



**2023 CGA Point Event Agreement and Policy**

Throughout the Golf season the CGA shall maintain and administer a points list in which players can be awarded points for participation and finishes in CGA championships, USGA championships, select local events, and various other regional and national events. From the final standings, the CGA tournament committee will select the following season’s Cup Team members to represent the association in the cup matches against the Colorado Section of the PGA.

The events selected to be awarded points will be selected by the CGA tournament committee that will take various factors into account such as location, date, strength of field, and exclusivity of the tournament. If a local club is hosting an event and would like to receive CGA POY points they must apply with the tournament committee and meet the following criteria:

1. The event **must** be open to non-members of the club.
2. The tournament cannot overlap with any dates for CGA major championships.
3. If the event is flighted, it must have a minimum of 16 players competing in the championship flight, which should be selected within reason (**HI of 7.0 and below, etc.**). This holds true for the senior championship flight if an event is seeking to get separate points for the seniors.
4. All players within the event must have a verifiable and active USGA Handicap Index; only CGA members are eligible to receive points.
5. If a club-hosted event draws participants from multiple states there must be at least **8** CGA members competing in the Championship flight. All participants who are not residents of Colorado must have a verifiable USGA Handicap Index through their state or regional golf association.
6. Complete results from the championship flight must be returned to include players name, GHIN number, and scores to the CGA offices **no later than two business days after completion** of the tournament. Please email results to [LHarry@Coloradogolf.org](mailto:LHarry@Coloradogolf.org).
7. Credit for merchandise (if any) must be extended at least 30 days from the completion of the event and the value of such awards may not exceed the limit of \$1000 as set forth in the USGA Rules of Amateur Status.

When selecting point events for the upcoming season the CGA will honor historical data and consider geographic location before awarding points status:

1. All events awarded points in the previous season will be given priority on the corresponding date(s) the following season. If the event is not going to be conducted, or the tournament contact does not respond to the CGA by the stated deadline, the date(s) will be up on a first come, first serve basis for any tournament which meets the above criteria.
2. Only one tournament per specified region (or distance) will be awarded points per weekend/date. The total number of events which can be awarded points from throughout the state is 4 per weekend.

\*\*Please note that if the tournament committee feels that an event does not meet any of the above set criteria including strength of field they reserve the right to revoke the events point status even after completion of the event.

**Host Club Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tournament Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tournament Date(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tournament Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sincerely,

Lewis Harry, PGA  
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