

**NEBRASKA GOLF ASSOCIATION
SENIOR POINT EVALUATION SYSTEM**

*To be used in determining Senior Participants in the Nebraska Cup Matches and
in selecting the Nebraska Senior Golfer of the Year.*

The purpose of the Nebraska Golf Association's (NebGolf) senior point evaluation system is to establish objective criteria by which the NebGolf Tournament Committee can judge the performance of senior golfers* who participate in state and/ or national tournaments concluding prior to November 1. Events concluding November 1 or later, will be rolled over into the following year.

Nebraska Golf Association Championships

The number of points allocated to Nebraska Golf Association Championships are fixed. In extreme cases, the NebGolf Tournament Committee may increase or decrease the number of points allocated to these championships based upon strength of field.

USGA Championships and Championship Qualifiers

The number of points allocated to USGA Championships and Championship Qualifiers are fixed. In extreme cases, the NebGolf Tournament Committee may increase or decrease the number of points allocated to these qualifiers based upon strength of field.

Non-NebGolf Championship Point Events

(Non-NebGolf Point Event)

The number of points allocated to a *Non-NebGolf Point Event* will be based upon a guaranteed minimum Tiered point structure with potential increase in Tier status based on the event's strength of field. Based on **NebGolf PLAYER RANKINGS**, eligible *Non-NebGolf Point Events* may be assigned points on one of four tier levels.

To qualify for Tier One, a *Non-NebGolf/USGA Point Event* must meet 2 of the following 3 **NebGolf PLAYER RANKINGS** criteria: 1) include 4 of the top 10; 2) include 10 of the top 25; or 3) include 13 of the top 50.

To qualify for Tier Two, a *Non-NebGolf/USGA Point Event* must meet 2 of the following 3 **NebGolf PLAYER RANKINGS** criteria: 1) include 3 of the top 10; 2) include 7 of the top 25; or 3) include 10 of the top 50.

To qualify for Tier Three, a *Non-NebGolf/USGA Point Event* must meet 2 of the following 3 **NebGolf PLAYER RANKINGS** criteria: 1) include 2 of the top 10; 2) include 5 of the top 25; or 3) include 8 of the top 50.

All other events approved by the NebGolf Tournament Committee not meeting Tier 1-3 criteria, will be assigned as a Tier Four event.

Seniors can earn points for the Fremont Invitational or the Indian Creek Invite in either the regular event or a separate senior division. For the Fremont Invitational, seniors competing from the Championship tees in Round Two will be eligible to earn points for the senior division. If a player earns points in both the championship division and the senior division, they will receive the higher of the two point values. For the Indian Creek Invite, seniors opting to compete in the senior flight they would be eligible for the senior points only.

To be designated as a *Non-NebGolf Point Event*, tournaments must be scheduled for at least 36-holes of competition at a NebGolf member club or an approved non-NebGolf member club. These events may not be restricted to competitors based on geographical residence and shall otherwise be approved by NebGolf. In order to be considered for point event status as a *Non-NebGolf Point Event*, tournaments shall submit to NebGolf in writing their desire for designation as such by April 1. All qualified events to be considered for *Non-NebGolf Point Event* status will be listed on the NebGolf web site's Point Tournament Schedule section as *Non-NebGolf Point Events*.

NebGolf PLAYER RANKINGS will be published on the NebGolf web site January 1. The rankings are based upon a player's performance in the most recent 24-month period with the last 12 months multiplied by 1.5.

National Senior Events

The number of points allocated to these selected events are fixed. In extreme cases, the NebGolf Tournament Committee may increase or decrease the number of points allocated to these events based upon strength of field.

Tournament Participation Limit

In order to prevent unfair advantages of one player over others, simply by playing in more tournaments, each player will only be allocated points based on player's best six tournament finishes.

Nebraska Cup Team

The Nebraska Cup Team is comprised of 12 players. Eight players are determined by the NebGolf Point Standings, the remaining four players are determined by the previous year's final NebGolf Senior Point Standings. Of these four, those golfers ranked in the top three will qualify for the team. The Nebraska Golf Association Board of Directors has granted the NebGolf Tournament Committee

the right to select the remainder of the team, including replacements for qualifiers.

The NebGolf Tournament Committee will use the above point evaluation system as a guide and not as an absolute measure of a player's performance. Other criteria to be used include but are not limited to: a player's GHIN or USGA approved handicap, compliance with the USGA Rules of Golf and Rules of Amateur Status, the USGA's policy on gambling, and a player's integrity and conduct both on and off the golf course.

* Senior golfer is defined as an amateur golfer who has reached the age of 50.

**For the purpose of cup team selection and postseason awards, the player in consideration must have played in at least one NebGolf Championship.

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Part Two – Point Allocation Chart

Nebraska Golf Association Championships:

Nebraska Senior Amateur Championship

| Place | Points |
|----------|--------|
| Champion | 600 |
| 2 | 480 |
| 3 | 420 |
| 4 | 360 |
| 5 | 300 |
| 6 | 270 |
| 7 | 240 |
| 8 | 210 |
| 9 | 180 |
| 10 | 168 |
| 11 | 156 |
| 12 | 144 |
| 13 | 138 |
| 14 | 132 |
| 15 | 126 |
| 16 | 120 |

Nebraska Senior Match Play Championship

| Place | Points |
|-----------------|--------|
| Champion | 540 |
| Runner-Up | 420 |
| Semifinalist | 300 |
| Quarterfinalist | 210 |
| 9-16 | 120 |

Nebraska Match Play Championship

| Place | Points |
|-----------------|--------|
| Champion | 800 |
| Runner-Up | 550 |
| Semifinalist | 400 |
| Quarterfinalist | 275 |
| 9-16 | 175 |
| 17-32 | 100 |

Nebraska Four-Ball Championship

| Place | Points |
|-----------|------------|
| Champion | 175/player |
| Runner-Up | 125/player |
| 3 | 100/player |
| 4 | 85/player |
| 5 | 60/player |

Nebraska Amateur Championship

| Place | Points |
|--------------------|--------|
| Champion | 1000 |
| 2 | 675 |
| 3 | 590 |
| 4 | 500 |
| 5 | 420 |
| 6 | 380 |
| 7 | 340 |
| 8 | 300 |
| 9 | 250 |
| 10 | 235 |
| 11 | 220 |
| 12 | 200 |
| 13 | 190 |
| 14 | 185 |
| 15 | 175 |
| 16-20 | 170 |
| 21-25 | 125 |
| 26-35 | 85 |
| 36-45 | 55 |
| Others to Make Cut | 50 |

Nebraska Mid-Amateur Championship

| Place | Points |
|----------|--------|
| Champion | 600 |
| 2 | 480 |
| 3 | 420 |
| 4 | 360 |
| 5 | 300 |
| 6 | 270 |
| 7 | 240 |
| 8 | 210 |
| 9 | 180 |
| 10 | 168 |
| 11 | 156 |
| 12 | 144 |
| 13 | 138 |
| 14 | 132 |
| 15 | 126 |
| 16 | 120 |
| 17 | 115 |
| 18 | 110 |
| 19 | 105 |
| 20 | 100 |
| 21-25 | 95 |
| 26-30 | 90 |

Nebraska Match Play Championship

Stroke Play Qualifying

| Place | Points |
|----------|--------|
| Medalist | 240 |
| 2 | 200 |
| 3 | 160 |
| 4 | 145 |
| 5 | 130 |
| 6 | 120 |
| 7 | 110 |
| 8 | 105 |
| 9 | 95 |
| 10 | 80 |

USGA Championships and Championship Qualifiers:

USGA Championship Qualifying:

| Tournament | Qualify | 1 st Alt. | 2 nd Alt. | Med |
|------------------------|---------|----------------------|----------------------|-----|
| U.S. Open Local | 300 | 200 | 150 | 350 |
| U.S. Open Sectional | 500 | 400 | 300 | 600 |
| U.S. Senior Open Sect. | 400 | 300 | 200 | 500 |
| U.S. Amateur | 300 | 200 | 150 | 350 |
| U.S. Mid-Amateur | 250 | 175 | 125 | 300 |
| U.S. Amateur Four-Ball | 200 | 150 | 100 | 250 |
| U.S. Senior Amateur | 200 | 150 | 100 | 250 |

USGA National Championships:

Stroke Play

| Tournament | Win | RU | T5 | T10 | T15 | T20 | T30 | T40 | LoAm | MkCt |
|------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|------|------|
| U.S. Open | 6000 | 4000 | 3000 | 2400 | 2000 | 1800 | | | 3000 | 2000 |
| U.S. Senior Open | 3600 | 2000 | 1000 | 800 | 700 | 600 | | | 500 | 500 |

Match Play

| Tournament | Win | RU | S's | Q's | R16 | R32 | R64 | Med |
|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| U.S. Amateur | 4000 | 3000 | 2000 | 1400 | 1000 | 600 | 400 | 800 |
| U.S. Mid-Amateur | 2000 | 1400 | 1100 | 900 | 700 | 500 | 300 | 600 |
| U.S. Amateur Four-Ball | 1600 | 1200 | 1000 | 800 | 600 | 400 | 200 | 450 |
| U.S. Senior Amateur | 1500 | 1000 | 700 | 500 | 400 | 300 | 200 | 400 |

Non-NebGolf Championship Point Events:

The number of points allocated to a *Non-NebGolf Point Event* will be based upon a guaranteed minimum tiered point structure with a potential increase in status based on the event’s strength of field.

Guaranteed *Non-NebGolf Point Events* were determined based on tournament history and strength of field; they are subject to annual review by the NebGolf Tournament Committee.

Note: For complete information on *Non-NebGolf Point Events*, including definitions and tier level qualifications, see the written portion of NebGolf’s Senior Point Evaluation System.

| Tier One | Tier Two | Tier Three | Tier Four |
|---|-----------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Fremont Invitational | | NSGA State Tournament | Columbus Classic |
| Dinsdale Classic | | Fremont Invitational (Sr. Blue Tees) | Hastings Open |
| Indian Creek Invitational | | Indian Creek Invite (Sr. Division) | Homesteader |
| Nebraska Open (120 point bonus for Low Am)* | | | Mayor’s Cup |
| PBC Nebraska Qualifier* | | | |

| Place | Points | Place | Points | Place | Points | Place | Points |
|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| 1 | 300 | 1 | 240 | 1 | 180 | 1 | 120 |
| 2 | 240 | 2 | 190 | 2 | 150 | 2 | 100 |
| 3 | 210 | 3 | 170 | 3 | 120 | 3 | 70 |
| 4 | 180 | 4 | 145 | 4 | 110 | 4 | 60 |
| 5 | 160 | 5 | 130 | 5 | 95 | 5 | 50 |
| 6 | 145 | 6 | 115 | 6 | 90 | | |
| 7 | 130 | 7 | 110 | 7 | 85 | | |
| 8 | 120 | 8 | 95 | 8 | 80 | | |
| 9 | 110 | 9 | 85 | 9 | 70 | | |
| 10 | 95 | 10 | 80 | 10 | 60 | | |
| 11 | 85 | 11 | 65 | | | | |
| 12 | 75 | 12 | 60 | | | | |
| 13 | 60 | 13 | 50 | | | | |
| 14 | 55 | 14 | 40 | | | | |
| 15 | 50 | 15 | 35 | | | | |
| 16 | 45 | | | | | | |
| 17 | 35 | | | | | | |
| 18-20 | 30 | | | | | | |

**Points for Nebraska Open and PBC Nebraska Qualifier will be awarded based on the full field of professionals and amateurs*

Note: Non-NebGolf Point Events reduced to 18-holes will be awarded 75% of the assigned point totals listed above.

National Senior Events:**Stoke Play Tournaments**

| Tournament | Win | RU | T5 | T10 | T15 | T20 | T30 | T40 | LoAm | MkCt |
|----------------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| British Senior Open | 3600 | 2000 | 1000 | 800 | 700 | 600 | | | 500 | 500 |
| National Senior HOF | 1000 | 700 | 500 | 400 | 300 | 200 | 100 | 50 | | |
| Senior Azalea Invitational | 1000 | 700 | 500 | 400 | 300 | 200 | 100 | | | |
| SOS Senior Masters | 1000 | 700 | 500 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | | | |
| North & South Senior | 800 | 500 | 400 | 300 | 200 | 100 | 50 | | | |
| George Coleman Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Dave King Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Golfweek Senior Amateur | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Lupton Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Senior Porter Cup | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Sunnehana Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| The Hesler | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Trans-Miss Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Chanticleer Natl. Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| Carlton Woods Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | |
| George C. Thomas Senior | 700 | 400 | 300 | 150 | 75 | | | | | |
| U.S. Senior Challenge | 500 | 300 | 200 | 100 | 50 | | | | | |
| Georgia Senior Invite | 400 | 250 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | | |
| Low Country Senior Invite | 400 | 250 | 150 | 75 | 50 | | | | | |