



CODE OF CONDUCT (Player / Parent)

All UJGA members / parents MUST adhere to the Code of Conduct guidelines. Violation will result in tournament penalties and/or disqualification. Repeated violations could result in membership suspension.

Specific Violations Include:

- a) Lack of respect to the scorer or tournament officials.
- b) Failure to abide by the Rules of Golf, or a decision by an official, or cheating.
- c) Damage to golf course property
- d) Throwing clubs
- e) Abusive language
- f) Use of tobacco, alcohol or drugs during play (unless medically prescribed)
- g) Poor sportsmanship conduct or behavior in general

PENALTY (level 1)

The **TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE** may assess a player a 2-stroke penalty for violation of item D or E. Violation of items A, B, G are considered a serious breach (level 2).

VIOLATION for Serious Breach (level 2)

Violations that the **TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE** deem a "serious breach" of the Code of Conduct, include the A, B, C, F, G, plus the following:

- Failure to turn in a score card at the conclusion of a stipulated round (round was finished)
- "Serious Damage" to the golf course.

PENALTY (level 2)

The player is disqualified from the tournament. The player is allowed to participate in his/her next tournament, is eligible for awards but is not eligible for PPR points.

VIOLATION (level 3)

Violations that the **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** deem a "serious breach" of the Code of Conduct include:

- A) Use of tobacco, alcohol or drugs during play unless medically prescribed (second violation)
- B) Failure to turn in a score card at the conclusion of a stipulated round (second violation)
- C) Discontinuing play and walking off the golf course before the conclusion of a stipulated round
- D) Cheating or purposely not abiding by the Rules of Golf
- F) Violation of Code of Conduct that is extreme

PENALTY (level 3)

3.1: Automatic suspension of membership and disqualification from all remaining UJGA sanctioned tournaments until his/her membership is reinstated with a minimum suspension of one-tournament (NOTE: If the next tournament is a National Qualifying event the player will be able to participate but is not eligible to

receive PPR Participation points at the qualifying or national event / Performance points at the qualifying or national event / Qualifying points for the national event if the player qualifies). The suspension of tournaments the player will miss begins with the next event he has entered that is not a national qualifying tournament.

3.2: Loss of entry fees for events that the player is ineligible to participate in.

3.3: Player will be ineligible for PPR Qualifying and Performance points at the national or state championships that the player may have qualified for prior to the violation.

3.4: Not eligible for Invitational tournaments or a Utah TEAM.

3.5: Not eligible for post season awards.

IF ANY VIOLATION of the Code of Conduct is determined to be a serious breach by the Executive Committee, the committee may recommend suspension of membership and the length of that suspension. A request for reinstatement must be handwritten and submitted to the Executive Committee Chair (UJGA President) from the suspended player and his/her parents or guardian.

PARENT VIOLATION of the Code of Conduct:

ANY VIOLATION of this Code of Conduct by a Parent or Gallery Member will constitute automatic loss of Gallery Privileges. A request for reinstatement must be handwritten and submitted to the Executive Committee Chair (UJGA President) from the suspended gallery member.