

NEBRASKA WOMEN'S POINT EVALUATION SYSTEM

NEBRASKA GOLF ASSOCIATION

To be used in determining exemptions, strength of field, selection of the Nebraska Women's Amateur Golfer of the Year and any necessary Select Teams.

Part One – Written Portion

The purpose of the Nebraska Women's Point Evaluation System is to establish objective criteria by which the Nebraska Golf Association can judge the performance of golfers who participate in state and/or national tournaments beginning after March 31 and concluding prior to November 1.

Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Championships

The number of points allocated to Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Championships are fixed. In extreme cases, NGA may increase or decrease the number of points allocated to these championships based upon strength of field.

USGA Championship Qualifiers

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

Member Club Events

In order to be considered for point event status as a *Member Club Event*, tournaments shall submit to NGA in writing their desire for designation as such including a list of participants. These tournaments must be scheduled for at least 36-holes of competition at a NGA member club or an approved non-NGA member club. Based on an approved event's strength of field, it will be assigned to one of three point levels.

National Events

The number of points allocated to national events are fixed. In extreme cases, NGA may increase or decrease the number of points allocated to these events based upon strength of field. If a player competes in a national event not listed, the player may submit a written request (send to jahrens@nebgolf.org) for NGA to review and potentially award points in an equitable manner.

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 the player's best five tournament finishes. At least one of the player's five point finishes must be from a Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Championship.

NGA will use the above point evaluation system as a guide and not as an absolute measure of a player's performance or eligibility for award or team selection. Other criteria to be used include but are not limited to: a player's Handicap Index, compliance with the 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.

** An amateur golfer forfeiting her amateur status remains in the applicable point standings for player of the year consideration but is excluded when determining select teams.*

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Part Two – Point Allocation Chart

Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Championships:

**Nebraska Women's Amateur Championship
Championship Division**

Place	Points
Champion	600
2	500
3	420
4	370
5	320
6	280
7	250
8	230
9	210
10	200
11	190
12	175
13	160
14	145
15	130
16-20	120
21-25	100
26-35	80
36-45	60

**Nebraska Women's Match Play Championship
Championship Bracket**

Place	Points
Champion	500
Runner-Up	400
Semifinalist	300
Quarterfinalist	200
Round of 16	150
Round of 32	75
Stroke Play Qualifying	
Medalist	100

NWAGA Senior's Championship

Place	Points
Champion	150
2	125
3	100
4	90
5	80
6	75
7	70
8	65
9	60
10	50

Nebraska Women's Mid-Amateur Champ.

Place	Points
Champion	200
2	160
3	140
4	120
5	110
6	95
7	90
8	80
9	70
10	65

USGA Championship Qualifiers:

Tournament	Qualify	1 st Alt.	2 nd Alt.	Medalist
U.S. Women's Open	400	300	200	500
U.S. Senior Women's Open	250	175	125	300
U.S. Women's Amateur	250	175	125	300
U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur	175	125	75	200
U.S. Women's Amateur Four-Ball	150	100	75	175
U.S. Women's Senior Amateur	150	100	75	175

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Level One		Level Two		Level Three	
Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1	200	1	150	1	100
2	160	2	125	2	80
3	140	3	100	3	70
4	120	4	90	4	60
5	110	5	80	5	55
6	95	6	75	6	50
7	90	7	70	7	45
8	80	8	65	8	40
9	70	9	60	9	35
10	65	10	50	10	30

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

National Events:

Tournament	Win	RU	T5	T10	T15	T20	T30	T40	LoAm	MkCt
U.S. Women's Open	9000	5000	2000	1500	1200	900	800	700	600	500
ANA Inspiration	9000	5000	2000	1500	1200	900	800	700	600	500
LPGA Tour Event	5000	3000	1500	1000	900	800	700	600		400
U.S. Sr. Women's Open	2000	1500	1000	900	800	700	600	500	250	200
Augusta National W.A.	1500	1000	700	500	400	300	200			
LPGA Amateur	700	500	400	300	200	100	50			
Women's Porter Cup	700	500	400	300	200	100	50			
Southwestern Women's	700	500	400	300	200	100	50			
Sea Island Women's Am	700	500	400	300	200	100	50			
Women's Eastern Am	500	400	300	200	100	50				
Prairie Invitational	400	300	200	100	75	50				

Match Play Tournaments

Tournament	Win	RU	S's	Q's	R16	R32	R64	Med
U.S. Women's Amateur	2000	1500	1000	700	500	400	200	400
Women's Western Amateur	1200	900	700	500	400	300		300
North & South Women's Amateur	1200	900	700	500	400	300		300
U.S. Women's Amateur Four-Ball	800	600	450	350	250	150		225
U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur	700	500	400	300	200	100	50	100
U.S. Senior Women's Amateur	500	400	300	200	100	75	50	100
Women's Southern Amateur	400	300	200	100	50			50
Pacific NW Women's Amateur	400	300	200	100	50			50