

2022 CGA WOMEN'S PLAYER OF THE YEAR POLICIES



COLORADO GOLF
ASSOCIATION

Player of the Year Honors – The Women’s Player of the Year and Women’s Senior Player of the Year will be selected by the Tournament Committee at the end of each season. Total points earned will help guide the Committee in their selection of a Player of the Year, but it will not necessarily be the player with the most points (i.e. the honor is for the Player of the Year rather than a points race). The Committee, in its sole discretion, may consider other factors when selecting a Player of the Year.

Player of the Year Eligibility – To be eligible for Player of the Year in any given points category, the player must be a CGA member in the current season and must have played in at least **two** events from this list of CGA Women’s Championships and USGA Qualifiers hosted in Colorado: Women’s Mashie, Women’s Stroke Play, Women’s Mid-Amateur Stroke Play, Women’s Match Play, Women’s Senior Stroke Play, Women’s Brassie, Women’s Dunham Chapman, U.S. Women’s Senior Open, U.S. Women’s Open, U.S. Women’s Amateur, U.S. Senior Women’s Amateur, U.S. Women’s Mid-Amateur, U.S. Women’s Four-Ball.

Points will be awarded only to those players in the championship flight of a CGA Women’s Championship.

Colorado Cup –The Colorado Cup is a team event held in the fall of every odd numbered year. This competition is a Ryder Cup style event that includes teams from the CGA (Amateurs) and The Colorado PGA Section (Professionals). The CGA team selection process will be based primarily on cumulative points standings in the two years between the Cup matches. The Tournament Committee, in its sole discretion, may consider other factors when selecting the Colorado Cup team.

CGA Age Requirements: Mid-Amateur – A player must be 25 years of age or older as of the first day of a tournament.

Senior – A player must be 50 years of age or older as of the first day of a tournament.

Age Down Multiplier - For “age down” finishes in certain events (noted on the respective allocation tables below), a multiplier will be added to the points received in that player’s age category.

For example, at the open CGA Women’s Stroke Play Championship, if a Senior player earns points, they will receive 40% more points within the Senior Player of the Year list.

CGA Championship Playoffs - When an on-course playoff of three or more players occurs at a CGA Women’s Championship, CGA Player of the Year points will be split evenly among the players within the playoff that did not win the playoff/championship, regardless of the scores in the playoff.

USGA Qualifier Playoffs - All CGA Women’s Player of the Year points for USGA qualifiers are based solely on total score and will be split evenly among all tied players, regardless of any on-course playoff results (whether for qualifying or alternate positions).

UPDATES FROM 2021

1) Individuals that are exempt into a USGA national championship will receive 50% of the corresponding qualifier medalist points and any applicable age down multiplier.

CGA Women's Points Allocation Table - Open

Colorado Golf Association Women's Championships

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Stroke Play Championship	450	270	180	135	110	90	75	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5
Western Chapter Championship	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5					
Brassie Championship (per player)	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5					
Dunham Chapman Championship (per player)	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5					
Match Play Championship	Champion				Runner-Up				Semi-Finalist				Qtr.-Finalist							
	450				270				160				85							
Mashie Championship (per player)	Champion				Runner-Up				Semi-Finalist				Cons. Winner							
	150				120				90				30							

Local/Regional Events

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Colorado Women's Open	600	500	425	350	300	250	175	150	125	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20
~ Low Amateur	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5					
Club Hosted Individual Stroke Play	80	50	30	20	10															
Club Hosted Four-Ball (per player)	40	25	15	10	5															

Club Hosted Reduced 50% if finishers are less than 8, or if reduced to less than 36 holes

USGA Championships and Qualifiers

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20								
US Women's Open Championship	Points for US Women's Open Championship will be assigned by the Tournament Committee.																											
~ Sectional Qualifying	300	225	175	150	120	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	7	5								
US Women's Amateur Championship	Champion				Runner-Up				Semi-Finalist				Qtr.-Finalist				Rnd of 16				Rnd of 32				Rnd of 64			
	1000				800				700				600				500				450				400			
~ Sectional Qualifying	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5													
US Women's Amateur Four-Ball Championship	Advance to Match Play: 150						Match Play Wins: # of matches won x 25																					
~ Sectional Qualifying (per player)	80	60	50	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	8	6	4	2	1													

For players exempt into the national championship they will receive 50% of the corresponding medalist points

Note: When a Player of the Year points allocation table is greater than what is half of the size of the starting field for an event, the allocation table will only award points to half of the number of players/sides that started the event.

National Stroke Play Events

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Elite Amateur Events*	600	500	425	350	300	250	175	150	125	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20
Elite Four-Ball Amateur Events* (per player)	200	170	140	125	95	75	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5				

*Includes, but not limited to: Jones/Doherty Women's Amateur, Ladies National Golf Association Amateur, Women's Eastern Amateur, Women's Western Amateur, North/South Women's Amateur

Note: Additional points for other finishes will be considered by the CGA Tournament Committee



CGA Women's Points Allocation Table - Senior

Colorado Golf Association Women's Championships

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Senior Stroke Play Championship	450	270	180	135	110	90	75	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5

Stroke Play Championship (1.4x points above)

Mid-Amateur Stroke Play Championship (1.2x points above)

Western Chapter Championship	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5
Brassie Championship (per player)	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5
Dunham Chapman Championship (per player)	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5

	Champion	Runner-Up	Pod Runner-Up
Senior Match Play Championship	450	270	140

Match Play Championship (1.4x points. See open table)

	Champion	Runner-Up	Semi-Finalist	Cons. Winner
Mashie Championship (per player)	150	120	90	30

Local/Regional Events

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Colorado Women's Open	600	500	425	350	300	250	175	150	125	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20
~ Low Amateur	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5					

Colorado Women's Open & Low Amateur (1.4x points above)

Club Hosted Individual Stroke Play	80	50	30	20	10
Club Hosted Four-Ball (per player)	40	25	15	10	5

Club Hosted Reduced 50% if finishers are less than 8, or if reduced to less than 36 holes

USGA Championships and Qualifiers

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
US Women's Open Championship	Points for US Women's Open Championship will be assigned by the Tournament Committee.																			
~ Sectional Qualifying	300	225	175	150	120	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	7	5

US Senior Women's Open Championship	Points for US Senior Women's Open Championship will be assigned by the Tournament Committee.																			
~ Sectional Qualifying	300	225	175	150	120	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	7	5

	Champion	Runner-Up	Semi-Finalist	Qtr.-Finalist	Rnd of 16	Rnd of 32	Rnd of 64								
US Senior Women's Amateur Championship	1000	800	700	600	500	450	400								
~ Sectional Qualifying	150	120	90	75	65	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5

US Women's Mid-Amateur Championship (1.2x points above), US Women's Amateur Championship (1.4x points above)

US Women's Amateur Four-Ball Championship	Advance to Match Play: 150					Match Play Wins: # of matches won x 25														
~ Sectional Qualifying (per player)	80	60	50	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	8	6	4	2	1					

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National Stroke Play Events

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Elite Amateur Events*	600	500	425	350	300	250	175	150	125	100	80	70	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20

Non Senior Elite Amateur (1.4x points above)*

Non Senior Elite Mid-Amateur (1.2x points above)**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Elite Four-Ball Amateur Events* (per player)	200	170	140	125	95	75	55	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5

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**Includes but not limited to: Ladies National Golf Association Mid-Amateur

***Includes, but not limited to: Jones/Doherty Senior Women's Amateur, Ladies National Golf Association Senior Amateur, North/South Senior Women's Amateur, Women's Eastern Senior Amateur, Canadian Senior Women's Amateur, R&A Women's Senior Amateur

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