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**PLAYER
RANKINGS**



Conditions

1. Must be a member in good standing with the PGA of Canada
 - 1.1. Members who accumulate points while active, will retain those points if subsequently suspended (or otherwise becomes inactive), for when they are reinstated
2. Points will be accumulated for three (3) years for each listed event
 - 2.1. Following the completion of an event in the current year, the points from that same event three years out will be removed from all competitor's profiles and will no longer contribute to their overall point total
3. Points will be awarded for the best two Championships competed in Categories A, B, C and D
 - 3.1. If a competitor accumulates points for three or more events in Categories A, B, C and D in a calendar year, only the best two results will count towards their overall point total
4. For Categories E, F, G and H, a competitor may only receive points for competing within their own Zone

Summary

1. A member will not lose any points they have accumulated if their membership becomes inactive for any reason. They will be removed from the PGA of Canada Player Rankings for the time they are inactive, but the points they accumulated while active, will be used when they are reinstated, as long as they are within the three year cycle.
2. For example, following the completion of the 2011 Mr. Lube PGA of Canada Seniors' Championship on July 8th, the points from the 2008 PGA of Canada Seniors' Championship will no longer count towards any members point total.
3. For all PGA of Canada National Championships, senior members are eligible to compete in an additional event. To provide equality amongst the members, only the maximum amount of points from two National Championships in a calendar year will count towards a competitor's total points.
4. Because only some Zones allow for foreign Zone members to compete in their championships, points can only be accumulated for championships where the member is in good standing. For example, someone from the Ontario Zone, may not accumulate points for competing in the Northern Ontario or Ottawa Valley Zones. This is true, even if they have not competed in their member Zone Championship in the same calendar year.

POINT STRUCTURE BY CATEGORY

Category A	
PGA Championship of Canada	
1 st	60
2 nd	50
3 rd	40
4 th	30
5 th - 8 th	20
9 th - 16 th	10
17 th - 32 nd	5
33 rd - 64 th	0

Category B	
Canada Cup	
1 st	50
2 nd	40
3 rd	33
4 th	28
5 th	26
6 th	25
7 th	23
8 th	22
9 th	20
10 th	19
11 th	17
12 th	16
13 th	14
14 th	13
15 th	11
16 th - 20 th	10
21 st - 25 th	8
26 th - 30 th	7
31 st - 40 th	5
41 st - 50 th	3

Category C	
PGA Club Professional/Assistants'	
1 st	45
2 nd	30
3 rd	28
4 th	26
5 th	24
6 th	22
7 th	20
8 th	18
9 th	16
10 th	15
11 th - 15 th	12
16 th - 20 th	9
21 st - 30 th	6
31 st - 40 th	3

Category D	
PGA Seniors'	
1 st	35
2 nd	25
3 rd	23
4 th	21
5 th	19
6 th	17
7 th	15
8 th	13
9 th	11
10 th	9
11 th - 15 th	7
16 th - 20 th	6
21 st - 30 th	5
31 st - 40 th	3

Category E			
BC Zone	AB Zone	ON Zone	QC Zone
PGA of BC Zone Championship	PGA of Alberta Championship	Ontario PGA Championship	Choisy TPC Players' Championship
1 st		25	
2 nd		18	
3 rd		16	
4 th		15	
5 th		14	
6 th		13	
7 th		12	
8 th		11	
9 th		10	
10 th		9	
11 th - 15 th		8	
16 th - 20 th		6	
21 st - 25 th		5	

Category F				
SK Zone	MB Zone	NO Zone	OV Zone	AT Zone
PGA of Saskatchewan Championship	Manitoba PGA Championship	NOPGA Championship	Titleist & FootJoy Zone Championship	PGA Atlantic Zone Championship
1 st			20	
2 nd			15	
3 rd			14	
4 th			13	
5 th			12	
6 th			11	
7 th			10	
8 th			9	
9 th			8	
10 th			7	
11 th - 15 th			6	
16 th - 20 th			5	
21 st - 25 th			3	

Category G			
BC Zone	AB Zone	ON Zone	QC Zone
PGA of BC Club Professional/Assistants	PGA of Alberta Club Professional/Assistants	Ontario PGA Club Professional/Assistants	Quebec PGA Club Professional/Assistants
1 st		15	
2 nd		12	
3 rd		11	
4 th		10	
5 th		9	
6 th		8	
7 th		7	
8 th		6	
9 th		5	
10 th		4	
11 th - 15 th		3	

Category H				
SK Zone	MB Zone	NO Zone	OV Zone	AT Zone
PGA of Saskatchewan Club Professional/Assistants	Manitoba PGA Club Professional/Assistants	NOPGA Club Professional/Assistants	PGA Ottawa Zone Club Professional/Assistants	PGA Atlantic Zone Club Professional/Assistants
1 st			12	
2 nd			10	
3 rd			9	
4 th			8	
5 th			7	
6 th			6	
7 th			5	
8 th			4	
9 th			3	
10 th			2	
11 th - 15 th			1	

Order in which Ties are Determined

When two or more members are tied for points, the following criteria will be used for determining their official order:

1. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category A would be ranked highest.
 - 1.1. If still tied, then move to next step
2. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category B would be ranked next highest.
 - 2.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category B, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 2.2. If still tied, then move to next step
3. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category C would be ranked next highest.
 - 3.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category C, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 3.2. If still tied, then move to next step
4. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category D would be ranked next highest.
 - 4.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category D, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 4.2. If still tied, then move to next step
5. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category E would be ranked next highest.
 - 5.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category E, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 5.2. If still tied, then move to next step
6. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category F would be ranked next highest.
 - 6.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category F, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 6.2. If still tied, then move to next step
7. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category G would be ranked next highest.
 - 7.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category G, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 7.2. If still tied, then move to next step
8. The member who earned the most points in the current calendar year in Category H would be ranked next highest.
 - 8.1. If two or more members accumulated the same amount of points in Category H, then the smallest stroke differential between their final score and that of the champion will be ranked highest
 - 8.2. If still tied, then move to next step
9. If a tie still exists, repeat this process through the previous year and all subsequent years.

FAQ

Q. What is the PGA of Canada Player Rankings?

- A. The PGA of Canada Players Rankings is a member-based system that was developed to promote championship play nationally and regionally and identify the top-ranked playing members within the PGA of Canada. The current focus of the PGA of Canada Player Rankings is on National and Zone Championships to provide the best opportunity for each member to accumulate points.

Q. How can females earn points towards the rankings?

- A. Females are eligible to compete in any of the listed PGA of Canada National Championships. Please check the eligibility requirements of Zone Championships for those entry requirements. There are females currently with points based on Zone Championship results.

Q. Why are there are different point structures for each category?

- A. The categories take into account field size and quantity of top 100-ranked competitors within the field.

Q. What structure was used to develop the PGA of Canada Player Rankings?

- A. Research went into comparing the merits of various ranking systems in golf and other sports. The PGA of Canada received feedback from Computan, the software company that is being utilized to create the ranking software, who also provide software to Tennis Canada and their provincial associations and Squash Canada. Other ranking systems that were looked at include the World Golf Rankings, Golf Canada's National Order of Merit Presented by Under Armour and CN Future Links Order of Merit.

Q. How often will the PGA of Canada Player Rankings be updated?

- A. The PGA of Canada Player Rankings will be updated the day following each of the listed championships.