2025 SOUTH FLORIDA PGA
PLAYER POINT SYSTEM

1. All points earned for qualifying will be awarded at the time of the qualifier, even if the championship proper is in the following year.

2. For the Senior Professional National Championship (Senior PNC), non-exempt players will be awarded 50 points for participating in the Section qualifier as well as an additional 50 points if they qualify and participate in the respective National Professional Championship. (Note: The additional 50 points will not be posted until the player tees off in the national championship.) Exempt Players will be awarded points at the time of qualifying on the section level with additional points awarded if they participate in the National Championship. (Note: The additional 50 points will not be posted until the player tees off in the national championship. Exempt players are not eligible for the 50 automatic qualifier points if they sign up for the section qualifier).

3. This point system is used to determine the Section Players of the Year, the members of the South Florida PGA Challenge Cup team and Senior Challenge Cup team, and various other playing opportunities including, but not limited to, corporate golf outings. For the Senior Challenge Cup, the captain will decide which players will play as "seniors" and "super seniors" if a player qualifies in both categories. For both the Challenge Cup and Senior Challenge Cup, the captain will get up to two captains picks in the case that qualified players are unable to play. The twelve members of the previous year's Challenge Cup team will receive priority invitations to corporate golf outings followed immediately by those on the previous year's player point list in order of finish.

4. Regular division points earned by seniors are not transferable to the senior point competition.

5. Exempt Players will receive local qualifying points for point eligible events in which their exemption was based on a specific playing performance. Alternates gaining entry into a qualifying event will also be issued qualifying points. EXCEPTION: Exempt players will only receive Senior Player of the Year Points if they participate in the championship proper.

6. Exemptions will only be issued to PGA Members (No amateurs or associates) and will be allocated as follows: **COGNIZANT CLASSIC –** (Section Player of the Year); **PUERTO RICO OPEN –** (South Florida PGA Section Champion); **CORALES PUNTACANA RESORT AND CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP** – (Class A Qualifier**); PGA TOUR Champions –** The SFPGA exemption into PGA TOUR Champions Event Qualifier or Event (if applicable) will be offered in the following order: Senior Player of the Year, Senior Section Champion, the player ranked #2, #3, #4, etc on the previous year's POY point list. NOTE: The same PGA member would not be eligible for both exemptions (if applicable) unless they won the Senior Section Championship and were Senior Player of the Year. If a PGA Tour or Korn Ferry Tour event moved to the South Florida Section as a non-regularly scheduled event then; for the PGA Tour event the spot will be awarded via a Section conducted member qualifying competition. For a Korn Ferry Tour event, spot #1 will be awarded to the reigning champion of the South Florida PGA Section Championship; spots #2 & #3 will be awarded via a Section conducted member qualifying competition.

7. The policy for year-end ties in point race requiring separation for the Cognizant Classic will use the following tiebreaking system: 1) Performance in the Section Championship; 2) Performance in the South Florida PGA Open; 3) Performance in the Fort Lauderdale Open. 4) Performance in the Stroke Play Championship. Failure to participate in any of these championships could eliminate a player in the tie breaking process.

8. Should the awarded recipient of a PGA Tour (Cognizant Classic or Puerto Rico Open) exemption decline said exemption, the Section will conduct a member only qualifier to determine whom the exemption will be awarded.

9. A-3's and Associates are not eligible to earn points.

10. The point distribution for the Fort Lauderdale Open, South Florida Open, South Florida Senior Open, and Florida Senior Open will be based on the order of finish amongst SFPGA members, not the order of finish in the overall championships.

Fort Lauderdale Open, South Florida Open, Stroke Play Championship, Florida Open			
Winner	300	36th Place	34
2nd Place	250	37th Place	33
3rd Place	225	38th Place	32
4th Place	212	39th Place	31
5th Place	200	40th Place	30
6th Place	190	41st Place	29
7th Place	180	42nd Place	28
8th Place	170	43rd Place	27
9th Place	160	44th Place	26
10th Place	150	45th Place	25
11th Place	140	46th Place	24
12th Place	130	47th Place	23
13th Place	120	48th Place	22
14th Place	110	49th Place	21
15th Place	100	50th Place	20
16th Place	95	51st Place	19
17th Place	90	52nd Place	18
18th Place	85	53rd Place	17
19th Place	80	54th Place	16
20th Place	75	55th Place	15
21st Place	70	56th Place	14
22nd Place	65	57th Place	13
23rd Place	60	58th Place	12
24th Place	55	59th Place	11
25th Place	50	60th Place	10
26th Place	48	61st Place	9
27th Place	46	62nd Place	8
28th Place	44	63rd Place	7
29th Place	42	64th Place	6
30th Place	40	65th Place	5
31st Place	39	66th Place	4
32nd Place	38	67th Place	3
33rd Place	37	68th Place	2
34th Place	36	69th Place	1
35th Place	35	70 - Cut Made	1

Points will only be awarded to those who make the cut.
(South Florida Open & SFPGA Professional Championship)
In the Fort Lauderdale Open and Stroke Play Championship, points will be awarded to 40% of the field.

U.S. OPEN	
Winner	400
Cut Made	150
Sectional Qualifier	100
Local Qualifier	75

ALL MAJOR CHAMPIONSHIPS	
Winner	400
Cut Made	200

KPMG WOMEN'S PGA	
Cut Made	Addtl 200
Qualifier	200

PGA TOUR	
Cut Made	150

FLORIDA OPEN	
Local Qualifier	25
Exempt	25

CHALLENGE CUP MATCHES	
Participation	100

PGA CUP / WOMEN'S PGA CUP MATCHES	
Participant	200
NOTE If the PGA Cup or Women's PGA Cup conflicts with a Section Major, the participating player would receive 253.7 POY points toward the applicable POY race.	

Distribution of points for the Fort Lauderdale Open, South Florida Open, and Stroke Play Championship will be based on the order of finish amongst SFPGA members, not the order of finish in the overall championship.

NOTE: Any female Challenge Cup team member would receive points to the ROLEX and the ROLEX Women's POY standings.

PGA PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP (PPC) **SENIOR PGA PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP** **(SENIOR PPC)** **(National Events)**			
Winner	400	36th Place	143
2nd Place	350	37th Place	139
3rd Place	300	38th Place	136
4th Place	294	39th Place	133
5th Place	289	40th Place	130
6th Place	284	41st Place	127
7th Place	279	42nd Place	124
8th Place	274	43rd Place	121
9th Place	269	44th Place	118
10th Place	264	45th Place	115
11th Place	259	46th Place	112
12th Place	254	47th Place	109
13th Place	249	48th Place	107
14th Place	244	49th Place	105
15th Place	239	50th Place	103
16th Place	234	51st Place	101
17th Place	229	52nd Place	99
18th Place	224	53rd Place	97
19th Place	219	54th Place	95
20th Place	214	55th Place	93
21st Place	209	56th Place	91
22nd Place	204	57th Place	89
23rd Place	199	58th Place	87
24th Place	194	59th Place	86
25th Place	189	60th Place	85
26th Place	184	61st Place	84
27th Place	179	62nd Place	83
28th Place	175	63rd Place	82
29th Place	171	64th Place	81
30th Place	167	65th Place	80
31st Place	163	66th Place	79
32nd Place	159	67th Place	78
33rd Place	155	68th Place	77
34th Place	151	69th Place	76
35th Place	147	70 - Cut Made	75

NOTE: For those Section members making the cut at the PPC or Senior PPC, the above points will be awarded based on the actual order of finish in the overall championship. In addition: the following bonus points will be issued in addition to the above chart for a player's finish in the PPC ONLY.
- 50 points – Make the 36 hole cut
- 100 points – Make the 54 hole cut
- 150 points – Qualify for PGA Championship
- 200 points – Win the PPC

SFPGA Professional Championship

Place	Points	Place	Points
Winner	350	36th Place	56
2nd Place	300	37th Place	54
3rd Place	275	38th Place	52
4th Place	262	39th Place	50
5th Place	250	40th Place	49
6th Place	240	41st Place	48
7th Place	230	42nd Place	47
8th Place	220	43rd Place	46
9th Place	210	44th Place	45
10th Place	200	45th Place	44
11th Place	190	46th Place	43
12th Place	180	47th Place	42
13th Place	170	48th Place	41
14th Place	160	49th Place	40
15th Place	155	50th Place	39
16th Place	150	51st Place	38
17th Place	145	52nd Place	37
18th Place	140	53rd Place	36
19th Place	135	54th Place	35
20th Place	130	55th Place	34
21st Place	125	56th Place	33
22nd Place	120	57th Place	32
23rd Place	115	58th Place	31
24th Place	110	59th Place	30
25th Place	105	60th Place	29
26th Place	100	61st Place	28
27th Place	95	62nd Place	27
28th Place	90	63rd Place	26
29th Place	85	64th Place	25
30th Place	80	65th Place	24
31st Place	75	66th Place	23
32nd Place	70	67th Place	22
33rd Place	65	68th Place	21
34th Place	60	69th Place	20
35th Place	58	70 - Cut Made	20

2024 Women's Player of the Year Chart
Awarded Based on Finish Among Other Women
FTL Open, South FL Open, Stroke Play Championship

Place	Points
1	200
2	125
3	75
4	50
5	30
6	25
7	20
8	15
9	10
10	5

Section Champ / Women's Sect Champ

Place	Points
1	300
2	225
3	150
4	100
5	75
6	70
7	65
8	60
9	55
10	50
11	45
12	40
13	35
14	30
15	25
16	20
17	18
18	16
19	14
20	12
21	10
22	9
23	8
24	7
25	6

SOUTH FLORIDA SENIOR OPEN, FLORIDA SENIOR OPEN		FORT LAUDERDALE OPEN (Sr. Division) SOUTH FLORIDA OPEN (Sr. Division) STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP (Sr. Division) SFPGA Section Championship (Seniors)	
Winner	300	Winner	100
2nd Place	250	2nd Place	90
3rd Place	200	3rd Place	80
4th Place	175	4th Place	70
5th Place	150	5th Place	60
6th Place	130	6th Place	55
7th Place	110	7th Place	50
8th Place	100	8th Place	45
9th Place	95	9th Place	40
10th Place	90	10th Place	35
11th Place	85	11th Place	30
12th Place	80	12th Place	25
13th Place	75	13th Place	20
14th Place	70	14th Place	15
15th Place	65	15th Place	10
16th Place	60	16th Place	9
17th Place	55	17th Place	8
18th Place	50	18th Place	7
19th Place	45	19th Place	6
20th Place	40	20th Place – Cut Made	5
21st Place	35		
22nd Place	30	Distribution of points for the South Florida Senior Open, Florida Senior Open, Fort Lauderdale Open (Senior Division) and the South Florida Open (Senior Division) will be based on the order of finish amongst SFPGA members, not the order of finish in overall championship. NOTE: Only South Florida PGA Members and Apprentices aged 50 and over may compete in the Senior Division of the South Florida Open. For Section Championship, competing Seniors will be awarded Senior POY points based on their finish among other Seniors in the field up to 20th place. Any Senior that makes the cut will receive a minimum of 5 points.	
23rd Place	25		
24th Place	20		
25th Place	15		
26th Place	10		
27th Place	10		
28th Place	5		
29th Place	5		
30th Place	5		
		Senior Challenge Cup	
		Participation	100
All Players making the cut in the Florida Senior Open will receive a minimum of 5 points. Exempt players will only be awarded player of the year points if they participate in the championship proper.		The same chart will be used for the (50-59) and (60-69) based on finish within those divisions. 50-59 division will earn 100% point value based on finish within the 50-59 division. All players competing in the 60-69 age division will earn points at 50% value based on finish in the 60-69 age division. All points earned will go towards the same ROLEX Senior Player of the Year Points Race.	

SENIOR SECTION CHAMPIONSHIP			
Winner	300	26th Place	101
2nd Place	250	27th Place	97
3rd Place	225	28th Place	93
4th Place	210	29th Place	89
5th Place	200	30th Place	85
6th Place	195	31st Place	81
7th Place	190	32nd Place	77
8th Place	185	33rd Place	73
9th Place	180	34th Place	69
10th Place	175	35th Place	65
11th Place	170	36th Place	61
12th Place	165	37th Place	57
13th Place	160	38th Place	53
14th Place	155	39th Place	49
15th Place	150	40th Place	45
16th Place	145	41st Place	41
17th Place	140	42nd Place	37
18th Place	135	43rd Place	33
19th Place	130	44th Place	29
20th Place	125	45th Place	25
21st Place	121	46th Place	21
22nd Place	117	47th Place	17
23rd Place	113	48th Place	13
24th Place	109	49th Place	9
25th Place	105	50th Place	5

Senior PGA Championship		Champions Tour (Chubb)	
Winner	400	Winner	400
Cut Made	75	Participant	75

SFPGA Senior Professional Champ (Qualifier)		U.S. Senior Open, British Senior Open	
Qualifier / Exempt (Senior PPC)	(see note below)	Winner	400
Participant	50	Cut Made	75
		Sectional Qualifier	100

Florida Senior Open	
Local Qualifier	25
Exempt	25

NOTE: Players of the Year points are NOT cumulative. If you win a particular event / qualifier, you do not collect points for making the cut or being a participant. Exempt players will only be awarded ROLEX Player of the Year points if they participate in the championship proper.

Qualifying Professional Point Breakdown (Senior PPC)
Non-Exempt Players: 50 Points for participating in the Senior Section Professional Championship (National Senior PNC Qualifier). Players would then earn an additional 50 points if they qualify and participate in the Senior PPC. NOTE: The additional 50 points will not be awarded until the player begins their round at the Senior PPC.

Exempt Professional Point Breakdown (Senior PPC)
Exempt Players: 50 points are awarded to all exempt players at the time of qualifying on the Section Level. Players would then earn an additional 50 points if they participate in the Senior PPC. NOTE: The additional 50 points will not be awarded until the player begins their round at the Senior PNC. Exempt players are not eligible for the 50 participation points awarded to Non-Exempt players for participating in the Senior Section Professional Championship Qualifier.

70-74 / 75+ Points (Fort Lauderdale Open, South FL Open, Stroke Play Championship, Section Championship, South FL Sr Open, & Senior Section Championship)	
Winner	200
2nd Place	150
3rd Place	100
4th Place	75
5th Place	50
6th Place	40
7th Place	35
8th Place	30
9th Place	25
10th Place	20
11th Place	15
12th Place	10
13th Place	5
14th Place	5
15th Place	5

70 & Over – Point List Breakdown

All players competing in either the 70-74 or 75+ divisions will have a separate point list from the ROLEX Senior Player of the Year Point List. Super Seniors aged 70 and above who choose to play a younger division will also earn Super Senior POY points based on their finish in the Super-Senior division that their age places them in. All Professionals will be ordered by score finish and points will be assigned at 100% of the value for those players competing in the 70-74 division and 75% value for those players competing in the 75+ division.