

Fellow PGA Professional,

Based on several requests from the membership, the Board of Directors considered and approved the following changes to the Georgia PGA Tournament Regulations:

Section C – Conduct Unbecoming a Professional

Paragraph 9 Now reads

All Male PGA Participants will be required to present a neat appearance, appropriate to a professional golf tournament in both clothing and grooming. No Male PGA participant will be allowed to play Tournament round inappropriately attired. **Male PGA participants may wear shorts anywhere on Club property during practice rounds only, with the approval of the Host Facility and without objection from the tournament sponsor.** All Male PGA Participants must wear slacks and shall not wear shorts anywhere on Club property during tournament rounds or while practicing on the driving range, practice chipping or practice putting greens on tournament round days.

For Male Professionals, Bermuda length shorts are permitted. The hem, which can be cuffed or un-cuffed is defined as being around 1 inch above the knee. Cargo and denim shorts are not allowed.

Female PGA participants may wear culottes, walking shorts or golf skirts, which constitute acceptable clothing worn by women in connection with participation in professional golf tournaments.

Note: Tournament Pro-Ams are **not** considered practice rounds and therefore shorts will not be permitted.

Chapters and Division Dress Code

Male PGA participants in events conducted by the Chapter or Division may wear shorts anywhere on Club property during practice rounds, tournament rounds or while practicing on the driving range, practice chipping or practice putting greens on tournament round days with approval of the Host Facility and without objection from the tournament sponsor. Female PGA participants may wear culottes, walking shorts or golf skirts, which constitute acceptable clothing worn by women in connection with participation in professional golf tournaments.

For male professionals, Bermuda length shorts are permitted. The hem, which can be cuffed or un-cuffed is defined as being around 1 inch above the knee. Cargo and denim shorts are not allowed.

It is important to check the tournament information page when registering for an event to determine whether shorts will be allowed or not. Players in violation of the policy will be asked to change should they not be in compliance.