



PGA OF ALBERTA  
MEMBERSHIP AWARDS PROGRAM  
**AWARD CRITERIA, SELECTION PROCESS AND ELIGIBLE CATEGORIES**

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***NOTE: ONCE A MEMBER WINS NATIONALLY THEY ARE INELIGIBLE TO WIN AGAIN PROVINCIALY IN THE SAME CATEGORY***

**JUNIOR LEADER OF THE YEAR**

**Criteria & Guidelines:**

- Recognized as a leader and mentor amongst junior golfers.
- Demonstrated involvement in the development, promotion and growth of junior golf at the club level.
- Contribution to Junior Programs and Events at the Community, Association and National level.
- Proven interest, concern and ability to provide opportunities and experience for junior to learn and play golf.
- Preference will be given to nominees certified in instruction and/or coaching contexts of the PGA of Canada National Coach Certification Program as well as those engaged in learning and certification through other bodies in the industry.

**Selection Process:**

- Each nominated Member's application is graded by an Awards Sub Committee.
- The Sub Committees for each Award are comprised of past winners of that particular Award.
- The 5 **Nominees** whose application ranks the highest from Members of the sub-committee are presented to the Selection Committee as **Finalists**.
- The Selection Committee is comprised of ten of the past Club Professional of the Year Award recipients.
- The Selection Committee reviews all Award Finalists submits confidential votes based on a point system.
- Awards are presented to the recipients with the most total accumulated points.

**Eligible Categories:**

All Class "A" Members and Candidates for Membership in good standing excluding the following: Life Professional, Retired Professional, previous PGA of Canada Junior Leader of the Year Award winners, Past Presidents of the PGA of Canada (within the past 5 years), current PGA of Canada Board of Directors, PGA of Canada National staff and PGA of Canada Zone staff.