



TOURNAMENT POLICIES

Section VII – Other Policies and Procedures; Pro Members

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Scorecards

Players are responsible for promptly returning properly signed scorecards to the scorer's table. Scorecards which are not properly signed and attested will not be accepted and players will be subject to disqualification. Players are responsible for hole by hole scores (regardless of the accuracy of addition or the totals.) Unreasonable delay in returning cards or submission of incorrect scorecards may result in disqualification. In Pro-Am competitions professionals are responsible for maintaining cards in the prescribed manner. Failure to do this will result in cards not being accepted.

Pairings & Starting Times

Pairings and starting times will generally be posted on the Section web site (www.met.pga.com) as soon as practicable after the entry deadline. In most cases competitors who have special requirements with respect to the time of day of their starting position will be accommodated. The best method of communicating special requests is to e-mail Met PGA Staff. In events where participants are permitted to make their own pairings, professionals are asked to communicate in advance with your fellow competitor to be certain he intends to enter the event and has not made a pairing of his own.

Starting Times for Met PGA tournaments shall be dictated by the size of the competing field, available daylight and course maintenance and preparation schedules. Times will generally begin at 8:00 a.m. and run until 2:00 p.m. Times before 8:00 a.m. or after 2:00 p.m. may be used in special circumstances.

Lateness

Professionals are responsible for being ready to play at their appointed starting time. In Professional-Only events USGA Rules apply. In Pro-Am events alternate times will be assigned if possible. In cases where this policy is abused, violators will be subject to disciplinary action.

Tournament Purses and Purse Payments

Tournament Purse breakdown will be posted in the scoring area during the competition whenever possible. Purse Payments will be delivered to professionals via direct deposit or mail as promptly as possible.

Host Facilities

No Met PGA tournament shall be conducted at a facility unless the Director of Golf or Head Professional is a Class A Member of the PGA of America.

Non-Metropolitan Section Players

Professionals or amateurs from outside the boundaries of the Metropolitan Section will be eligible only by consent of the Tournament Committee.

PRO MEMBERS & INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

As a courtesy to its member clubs and PGA Members, the Metropolitan PGA shall list the event on the annual Tournament Calendar. The Metropolitan PGA offers assistance in coordinating, publicizing, organizing and administering these events. PGA Members may also consult the Metropolitan PGA regarding appearance fees and purse distribution. PGA Members interested in learning more information or participating in specific events should contact the host club.