

## ***BJGA Code of Conduct***

The BJGA takes great pride in the quality of its players, host facilities and broad community involvement at each tournament. In order to continue making BJGA tournaments enjoyable for everyone, the Association requires all members to adhere to a set of guidelines known as the Code of Conduct. Its purpose is to help BJGA participants grow and mature by understanding and accepting the consequences of their actions. The Code of Conduct is to be followed throughout the junior's stay at the tournament.

### **VIOLATIONS OF CODE OF CONDUCT**

- Unsportsmanlike conduct, including abusive language, cheating, club throwing, disrespect to volunteers, officials or fellow competitors, or abuse of golf course property
- Not adhering to the dress code
- Use of un-approved electronic equipment on the golf course
- Leaving the golf course without the permission of an Official
- Use or association with drugs or alcohol, smoking or chewing tobacco products
- Vandalism at host hotel, abusive behavior to host family or property
- Conduct not becoming of an BJGA player, such as acting in anger or creating other distractions
- Physical abuse, threat of physical abuse or verbal abuse to other players, parents, host golf course staff or members, BJGA officials or volunteers are grounds for immediate disqualification.

### **REQUIRED DRESS AT THE GOLF COURSE**

- Hats/visors must be worn with brim forward and should be removed while indoors
- Collared shirts or mock turtlenecks (host golf course permitting) must be worn and tucked in at all times
- Women's fashion shirts without a collar must have sleeves and must not rise above the belt line at anytime during the golf swing

### **PROHIBITED DRESS AT THE GOLF COURSE**

- Tank tops, T-shirts
- Denim shorts, short-shorts, cut-off shorts, gym shorts, jeans, cargo pants/shorts

Proper attire is required at all times at the host golf course. Questionable attire will be reviewed by the Tournament Committee. Should a host golf course have a stricter dress code, its policy will take precedence. Players in violation will not be allowed to tee off.

### **CODE OF CONDUCT VIOLATION PENALTIES**

Any Code of Conduct violation will result in a written letter to the player and his or her parent/guardian. The BJGA Tournament Committee may assess any or all of the following penalties based on severity and frequency of the violation(s):

- A Yellow or Red card as determined by the Penalty Point System document
- Immediate disqualification from the tournament at which the violation occurs.
- Depending on the severity of the violation, a tournament disqualification may also result in disqualification from the next major tournament
- The BJGA reserves the right to suspend or revoke a player's membership for a major breach of the BJGA Code of Conduct
- Violation of the BJGA Code of Conduct may affect a players eligibility for overseas selection

### **SUSPENSION INFORMATION**

In the event of a suspension, both the player and parent/guardian will be required to submit a written account of the Code of Conduct violation to the BJGA Committee within 14 days of the suspension. The Committee will determine the length of the suspension after reviewing all submitted materials, including a BJGA tournament official account of the violation. Any player whose membership is under suspension will not be eligible for overseas selection.

We have read and understand the BJGA Code of Conduct and penalties for violation thereof and agree to abide by it.

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Player's signature

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Parent/guardian signature