

# 2017 JUNIOR GOLF ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATION

In order to ACTIVATE membership for the 2017 Junior Golf Association, this form must be completed by a **PGA Professional from the Connecticut Section** and returned to the section office. The purpose of this certification is to determine that a junior member has sufficient understanding of the Rules of Golf and the etiquette of the game.

Junior Member's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## PLAYER INFORMATION

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| • Did you review the CTPGA.com/Juniorgolf website with your junior?              | Yes                  | No |
| • Understands the Birdie Days of Summer Fundraiser?                              | Yes                  | No |
| • Understands the withdrawal policy and procedure?                               | Yes                  | No |
| • Has a basic understanding of golf etiquette?                                   | Yes                  | No |
| • Understands and has the ability to keep score for himself/herself and another? | Yes                  | No |
| • Demonstrates a level of maturity to play in tournaments with peers?            | Yes                  | No |

IMPORTANT: The CTPGA Junior Staff will contact the Certified PGA Golf Professional if the junior conduct unbecoming

## PGA PROFESSIONAL PLEDGE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

As the certifying PGA Professional for the junior member above, **you are accepting a certain level of responsibility for this member's development in the game of golf.** You commit yourself to stay up-to-date with not only his/her progress as a JGA member, but also with his/her progress as a golfer in general. You also commit to serving as a golf counselor or coach when called upon. It is understood that as the certifying PGA professional for this member, you will be informed of any matters pertaining to the development, conduct, and accomplishments of this young player

### Requirements to ACTIVATE your JGA Membership

1. **Rules Test:** JGA members are required to take, complete, and pass an online Rules Test.
2. **Membership PGA Certification:** A JGA Member must be certified by a PGA Professional from the Connecticut Section and return the Membership Certification Form to the Connecticut Section PGA Office.
3. **Obtain USGA/GHIN member number:** JGA Member must obtain a USGA/GHIN member number (*complimentary*).

### Connecticut Section



PGA Professional (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ PGA ID # \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the Junior Golf Association Member named above has a sufficient understanding of appropriate behavior around a golf course to participate in Junior Golf TOUR tournaments and I pledge to adhere to my responsibilities noted above.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Birdie Days of Summer! Make Birdies and raise money for the Foundation!**

**Ex: If Junior TOUR player A makes 10 birdies and Mr. Member pledges \$5 per birdie then \$50 would be raised for the Connecticut Section PGA Golf Foundation.**

*Note: We encourage all certifying Professionals to activate the Birdie Days of Summer program with their Junior TOUR members. For information contact Tim Paragone at [tparagone@pgahq.com](mailto:tparagone@pgahq.com)*

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Please return to Tim Paragone, Connecticut Section PGA, 931 Main Street, Carriage House, South Glastonbury, CT 06073, through U.S. Mail, fax to 860-430-5612, or scan/PDF to [tparagone@pgahq.com](mailto:tparagone@pgahq.com).