not going to cover what a INI File is or a CLS File if interested please visit one the Tiger Woods Golf Forums and SEARCH for assistance on these features.

First you need to select the Course from the course list and then click on the button labeled Compress Course to the right.

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2008 COURSE COMPILER

**Old Mill**

Compressed Course File Path

TCX Path: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill

Required Files

File Path: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill\Old Mill.tcr

Course Logo: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill\logo.dds

Splash Screen: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill\splash.dds

Course Text: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill\course.txt

Optional Files

Course Flag: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill\flag.dds

Course .INI:

Course CLS: C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Old Mill\cls\cls.tbf

Start Cancel

**TCX Path:** The directory you want to save your TCX file to.

**Course Logo:** See Course Properties Course Logo - Page 7

**Splash Screen:** See Course Properties Splash Screen - Page 7

**Course Text:** See Course Properties Course Text - Page 7

**Course Flag:** See Course Properties Course Flag - Page 7

**Course .INI:** Select the Course .INI file - NOT THE CLS.INI FILE

**Course CLS:** Select the Courses cls.tbf file - NOT THE CLS.INI FILE

The Start button will be disabled until all required files are correct and if given Optional files are correct. Once the Start Button is Enabled, click the start button to Compress your course. When the operation is finished with no errors the directory you created your TCX file in will be displayed and the Compress Course Form will be closed.

 - There's a problem with the path to that file. And needs to be fixed.

# Technical Support

There is no dedicated support for this program. If you need help using the program please Visit the forum at [CourseDownloads.com](http://www.coursedownloads.com) and post any comments, questions or requests you have. <http://www.coursedownloads.com/forum>



## FAQ

### Vista Users Read This:

The first thing I want you to do is make sure you have the most current version of .NET Framework.  
<http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyId=333325FD-AE52-4E35-B531-508D977D32A6&displaylang=en>

Next make sure you are not running Windows Vista 64.  
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NEXT By all means PLEASE read this...  
<http://windowshelp.microsoft.com/Windows/en-US/Help/9812d370-e66a-451a-80c9-f028d402d4281033.mspx>

### Course Not Showing in the Game?

**1:** Open TW Caddie 08 and then locate the course. Double Click on the Course Name to bring up Course Properties. Look at the file path if there are any spaces at the end of the folder name remove them.

**Incorrect:** C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Augusta 2008 \Augusta 2008 .tcr  
**Correct:** C:\Program Files\EA SPORTS\Tiger Woods PGA TOUR 08\Courses\Augusta 2008\Augusta 2008.tcr

**2:** Uninstall the course and try re-installing

**3:** Not sure why you would have Tiger Woods 2008 running while installing a course, but if you did, uninstall the course shut down TW08 and re-install the course. This also goes with if you have TW Caddie 08 Running while playing the game, make sure the program is closed before running Tiger Woods 2008.

**4:** Course Shows offline mode but not online? - or - I can join tournaments with the course but not create tournaments. Answer: You need to select Custom Game Settings.

**5:** If you unzipped the file after downloading and only installed the Green Icon (TCR) file then the logo, splash, text and flag will go to the default, missing files. Uninstall course and then install the zip file with all the files you want included for that course. The course Logo and splash screen will now show up. If you see a blank space in the list where the course should be, I want to know how you pulled it off, it should be 100% impossible to install a course and not have some type of logo, using TW Caddie 08 and ONLY TW Caddie 08 to install courses.

### Known Bugs?

There is a unknown problem that sometimes occurs while using the Clambakers Tour Launcher. The courses show up fine but when launching the game with their launcher for tour score recording, the courses will no longer appear in the course listing. Up to this point I have gotten two reports and Clambakers has gotten less than 10.

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