## **2025 CGA WOMEN'S PLAYER OF THE YEAR POLICIES**



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 Four-Ball, 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, U.S. Girls' Junior.

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). Points awarded to professional players in U.S. Women's Open and U.S. Senior Women's Open qualifying will not be redistributed to other positions.