



Idaho Junior Tour

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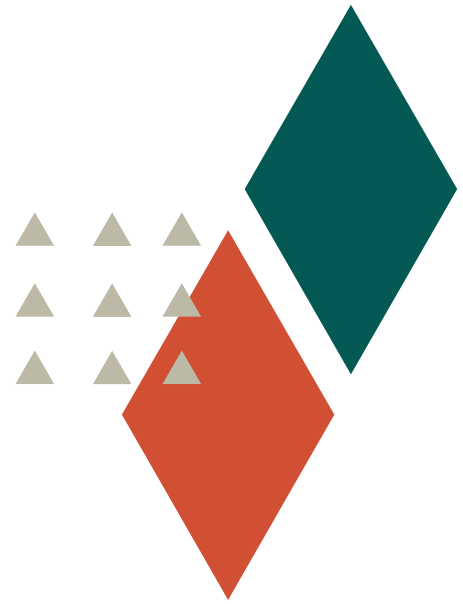


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About the Idaho Junior Tour

The purpose of the Idaho Junior Tour is to promote golf participation and competition for boys and girls from the ages of eight to eighteen. The Idaho Junior Tour is dedicated to providing junior golfers the opportunity of playing golf competitively while applying The Rules of Golf, practicing proper golf course etiquette, and encouraging and developing sportsmanlike conduct.

By participating in the tournaments scheduled for juniors in each district, we hope to further develop a sense of responsibility, integrity, and leadership in young golfers.

The Idaho Junior tour is divided into four districts:

- Southwest District
- Central District
- Eastern District
- Northern District

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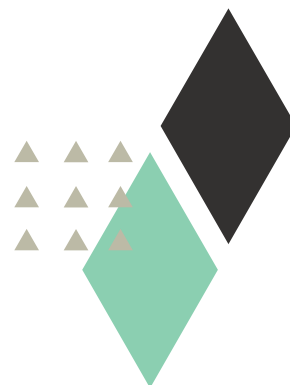
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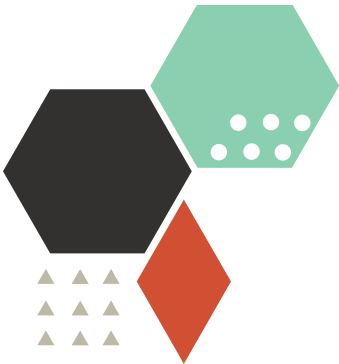
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Financial Assistance

The Idaho Junior Golf Foundation helps provide assistance to any junior unable to afford tournament entry fees.

Please contact the Idaho Junior Tour for more information about the application process. Once applications are received, the Idaho Junior Golf Foundation committee will determine if, and to what amount of financial assistance is to be granted.

The Idaho Junior Golf Foundation has the right to deny any application without notice.

Idaho Junior Tour Sponsors

Thank you to our Idaho Junior tour Sponsors!!!





Membership Criteria

Idaho Junior Tour membership is open to boys and girls age eight up to their nineteenth birthday or the day they enter college, whichever comes first.

Membership dues are paid annually and are non-refundable. Membership is valid for the calendar year. No pro-rated fees for partial year memberships or family discounts are available. You must be a registered and paying member before registering for tournaments or events.

Membership includes an active GHIN number to track the player's handicap index. If a player currently holds a GHIN number, IGA will reactivate it through the "Idaho Junior Tour". If a member did not previously have a GHIN number, the IGA will issue a new number. See GHIN and Handicap Index section of this handbook for more information.

Member Benefits

\$50 Membership Fee Includes:

- Idaho Junior Tour Eligibility
- Idaho Junior Tour Bag Tag
- 2019 Rules Book
- USGA Handicap/GHIN Number
- Youth on Course Membership
- Scholarship Opportunities

Youth on Course

Idaho Junior Tour Members will receive a Youth on Course membership. Each member's GHIN number will also serve as his/her YOC membership number. Players must complete the online Life Skills Certification curriculum before participating in YOC initiatives. Once this is complete, players will receive a YOC membership card which may be presented at participating facilities to play golf for no more than \$5.00 during stipulated rounds.

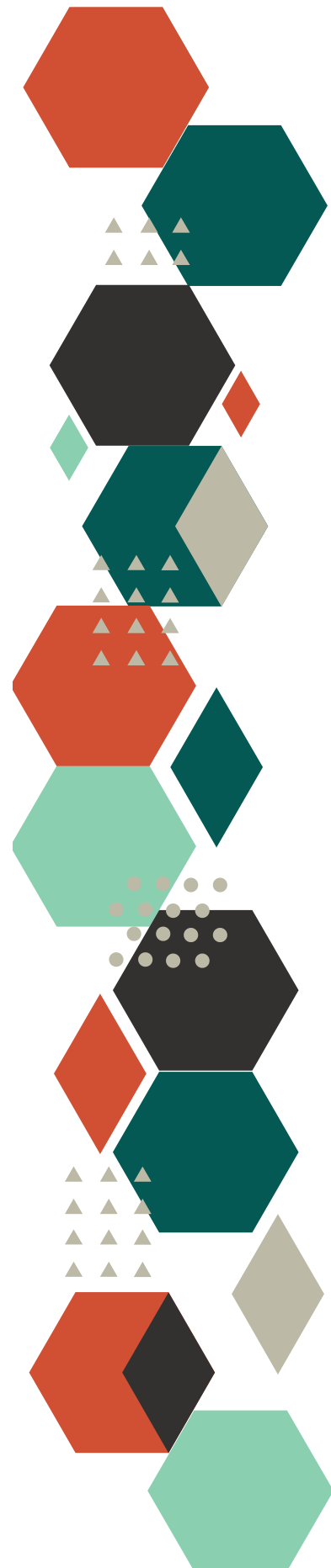
GHIN Number and Handicap Index

Having a GHIN number and a handicap index is an important part of the game. First, it allows players to track progress as skills improve and scores lower. Second, players of different skill levels can fairly compete against one another in net tournaments and informal games.

During tournament play members with similar handicap indexes will be paired together with the intention of playing with someone of similar playing ability. Players that have not posted a minimum of five 18 hole rounds to their GHIN number will show up as an "NH". Players with an "NH" will all be paired together. There is then a chance that the player will be paired with someone of either a higher or lower playing ability.

The Idaho Junior Tour will post all tournament rounds to players GHIN numbers. All non-IJT tournament rounds shall be posted by the player. This can be done through the GHIN Mobile App, or at www.ghin.com

GHIN handicaps will be updated every day through the posting season.



Idaho Junior Tour Series

Idaho Junior Tour membership is open to boys and girls age eight up to their nineteenth birthday or the day they enter college, whichever comes first. The division that a junior will be playing in is determined by the age they are on June 1st.



12-U Series

Juniors playing in the 12-U Series will be playing 9-holes of golf. This series is open to boys and girls age 8-12.

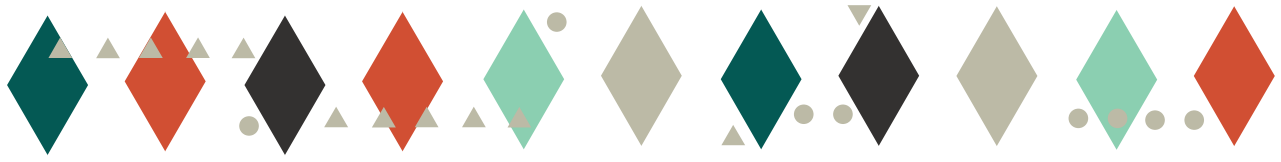
Age Divisions	Yardage
Girls Age 8-9	2,000-2,500
Boys Age 8-9	2,000-2,500
Girls Age 10-12	2,000-2,500
Boys Age 10-12	2,000-2,500



Playing Up

Players may play up an age division, but will not be allowed to play back down. All "Play Up" applications must be submitted by May 15th to be considered. Players playing in the 10-12 division must understand if they chose to play up they will be moving from the 9-Hole series to the Championship Series.

Applications will be approved by June 1st, after June 1st players will no longer be able to request to play up. If you wish to play out of your age division, please send the "Play Up" application.



Walking Scorer/Caddies

Caddies are not allowed on the Idaho Junior Tour.

Each pairing group will be accompanied by a volunteer official walking scorekeeper (parents will be asked to fill this role). All players will be required to have one adult be a scorekeeper at one event.

The IGA office will then select the adult who will be the official scorekeeper for each group. Official walking scorers will be announced when tee times are released five days prior to the event.

Qualifying adults: If a parent is unable to fulfill this requirement you may supply another adult (grandparent, aunt, uncle or neighbor) to take your place.

When selected to be an official walking scorer, please arrive 30 minutes before your tee times and check-in with registration or at the first tee. You will then be given your official "Walking Scorer" badge, and scorecard/policies sheet.

Stroke Limit

A ten stroke limit per hole is in effect for all players at all Idaho Junior Tour events. On any hole, players are allowed to take a maximum of 10 strokes, including penalty strokes.

District Championship

Juniors playing in the 8-9 division will conclude their season at the District Championship. Juniors playing in the 10-12 division will be able to earn a spot in the Idaho Junior Am, if they have not Already earned a spot through Player of the Year Points.

Idaho Junior Am

Juniors playing in the 10-12 age division will have a chance to earn a spot in the Idaho Junior Am. Qualifying for the Idaho Junior Am is determined by Player of the Year Points earned over the season and by qualifying at the District Championship.



Championship Series

Juniors playing in the 12-U Series will be playing 9-holes of golf. This series is open to boys and girls age 8-12

Age Divisions

Girls Age 13-14

Boys Age 13-14

Girls Age 15-18

Boys Age 15-18

Yardage

5,000-5,600

5,400-6,100

5,400-6,100

5,800-6,800



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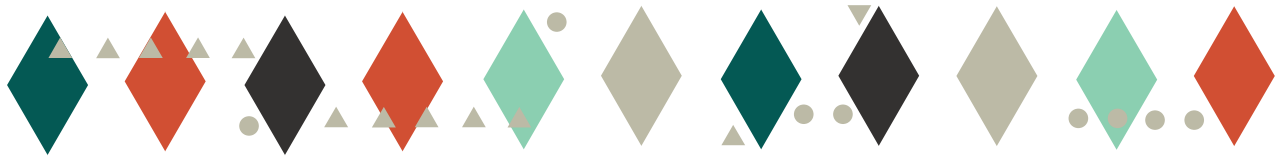
Parent Volunteers

Parents of Juniors playing on the Championship Series will be required to act as a volunteer at least one event.

The IGA offices will select when the parent will be an official volunteer. Unless the parent has notified the IGA office of when they can preform the task. Volunteer assignments will be announced when tee times are released five days prior to the event.

Qualifying adults: If a parent is unable to fulfill this requirement you may supply another adult (grandparent, aunt, uncle or neighbor) to take your place.





Stroke Limit

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District Championship

Juniors playing in the Championship Series will be able to earn a spot in the Idaho Junior Am, if they have not already earned a spot through Player of the Year Points.

Idaho Junior Am

Juniors playing in the Championship Series will have a chance to continue on to the Idaho Junior Am. They will play 54 holes over 3 days with a 36 hole cut. Qualifying for the Idaho Junior Am is determined by Player of the Year Points earned over the season and by qualifying at the District Championship.





Tournament Registration

Entries for Idaho Junior Tour tournaments will be accepted beginning March 1st. Entries must be submitted by 11:00 pm on the day of the deadline. Tournament deadlines will be one week prior to the tournament.

You **MUST** be a registered and paid Idaho Junior Tour member before registering for events.

Tournament Tee Times

Approximately five days prior to the event, a pairings list with tee times will be emailed to participants and published on the IJT website. Tee times will also be emailed to players via email provided upon registration.

During tournament play members with similar handicap indexes will be paired together with the intention of playing with someone of similar playing ability. Players that have not posted a minimum of five 18-Hole rounds to their GHIN number will show up as an "NH". Players with an "NH" will all be paired together. There is then a chance that the player will be paired with someone of either a higher or lower playing ability.

Specific tee time and pairing group requests will not be accommodated. Family members will not be paired together. Changes will not be made to the pairings, once tee times are released.

Tournament Withdraw and Refunds

In the event that it is necessary to withdraw from an event, please do so by calling the IGA office.

- If players withdraw **prior to the event deadline**, a full refund of the tournament fee less a \$5.00 credit card processing fee will be issued.
- If players withdraw **two days prior to the event**, a 50% refund of the tournament entry fee will be issued.
- If players withdraw **less than two days prior to the event**, please call the IGA office. No refund will be issued.



Player Responsibility

All players are to protect the field during tournament play. A player or player's scorekeeper (maker) must not sign a scorecard that he/she believes is incorrect.

A player shall not permit any score to be posted that he/she has evidence is incorrect. Players shall not leave the scoring area until, as a group, they reconcile, sign and attest all scorecards. Both the player and the marker may be subject to disqualification if they knowingly sign incorrect scorecards.

Please remember it is the responsibility of the players, not the parents or spectators to verify scorecards. Parents are not allowed in the scoring area. If players have difficulty confronting fellow competitors directly, the player must talk to a rules official or tournament coordinator prior to signing scorecards.

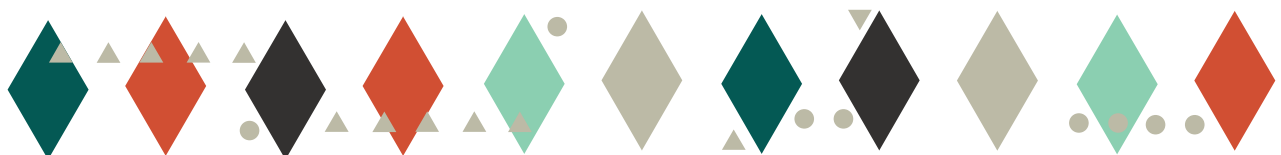
Players may not talk with parents regarding rulings or scores until AFTER the round is complete.

Rules and Etiquette

The USGA Rules and interpretations of Golf will be used at each event. Rules officials and staff members will be on site to help teach and enforce the rules in attempts to protect the field. Please help your child understand the basic rules and etiquette of the game. When a player is uncertain of a rule, he/she shall use the phone number provided to contact the tournament coordinator via cell phone. **Rulings must be put on speaker mode for the entire group to hear.**

Cell Phone Policy

During tournament play, players may not use their cell phone, unless it is for rules related information. All phones must be placed on silent. Subsequent offences may result in disqualification. Players are encouraged to use their cell phones to contact the clubhouse for rulings over the phone. **Rulings must put on speaker mode for the entire group to hear.**





Distance Measuring Devices

Distance Measuring Devices or rangefinders, will be permitted for all Series and Tour events. Features used to gauge other factors such as slope, wind, temperature, etc. must be disabled.

Pace of Play

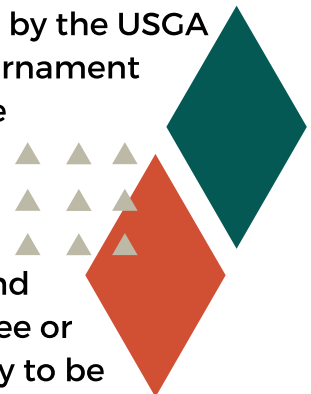
The Idaho Junior Tour Timing Pace of Play Policy will be in effect. As a recommendation to improve each group's pace of play, the following guidelines as laid out will be implemented.

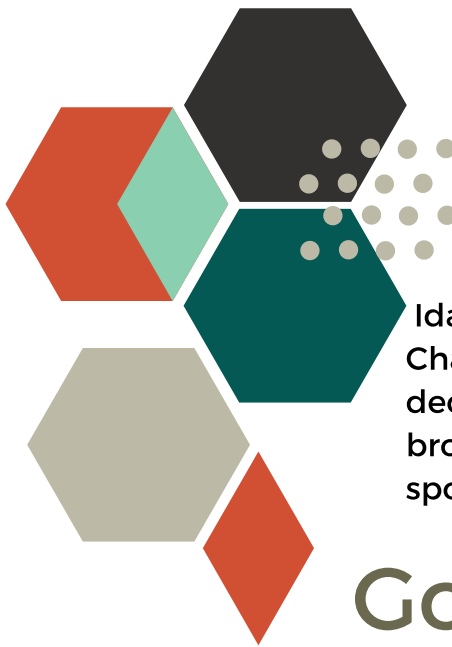
- Play ready golf throughout your entire round
 - The first player to finish playing a hole **MUST** immediately grab their bag and start making their way to the next tee. In doing this, the player walking ahead is expected to be quiet and courteous to his/her fellow-competitors. The player should periodically look back to watch the other players' shots.
 - The player **MUST** be the first person to play from the next teeing ground. This player must be getting their yardage and determining club selection while the other players are finishing the previous hole and walking to the tee.
- When spotters, officials or parents are available to help search for a lost ball, other players in the group will go forward to play their next shot in attempts to hold the groups position on the golf course. After advancing their ball, the entire group may search for the remainder of the three minutes.
- Walk with purpose between shots and from green to tee.

Rules and Competitions

Play in tournaments and events conducted by the IJT are governed by the USGA Rules and Interpretations of Golf, and supplemented by the IJT Tournament Rules and Conditions of Competitions, commonly referred to as the "Hard Card." Its rules apply to all IJT tournaments and events. Supplemental local rules will be distributed at events accordingly.

Every IJT member can pick up current copies of the Rules of Golf and IJT tournament Rules and Conditions of Competitions on the first tee or at the registration table at all events. It is each player's responsibility to be familiar with and carry both in his/her golf bag.





Tiebreaking

In the event of a tie in the regular season of competition, ties will not be broken. The regular season of competition is all IJT tournaments excluding District Championship and

Idaho Junior Am. In the event of any ties during the District Championship and Idaho Junior Am, first place ties will be decided by sudden death playoff on the course. Ties will also be broken at District Championships for any last place qualifying spot.

Golf Carts

Motorized carts are not allowed at any IJT event for use by participants. Pull/push carts may be used by participants. Participants may only accept a ride when warranted by a tournament official and in designated shuttle spots at each tournament.

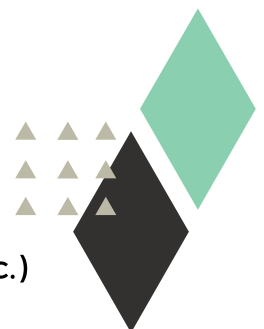
Code of Conduct

The IJT provides a venue for our members to participate in a game which can be pursued throughout life and which helps to develop character, sportsmanship, and the life values of integrity, honesty, self-discipline and competitive spirit.

Junior golfers are expected to comply with the following expectations throughout the tournament season, both on and off the course. Participants and spectators are expected to show good sportsmanship and proper conduct during all IJT events.

Any of the below behavior will be met with severe consequences as determined by the tournament committee. Flagrant and subsequent violations will result in automatic disqualification. Repeated infractions will result in suspension. Refunds will not be given in cases of suspension.

- Cheating
- Disrespect of officials, course staff and tournament directors
- Throwing/slamming clubs or balls
- Delay of play due to player routine
- Inappropriate language
- Inappropriate attire
- Damage to golf course property (slamming putters into greens, etc.)
- Damage to other competitors and thier property (I.E. clubs)
- Littering on golf course property
- Use of electronic devices to listen to music during the round
- Use of any type of tobacco, alcohol or drugs



Player Expectations

Etiquette

- Be respectful and courteous to the host course, fellow competitors and tournament staff
- Stand still and be quiet when someone is playing
- Be ready to play
- Replace divots and ball marks
- Watch errant golf shots and help search when time allows
- Use appropriate language and self-regulation methods after undesirable shots

On the Tee

- Stand to the side when players are swinging
- Use a unique identification mark to identify balls

In the Sand

- Enter and exit bunkers from the low side
- Leave rakes outside of bunkers, parallel with the line of play
- Rake bunkers smooth when you are finished playing

On the Green

- Place your clubs on the side of the green nearest the next tee
- Repair ball marks
- Place a ball marker directly behind your ball
- Walk to your ball and putt without stepping or standing on anyone's line of put



Dress Code

While on golf course property, players are expected to present themselves in a way that best represents themselves and the IJT. Players are required to follow the guidelines below.

Appropriate Attire

- Boys - Sleeved, collared and tucked in shirts. Knee length shorts or long pants
- Girls - Golf appropriate tops with no low cut V-necks. Mid-thigh length shorts/skirts or long pants.

Hat Policy

- Hats must be worn properly (bills forward) and removed when indoors on golf course property.

Inappropriate Attire

- Metal spikes
- Tank tops, halter tops, tee shirts
- Short shorts/skirts, spandex, running/basketball shorts
- Sweat pants, denim
- Baggy bottoms

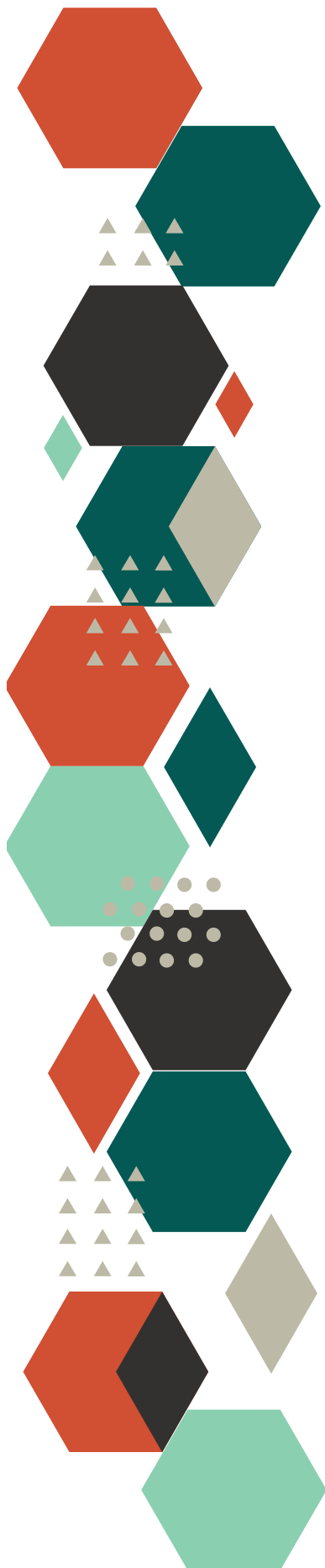


Spectator Policy

All parents, unless under suspension from the IGA, have the right to watch their child participate in Idaho Junior Tour tournaments. However, in order to maintain this ability, certain guidelines must be followed. All spectators must adhere to this policy, understanding that any breach will result in removal from the golf course and possibly being banned from future events. As a spectator at the golf course you are just that-a spectator. You are not an active participant in the day's events.

Spectators are encouraged to walk one shot ahead of the group they are watching in order to forecaddie (or spot) for golf balls. This also eliminates the temptation of talking to a junior golfer during his or her round.





General: Where provided, spectators **MUST** stay on the cart path or in the rough. The only two exceptions to this are:

- To help search for a golf ball
- If view of the putting green is obstructed from cart path

In each of these circumstances, spectators must return to the cart path as soon as the ball is located or the group has putted out, respectively.

- **Communication**

- Encouragement is always allowed. Anything that could possibly be constructed as advice is not allowed. The USGA defines advice as "any verbal comment or action that is intended to influence you or another player in choosing a club, making a stroke, or deciding how to play during a hole or round."
- You should not walk beside a junior golfer and talk. Spectators may provide players with drinks, towels, umbrellas, food, or other items not deemed equipment during a stipulated round. However, spectators must deliver the item to the player without providing advice or guidance.

- **Rulings**

- Spectators are NOT to give rulings on the golf course. If a player cannot locate a IJT staff member or rules official on hand, call the number provided via cell phone and ask your question via speaker mode so all can hear. Incorrect rulings given by parents will not be remedied in the scoring area, as players are ultimately responsible for knowing the rules.
- Please remember it is the responsibility of the players, not the parents or spectators to verify scorecards. Parents are not allowed in the scoring area. If players have difficulty confronting fellow competitors directly, please talk to a rules official or tournament coordinator prior to signing scorecards.
- Players may not talk with parents regarding rulings or scores until AFTER the round is complete. Changes will not be made to scorecards or rulings once a player has left the scoring area
- Volunteers helping out in the 12-U Series as a walking scorer will be the only adults allowed in the scoring area. These individuals are designated before a round. Official walking scorers will have a badge to identify them as the official scorer

- **Golf Carts**

- Spectators may rent carts to watch juniors play
- Carts will be rented out by the Pro Shop on a first come, first serve basis
- Spectators with carts are to keep carts out of the way of players. Carts are to remain on cart paths. when paths are not available carts are to remain in the rough
- Carts are not to follow behind players down the fairways, as it slows down play for the group behind. Spectators that continue to follow players down the fairway will be asked to move carts to the cart path or rough. If the spectator continues to remain in the fairway after being asked to move the cart. They will be asked to return to the pro shop.

- **Disputes and Disruptions**

- If you have an issue with another spectator, please inform a IJT staff member. DO NOT attempt to solve the issue on your own.
- Yelling at or discouraging a junior golfer, including your own child, will not be tolerated at any event. Insulting, intimidating, or communicating with any junior golfer in a destructive manner will result in immediate removal from the golf course.

- **Cell Phones**

- Spectators may carry cell phones so long as they are on silent or vibrate
- Spectators who misuse cell phones will be asked to leave the course

- **Volunteers and Staff**

- The Idaho Junior Tour is run by various volunteers, interns and IGA staff
- Disrespect to tournament officials, volunteers and other players will not be tolerated
- Obscene, abusive or vulgar language will not be tolerated
- Spectators interfering with discussions on rulings and scores will not be permitted

Parental or spectator interference may result in removal of spectating privileges. Warnings will not be issued. This policy has been adopted to protect the players. Any continued non-compliance with these policies will result in being asked to leave the course and possible a loss of future spectating privileges.

Idaho Junior Tour staff members have the authority to remove any spectator who is not abiding by the above policies.





Post Season Awards

The Idaho Junior Tour believes in recognizing players for their accomplishments throughout the year. As players accumulate points throughout the year, they will be recognized for their success. The Idaho Junior Tour points lists are used in determination of Player of the Year.

Diamond Line Player of the Year

All Idaho Junior Tour players earn points throughout the year based on how he/she places in tournaments played. These points are used to determine the point leaders for Diamond Line Player of the Year, who will qualify for Districts, and Idaho Junior Amateur.

Factors that affect how many points can be earned by the player for each tournament:

- Whether or not a full field (at least 5 players) is competing for the age division
- What level a tournament falls in

Events Eligible for Idaho Junior Tour Points

The following tournaments are eligible for points. The following tables show what level each tournament is, to see amount of points the tournament is allotted please see the points tables above.

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Jr Am & National Events	Local Qualifiers & Champ	Idaho Junior Tour
Idaho Junior Am	District Championship	All Idaho Junior Tour events: Southwest District Central District Eastern District Northern District
US Girls Jr Championship	IMG Jr. World Qualifier	
US Jr Championship	Dropping Championship	
Girls Jr Americas Cup	US Jr Am Qualifier	
Jr Americas Cup	US Girls Jr Am Qualifier	
PGA Jr Championship	Jr RMSPGA Champ	

Below is a breakdown of how points are calculated

Level 1	
Place	PTs
1st	500
2nd	450
3rd	400
4th	350
5th	300
6th	250
7th	200
8th	175
9th	150
10th	100
11th	90
12th	80
13th	70
14th	60
15th	50
16th	40
17th	30
18th	20
19th	15
20th	10

Level 2	
Place	PTs
1st	250
2nd	200
3rd	175
4th	150
5th	100
6th	90
7th	80
8th	70
9th	60
10th	50
11th	40
12th	30
13th	20
14th	15
15th	10

Level 3	
Place	PTs
1st	100
2nd	75
3rd	50
4th	45
5th	40
6th	35
7th	30
8th	25
9th	20
10th	10

*These levels are based on a full field; full fields consist of 5 or more players



*The below levels are based on a field that has less than 5 players

Level 2				
Place	4 Jrs	3 Jrs	2 Jrs	1 Jr
1st	150	100	85	10
2nd	100	60	45	
3rd	75	45		
4th	50			

Level 3				
Place	4 Jrs	3 Jrs	2 Jrs	1 Jr
1st	150	100	85	10
2nd	100	60	45	
3rd	75	45		
4th	50			

Idaho Junior Travel Teams

Juniors wishing to make the Idaho Junior Travel teams for Junior America's Cup, Girls Junior America's Cup, and Hogan Cup will qualify based on the following:

- Idaho Junior Travel Team Points System
 - Current year results from: IMG Junior World Qualifier, Dropping Championship, U.S. Junior Am Qualifier, RMSPGA Championship Qualifier
 - Previous year results from: Idaho Junior Am, IMG Junior World Championship, U.S. Junior Am Championship, National PGA Championship, Junior America's Cup, and Girls Junior America's Cup
 - *Note this is a separate points system than the Diamond Line Player of the Year Points System*
- Submit Idaho Junior Tour Application by June 1st
- Letter of Recommendation
- Tournament Experience
- 2 minute video about them
- Juniors MUST be permanent residents of Idaho
- Juniors must be age 14 and not reached their 19th birthday or attend an institution of higher education

Juniors wishing to make the Idaho Junior Travel Team for North Pacific Junior Ladies will qualify based on the following:

- Idaho Junior Travel Team Points System
 - Previous year results from: Idaho Junior Am, IMG Junior World Qualifier and Championship, U.S. Junior Am Qualifier and Championship, RMSPGA Championship Qualifier and National PGA Championship, Girls Junior America's Cup, Junior America's Cup
 - *Note this is a separate points system than the Diamond Line Player of the Year Points System*
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 - Tournament Experience
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 - Juniors MUST be permanent residents of Idaho
 - Juniors must be age 14 and not reached their 19th birthday or attend an institution of higher education

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15th	50
16th	40
17th	30
18th	20
19th	15
20th	10

Idaho Junior Travel Team Points System



2020 IDAHO JUNIOR TOUR SCHEDULE

SOUTHWEST SCHEDULE

June 3rd - Lakeview
June 8th - Robin Hood @ Falcon Crest
June 10th - Desert Canyon
June 15th - Purple Sage
June 22nd - BanBury
June 29th - Centennial
July 1st - Warm Springs
July 6th - Rolling Hills
July 8th - RedHawk
July 13-14 - Districts: River Birch

CENTRAL SCHEDULE

June 10th - River's Edge
June 15th - Twin Falls
June 22nd - 93 Golf Ranch
June 29th - Jerome CC
July 1st - Rupert CC
July 6th - Canyon Springs
July 13-14 - Districts: Clear Lakes

EASTERN SCHEDULE

June 3rd - Jefferson Hills
June 11th - Sage Lakes
June 17th - Teton Lakes
June 22nd - Juniper Hills CC
June 30th - Riverside
July 6th - Blackfoot
July 13-14 - Districts: Teton Lakes

NORTHERN SCHEDULE

June 10th - The Links
June 15th - Stoneridge
June 22nd - Twin Lakes
June 24th - The Highlands
June 29th - Avondale
July 6th - Liberty Lakes
July 13-14 - Districts: Prairie Falls

QUALIFIERS & CHAMPIONSHIPS

June 1st - Junior Worlds
@ Canyon Springs

June 8th-9th - Dropping
@ BanBury

June 15th - US Junior Am Q
@ Falcon Crest

June 25-26 - RMSPGA JR
@ Preston Golf & CC

August 10-12 Idaho Junior Am
@ Pinecrest

JUNIOR TRAVEL TEAM SCHEDULE

North Pacific Junior Ladies
Skagit Golf & CC -Burlington, WA
May 22-24

Girls Junior America's Cup
BanBury Golf Course - Eagle, ID
July 19-23

Junior America's Cup
Genoa Lakes Golf Club - Deona, NV
July 26-30

Hogan Cup
Riverside Golf & CC - Portland, OR
Aug 7-9



Idaho Junior Tour **JUNIOR TRAVEL TEAM** Application

ABOUT

All juniors wishing to be selected for a position on the Idaho Junior Travel Team(s) supported by the Idaho Golf Association and Idaho Junior Golf Foundation **MUST** submit this application.

Team selection will be made by the Idaho Junior Committee based on a combination of factors including:

- Junior Travel Team Points System
- Tournament Experience
- Letter of Recommendation
- Essay questions
- Player video
- Must be Permanent Residents of Idaho
- Junior Travel Team Application

REQUIREMENTS

- 1) Junior must be 14 years of age and have not reached their 18th birthday by time of the event
- 2) Submit letter of recommendation
- 3) Submit a 2 minute video (if need help please reach out to the IGA office)
- 4) Submit essay questions
- 5) Must be a player in good standing

MAIL TO

Questions: (208) 342-4442

Email: Application & Video to
cecilia@idahoga.org

Mail: Idaho Junior Travel Teams
232 S. Whisperwood Way
Boise, Idaho 83709

TEAM INFORMATION

- The Idaho Golf Association and Idaho Junior Golf Foundation will cover the cost of the team entry fee, hotel accommodations for players (when host housing is not available) and will assist with the cost of team uniforms
- Parents and players are responsible for the cost of travel to the event, any overage on uniform cost, and any other incidental cost related to the event



GIRLS EVENTS

- ☐ **North Pacific Junior Ladies Team**
6 Girls representing Team Idaho
May 22-24, 2020
Skagit Golf & Country Club
Burlington, WA
- ☐ **Girls Junior America's Cup**
4 Girls representing Team Idaho
July 19-23, 2020
BanBury Golf Course
Eagle, ID

BOYS EVENTS

- ☐ **Junior America's Cup**
4 Boys representing Team Idaho
July 26-30, 2020
Genoa Lakes Golf Club
Genoa, NV
- ☐ **Hogan Cup**
4 Boys representing Team Idaho
August 7-9, 2020
Riverside Golf & Country Club
Portland, OR

APPLICATION

Name: _____
Phone #: _____
Email: _____
Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____
Parent Name: _____
Parent Phone #: _____
Email: _____

WRITTEN

On a separate piece of paper, answer the following questions:

- List all non-IGA tournaments you played in
- What does being a part of the Idaho Junior Travel Team mean to you?
- What are your long term goals in golf?
- List any accomplishments that might show merit.

CERTIFICATION

Complete application, letter of recommendation, video and essay questions are due by
North Pacific Junior Ladies **April 1st**
Junior America's Cup, Girls Junior America's Cup and Hogan Cup **June 1st**

I certify that the enclosed information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Any false information given will automatically void this application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____



Idaho Junior Golf Foundation

CODY HAYES MEMORIAL

Scholarship

ABOUT

This packet contains information on the Cody Hayes Memorial Scholarship. Scholarship funds are made possible by proceeds generated from the IJGF Auction. Juniors and parents should read the entire document thoroughly and be sure to complete ALL areas

REQUIREMENTS

- 1) Student **MUST** be entering his/her freshman year of college
- 2) Has been or currently is a member in good standing of the IGA Juniors or involved in golf in Idaho in some capacity.
- 3) Submit a 2 minute video (if need help please reach out to the IGA office)
- 4) Submit an official copy of his/her high school transcript.

DEADLINE

Completed applications and supporting documents must be received no later than April 15, 2020

Must contain

- Completed application
- Supporting documents
- Signatures

MAIL TO

Questions: (208) 342-4442

Email: Application & Video to
idjrgolffoundation@gmail.com

Mail: Idaho Junior Golf Foundation
232 S. Whisperwood Way
Boise, Idaho 83709

JUNIOR INFORMATION

Please print or type in black or blue ink only

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Number of years competed on the Junior Tour: _____

Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____



HIGH SCHOOL

High School: _____
 Cumulative GPA: _____
 SAT/ACT Composite Score: _____/
 Advanced placement courses taken: _____

UNIVERSITY

List the University or College you will be attending: _____

 Will you be receiving financial aid for golf?
 Yes _____ No _____
 If so, what is the amount: \$ _____
 What is the estimated out of pocket cost for your first year of college? \$ _____

FINANCIAL AID

List any financial aid you will be receiving:
 Source of aid: _____
 Amount: \$ _____
 Duration (years): _____
 Source of aid: _____
 Amount: \$ _____
 Duration (years): _____

WRITTEN

On a separate piece of paper, answer the following questions:

- How has golf impacted your life?
- What are your ambitions and goals?
- List any extenuating circumstances that might show need.
- List any accomplishments that might show merit.

CERTIFICATION

Applications are deemed incomplete if any fields on both pages are left blank

High School Official Signature: _____ Date: _____

How many children are in your household: _____

Parent's average income: Under \$75k a year _____ \$75k-\$150k a year _____ \$150k + a year _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

I certify that the enclosed information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Any false information given will automatically void this application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____



Idaho Junior Golf Foundation

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Application

ABOUT

This packet contains information on the IJGF Financial Assistance program.

Assistance funds are made possible by proceeds generated from the IJGF Auction. Juniors and parents should read the entire document thoroughly and be sure to complete ALL areas

REQUIREMENTS

- 1) Has been or currently is a member in good standing of the Idaho Junior Tour
- 2) Completely fill out ALL areas of the Junior Application below.

INFORMATION

Please print or type

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Email: _____

ESSAYS

On a separate piece of paper, answer the following questions.

- What does golf mean to you?
- What are your ambitions and goals?
- List any extenuating circumstances that might show need.
- List any accomplishments that might show merit.

PARENT INFO

Please select Parent's average income:

- ☐ \$ Under 75k a year
- ☐ \$ 75k-150k a year
- ☐ \$150k + a year

VOLUNTEER

On a separate piece of paper, answer the following questions.

- List any volunteer and/or community service work that you are involved with or have done



Please select what you are seeking assistance with:

MEMBERSHIPS

- ☐ Idaho Junior Tour Membership
- ☐ Youth on Course Membership
- ☐ Junior Season Pass (at local golf course)

TOURNAMENTS

- ☐ Idaho Junior Tour Tournaments
- ☐ Local Junior Qualifiers
- ☐ Idaho Junior Am
- ☐ Other Junior Tournaments (please list)

GOLF

- ☐ Junior Lessons (with local pro)
- ☐ Assistance with golf clubs
- ☐ Golf Accessories (golf shoes, golf bag, push cart, etc.)

TRAVEL TEAM

- ☐ Girls/Junior America's Cup
- ☐ North Pacific Junior Ladies
- ☐ Hogan Cup

INFORMATION

On a separate piece of paper please list the memberships, tournaments, qualifiers, or golf assistance.

Please include the value of IJGF assistance
\$ _____

SEND TO

Please submit completed applications along with sheets of written or typed essay answers to one of the following:

Email: cecilia@idahoga.org
Mail: Idaho Junior Golf Foundation
Attention: Financial Aid
232 S. Whisperwood Way
Boise, Idaho 83709

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the enclosed information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Any false information given will automatically void this application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Idaho Junior Tour Request to Play Up

Juniors playing on the Junior Tour may request to Play Up a division.

- Applications **MUST** be turned in by **May 15th** to be considered for the season.
- Juniors **MUST** submit a letter of recommendation from a PGA Pro with this application.

JUNIOR INFORMATION

Name: _____

Birthdate: _____

Phone: _____

Current Age Division: _____

Email: _____

Requested Age Division: _____

REASON FOR REQUEST

CERTIFICATION I understand that by moving divisions, I will be playing from longer yardages and with older juniors. I understand that I will not be allowed to return to my previous division.

JUNIORS SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

PARENTS SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

LOCAL RULES AND CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION FOR 2020

IDAHO JUNIOR TOUR TOURNAMENTS

The Rules of the United States Golf Association govern play. See applicable Championship Notice to Players for modifications or additions to these Local Rules. Complete text of Rules and Model Local Rules may be found in the current "Rules of Golf".

Unless otherwise provided, penalty for breach of a Model Local Rule is the general penalty:

Stroke Play - Two Strokes; Match Play - Loss of Hole



LOCAL RULES

OUT OF BOUNDS - Defined by the line between the course-side points, at ground level, of white stakes and fence posts. Rule 18.2.

Local Rule as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule A-3. A ball which crosses a public road defined as out of bounds and comes to rest beyond that road, is out of bounds, even though it may lie in another area of the course.

RED AND YELLOW PENALTY AREAS - When a penalty area is defined on only one side, it extends to infinity.

When a penalty area is connected to the out-of-bounds edge, the penalty area extends to and coincides with out of bounds.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR - Defined by white lines. French drains are ground under repair.

When immediately adjacent to an immovable obstruction, such an area is part of that obstruction.

OBSTRUCTIONS - Includes asphalt and artificially surfaced roads and paths. White lined areas tying into roads and paths have the same status as the road or path; thus they are obstructions and not ground under repair. Railroad ties, curbing, or the like adjoining a cart path are deemed to be part of the cart path. Relief from ground netting and putting green liners is available for lie of ball and area of intended swing only.

CONFORMING DRIVER HEADS - Optional condition as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule G-1.

CONFORMING GOLF BALLS - Optional Condition as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule G-3.

PRACTICE - Prior to and after a round in stroke play, a player may practice on the designated practice areas. In stroke play, a player may practice on the course after completing play of his or her final round for that day. Prior to and between a round in match play, a player may practice on the course. Rule 5.2.

Refer to Rule 5.5b for when practicing between holes is allowed.

STOPPING AND RESUMING PLAY - Local Rule as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule J-1. All practice areas are closed during an immediate suspension for a dangerous situation until the Committee has declared them open. Players who practice on closed practice areas will be asked to stop practicing; failure to stop practicing might result in disqualification.

Note: An immediate suspension will be signaled by one prolonged air horn note. All other types of suspension will be signaled by three consecutive air horn notes. Resumption of play will be signaled by two short air horn notes.

PACE OF PLAY - A player shall be subject to penalty if he/she unduly delays play. Notes under Rule 5.6 and Optional Condition as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule K. Pace of Play guidelines are usually published and distributed at IGA Competitions.

Carts - During a round, a player must not ride on any form of motorized transportation **except** as authorized or later approved by the committee. Model Local Rule G-6

SOD SEAMS - Local Rule as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule F-7. Relief for the Seam only. Relief available for lie of ball and area of intended swing only.

WOOD CHIPS AND MULCH - are loose impediments. Wood chips and mulch used for artificially surfaced roads/paths remain loose impediments. This right is not cancelled by the fact that when a path is constructed of wood chips and mulch it becomes an artificially surfaced path and thus an immovable obstruction.

INTEGRAL OBJECTS - Include cables, rods, wires and wrappings when closely attached to trees.

TEMPORARY IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTIONS (TIO) - Local Rule as prescribed in Section 8 of the Committee Procedures is in effect. Model Local Rule F-23. Relief from a TIO is allowed when there is physical interference or line of play interference from the TIO.

DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES - In all competitions, a player may obtain distance information by using a device measuring distance. If during a stipulated round, a player uses a distance-measuring device to gauge or measure other conditions that might affect his play (e.g., gradient, slope, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 4.3.

CLOSE OF COMPETITION - The competition is final when the trophy has been presented to the winner or, in the absence of a prize ceremony, when all scores have been approved by the Committee. The result of a match is final when the Committee has approved the result as posted on the public scoreboard.

Caddies - A player must not have a caddie during the round. Model Local Rule H-1.I

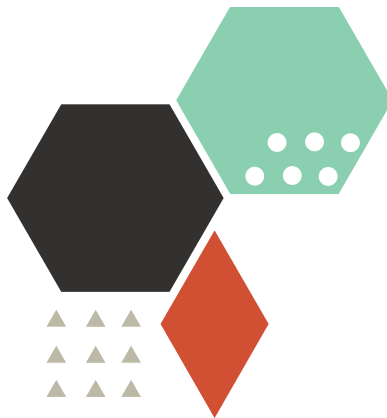
Official Walking Scorer - Juniors in the 9-hole series will be assigned an official walking scorer.

Max 10 Stroke - All juniors are playing under the Max 10 Stroke rule. A player's score for a hole is based on the player's number of strokes, except that the player will get only the maximum score even if the actual score exceeds the maximum.

A player who does not hole out under the Rules for any reason gets the maximum score for the hole (10) Rule 21.2

IGA DRESS CODE - Players must abide by the IGA dress code during practice and competitive rounds. Men's shirts must have collars and sleeves and must be tucked in. Denim, blue jeans, gym shorts, and cutoffs are not permitted. Women's shirts may be collarless and sleeveless, but spaghetti straps are prohibited. Denim, blue jeans, gym shorts, and cutoffs are not permitted. Yoga pants and leggings are permitted only if covered by shorts or a skirt. Shirts are not required to be tucked in, but midriffs may not be visible. Dress code applies to all players and caddies.

Penalty for breach of IGA dress code—may be prohibited from competing.



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