

TOURNAMENT POLICIES

Section III — Eligibility (Section Events)

TOURNAMENT ELIGIBILITY—SECTION EVENTS

Eligibility is limited to PGA Members who meet all of the following criteria:

- 1. Must be eligibly employed in and classified as one of the following membership classifications. The PGA of America Headquarters membership records must reflect this status. The Metropolitan PGA reserves the right to deny any entry at any time in the event that the PGA of America determines an individual is not eligibly employed as required herein: *MP, A-1, A-2, **A-3, A-4, *A-5, A-6, A-7, A-8, A-9, A-10, A-11, A-12, A-13, A-14, A-15, A-16, A-17, A-18, A-19, A-20, A-21, A-22, A-23, A-24, LMA, LMMA.
 - * Must be eligibly employed in one of the above mentioned active membership classifications to be eligible ** A-3 members whose PGA of America membership was gained by earning status on one of the recognized tours will not be eligible for Metropolitan PGA events. Otherwise, A-3, unemployed and inactive members may request playing privileges to be reviewed and determined by the Tournament Committee.
- 2. Must not have played in more than eight (8) combined Asian Tour, Australia/New Zealand Tour, Champions Tour, Dakotas Tour, European Challenge Tour, European Senior Tour, European Tour, JPGA Senior Tour, JPGA Tour, Ladies European Tour (LET), Symetra Tour, LPGA Tour, LPGT, PGA TOUR, PGA TOUR Canada, PGA TOUR Latino America, The Safari Tour, The Sunshine Tour and Korn Ferry Tour tournaments in the previous twelve (12) months. The U.S. Open, U.S. Senior Open, PGA Championship, Senior PGA Championship, PGA Tour events conducted in the Metropolitan Section, and PGA Tour events accessed based on performance in PGA of America events are not included in the 8 tournament count.

The Metropolitan PGA reserves the right to determine whether or not any applicant is so employed and reject any applicant who does not meet these requirements.

<u>PGA Members</u> who pay Playing Privilege fees shall be eligible for the following tournaments, provided they meet individual criteria:

TaylorMade Pro Assistant Championships Pro Am Series Events Long Island PGA Championship Westchester PGA Championship Senior Match Play Championship Polo Golf Head Professional Championship Club Car Met PGA Pro President

Jack Mallon or Whitey Voight Pro Am Championship

Metropolitan PGA Professional Championship Metropolitan PGA Senior Championship Metropolitan PGA Championship Pro Am Metropolitan PGA Championship Metropolitan PGA Assistants Championship Metropolitan PGA Senior Junior

Metropolitan PGA Team Championship Metropolitan PGA Pro Lady

Silvercrest Cup Hoffhine Memorial

Metropolitan PGA Atlantic City Pro Am Metropolitan PGA Travel Pro Am

PGA Associate who pay Playing Privilege fees shall be eligible for the following tournaments:

Assistants Tour Events Pro Assistant Championships

Metropolitan PGA Pro Am Series Events

Jack Mallon/Whitey Voight Pro Am Championship

National Car Rental Met PGA Assistant Championship, must be complete with Level 1

Hoffhine Memorial

Metropolitan PGA Senior/Junior Championship Metropolitan PGA Pro Lady Championship Metropolitan PGA Team Championship Metropolitan PGA Atlantic City Pro Am

Metropolitan PGA Travel Pro Am

PGA Student & Non-Registered Assistants who pay Playing Privilege fees shall be eligible for the following tournaments:

Assistants Tour Events
TaylorMade Pro Assistant Championships
Metropolitan Pro Am Series Events
Jack Mallon/Whitey Voight Pro Am Championship
Hoffhine Memorial
Met PGA Pro Lady Championship
Met PGA Atlantic City Pro Am
Met PGA Travel Pro Am

TOURNAMENT ELIGIBILITY—OPEN EVENTS

Shall be determined by the following area associations for their tournaments

Connecticut Open Connecticut State Golf Association 860-257-4171 Long Island Open Long Island Golf Association 516-294-7610 Metropolitan Open Metropolitan Golf Association 914-347-4653 State Open Tournament Committee/Metropolitan PGA New York State Open 914-347-2325 Women's Met Open Tournament Committee/Met PGA/WMGA Women's Met Open 914-347-2325 914-347-2340 Westchester Open Westchester Golf Association