



**PGA**  
South Florida Section

## 2018 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 an 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. 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 apprentices) and will be allocated as follows: **HONDA CLASSIC** – (Section Player of the Year); **PUERTO RICO OPEN** – (South Florida PGA Section Champion); **ALLIANZ EVENT QUALIFIER & CHUBB CLASSIC EVENT QUALIFIER** – The Senior Player of Year will choose which qualifier he would like to compete, Allianz or Chubb, and the other qualifier spot will be awarded to the Senior Section Champion. If a PGA Tour or Web.com 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 Web.com 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 Honda 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. 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 (Honda or Puerto Rico) exemption decline said exemption, the Section will conduct a member only qualifier to determine whom the exemption will be awarded.
9. Should the awarded recipient of a Champions Tour (Allianz Championship or Chubb Classic) exemption decline said exemption, section staff would use the Player of Year point list and continue down from the top until a member accepts the spot. NOTE: The same PGA member would not be eligible for both exemptions (Allianz Championship or Chubb Classic) unless they won the Senior Section Championship and were Senior Player of the Year.
10. A-3's and Apprentices are not eligible to earn points.
11. The point distribution for the Fort Lauderdale Open, South Florida Open, Tournament Series 1 & 2, South Florida Senior Open, Florida Senior Open, and Naples Beach Club Senior Open will be based on the order of finish amongst SFPGA members, not the order of finish in the overall championships.

SFPGA Section/Professional Champ, Fort Lauderdale Open, South Florida Open, Florida Open		U.S. OPEN	
		Winner	
		Cut Made	75
Winner	300	Sectional Qualifier	100
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	250	Local Qualifier	75
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	200		
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	175	PGA CHAMPIONSHIP	
5 <sup>th</sup> Place	150	Winner	400
6 <sup>th</sup> Place	130	Cut Made	75
7 <sup>th</sup> Place	110		
8 <sup>th</sup> Place	100	FLORIDA OPEN	
9 <sup>th</sup> Place	95	Local Qualifier	25
10 <sup>th</sup> Place	90	Exempt	25
11 <sup>th</sup> Place	85		
12 <sup>th</sup> Place	80	CHALLENGE CUP MATCHES	
13 <sup>th</sup> Place	75	Participation	100
14 <sup>th</sup> Place	70		
15 <sup>th</sup> Place	65		
16 <sup>th</sup> Place	60	<p>Distribution of points for the Fort Lauderdale Open, South Florida Open, and Tournament Series 1 &amp; 2 will be based on the order of finish amongst SFPGA members, not the order of finish in the overall championship.</p> <p>NOTE: For the Challenge Cup, the 100 points awarded to the two Senior players will be allocated to the Senior POY point's race.</p>	
17 <sup>th</sup> Place	55		
18 <sup>th</sup> Place	50		
19 <sup>th</sup> Place	45		
20 <sup>th</sup> Place	40		
21 <sup>st</sup> Place	35		
22 <sup>nd</sup> Place	30		
23 <sup>rd</sup> Place	25		
24 <sup>th</sup> Place	20		
25 <sup>th</sup> Place	15		
26 <sup>th</sup> Place	10		
27 <sup>th</sup> Place	10		
28 <sup>th</sup> Place	5		
29 <sup>th</sup> Place	5		
30 <sup>th</sup> Place	5		

**PGA PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP (PNC)  
SENIOR PGA PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP (SENIOR PNC)  
(National Events)**

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

NOTE: For those Section members making the cut at the PNC or Senior PNC, the above points will be awarded based on the actual order of finish in the overall championship.

SOUTH FLORIDA SENIOR OPEN, FLORIDA SENIOR OPEN		FORT LAUDERDALE OPEN (Senior Division), SOUTH FLORIDA OPEN (Senior Division) TOURNAMENT SERIES 1 & 2	
Winner	300	Winner	100
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	250	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	90
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	200	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	80
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	175	4 <sup>th</sup> Place	70
5 <sup>th</sup> Place	150	5 <sup>th</sup> Place	60
6 <sup>th</sup> Place	130	6 <sup>th</sup> Place	55
7 <sup>th</sup> Place	110	7 <sup>th</sup> Place	50
8 <sup>th</sup> Place	100	8 <sup>th</sup> Place	45
9 <sup>th</sup> Place	95	9 <sup>th</sup> Place	40
10 <sup>th</sup> Place	90	10 <sup>th</sup> Place	35
11 <sup>th</sup> Place	85	11 <sup>th</sup> Place	30
12 <sup>th</sup> Place	80	12 <sup>th</sup> Place	25
13 <sup>th</sup> Place	75	13 <sup>th</sup> Place	20
14 <sup>th</sup> Place	70	14 <sup>th</sup> Place	15
15 <sup>th</sup> Place	65	15 <sup>th</sup> Place	10
16 <sup>th</sup> Place	60	16 <sup>th</sup> Place	9
17 <sup>th</sup> Place	55	17 <sup>th</sup> Place	8
18 <sup>th</sup> Place	50	18 <sup>th</sup> Place	7
19 <sup>th</sup> Place	45	19 <sup>th</sup> Place	6
20 <sup>th</sup> Place	40	20 <sup>th</sup> Place	5
21 <sup>st</sup> Place	35	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.	
22 <sup>nd</sup> Place	30		
23 <sup>rd</sup> Place	25		
24 <sup>th</sup> Place	20		
25 <sup>th</sup> Place	15		
26 <sup>th</sup> Place	10		
27 <sup>th</sup> Place	10		
28 <sup>th</sup> Place	5		
29 <sup>th</sup> Place	5	<b>Senior Challenge Cup Matches</b>	
30 <sup>th</sup> Place	5		
		<b>Participation</b>	<b>100</b>
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.		All players competing in the 60-69 age division will earn points at 50% of the 50-59 division. All Professionals will be ordered by score finish and points will be assigned at 100% of the value for those competing in the 50-59 division and 50% for those competing in the 60-69 division. NOTE: If a player chooses to play from the Championship Tee (50-59 division) they will be assigned points at 100% of the value.	
<b>70 &amp; Over – Point List Breakdown</b>			
All players competing in either the 70-74 or 75+ divisions will have a separate point list from the OMEGA Senior Player of the Year Point List.			
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.			

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

<b>Senior PGA Championship</b>		<b>Champions Tour (Allianz &amp; Chubb)</b>	
Winner	400	Winner	400
Cut Made	75	Participant	75

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

<b>Florida Senior Open</b>	
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 OMEGA Player of the Year points if they participate in the championship proper.

**Qualifying Professional Point Breakdown (Senior PNC)**  
 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 PNC. NOTE: The additional 50 points will not be awarded until the player begins their round at the Senior PNC.

**Exempt Professional Point Breakdown (Senior PNC)**  
 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 PNC. 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.