

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

### **What other groups or associations do I need to join in order to join WCPGA?**

None ☺ you do not have to be a member of BACC Ladies 18 Holers, BACC Women's Golf Committee nor a member of Women's York County Area Golf Association though we would love to have you join us ladies in any and all programs.

### **What has been your experience?**

Last year was my first year joining and I liked it so much I volunteered to represent our club. WCPGA is a great way to meet other ladies and play other courses outside BACC's reciprocal program. Not only do you get to play those member courses that are hosting tournaments but you also get to play once a season at any one member club without paying greens fees. Last year a group of us signed up for the October Open Day at Lancaster CC and got to play where the LPGA hosted the 2015 U.S. Women's Open.

Last year my index ranged from 25.9 to 20.8 and I felt very comfortable playing in the tournaments. The format was fair and I even got to play and win 2 times with my husband.

### **What if I do not have a partner or team?**

Don't worry about it. Let me know and I will help find you a partner or a team. I firmly believe that the only way to get better at golf is to play in tournaments and would love to help other ladies do just that.

### **How do you qualify?**

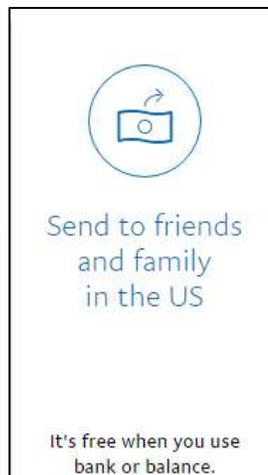
To be eligible to play in WCPGA tournaments you must post a minimum of 10 scores annually (June 1 – June 1) and have a maximum handicap index of 40.4. You must also pay \$25 in dues to join.

### **What else do I get for paying my dues?**

- Each member will receive a bag tag (once)
- The privilege of playing the courses of member clubs without paying greens fees
- If you play in 5 tournaments you have the chance to win your dues back (see PARTICIPATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM below)

### **How do I join?**

You must provide Carisa Husak with your information (name, address, email and phone) as well as pay \$25 in dues. You can leave cash or check in an envelope addressed to me at the Pro Shop. Please make the check out to Carisa Husak. You can also use PayPal. Since I am the middle woman collecting everyone's dues to then send 1 check from our club, you can send money to [clhusak@yahoo.com](mailto:clhusak@yahoo.com) via PayPal. If you choose the option to send money to friends and family AND send from your bank account or PayPal balance it is free.



### **How do I register for a tournament?**

In the handbook each tournament has a registration slip and postmark by dates. You fill out the information and mail it along with a check during the postmark period. Each tournament only accepts so many players. One week before the event you can check acceptance by going to our website:

<http://wcpagolf.org>

### **What are the prizes if you win a tournament?**

Detailed in the handbook are the prizes for each tournament. Typically there are cash prizes for Gross and Net. Cash prizes are pro shop gift certificates that can be used at any WCPGA member club before the end of the season.

### **What is the PARTICIPATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM?**

The WCPGA Executive Board established in 2014 a PARTICIPATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM. To qualify, a member must participate in minimum of 5 tournaments. The names of these participants will be placed in a random drawing for a 25.00 cash award. A maximum of \$500 will be available annually for this program. A drawing is held at the Fall Closer Meeting.

### **What are the Classification Indices in Effect for the 2017 Season?**

- A player – 0 to 15.9
- B player – 16 to 21.9
- C player – 22 to 26.9
- D player – 27 to 40.4

### **How do I connect socially with WCPGA?**

WCPGA has a FACEBOOK page for members to access WCPGA information. This form of communication will be used to post the opening and closing dates for upcoming tournament registrations, cancellation of events due to weather, members seeking a partner for an event, timely notices of member illness and other useful information to the members.

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