

CJGA Code of Conduct and Dress Code Policy

All competitors must adhere to the CODE OF CONDUCT AND DRESS CODE POLICY as set forth by the CJGA. This CODE OF CONDUCT AND DRESS CODE POLICY applies to all participants throughout the tournament, both on and off the golf course. The CJGA expects all participants to act as responsible young adults. Our objective is not only to help junior golfers improve their game, but also to help them mature as individuals.

CJGA CODE OF CONDUCT

Violation of the Code of Conduct *during tournament rounds* includes but is not limited to the following:

- Any use or association with drugs, alcohol, tobacco or vaping;
- Any intentional abuse of the golf course;
- Failure to replace divots, rake bunkers, repair ball marks on greens and/or littering;
- Abusive language, club throwing, and emotional outbursts;
- Disrespect for: CJGA officials, golf course representatives, fellow-competitors, or spectators;
- Intentional breach of the Rules of Golf;
- Withholding any relevant information about a rules infraction;
- Leaving the course during a competitive round without notifying a CJGA official;
- Not adhering to the dress code.

Violation of the CJGA Code of Conduct *off the golf course* includes but is not limited to the following:

- Any use or association with drugs, alcohol or tobacco;
- Any vandalism, theft or abusive behaviour to host facilities or its employees;
- Any abusive behaviour to a host family or their property;
- Any other conduct unbecoming of a CJGA member;
- Not adhering to the dress code as set by the CJGA at the time.

CJGA DRESS CODE POLICY

Proper golf attire is required of all CJGA participants while at the host golf club

- Tank tops, T-shirts, denim shorts/pants are not permitted;
- Athletic/Cargo shorts/pants are not permitted;
- Cell/smart phones, iPods and other audio devices are not permitted during tournament rounds;
- Shirts with a collar are required, except for mock neck shirts;
- All shirts must be tucked in at all times;
- Hats/visors must be worn with the brim forward;
- Closed toe golf or flat soled shoes must be worn while playing. Metal spikes are prohibited.
- Shorts or skirts must be no shorter than 5" above the top of the knee when standing;
- Ladies sleeveless golf shirts are allowed;
- Shirts that display offensive language or material will not be allowed.

PENALTIES

Code of Conduct (Rule 1.2b) - Any player who breaches the Code of Conduct as established by the CJGA is subject to any or all the following:

- **First Breach - Warning**
- **Second Breach - One-stroke penalty**
- **Third Breach - General penalty**

- **Fourth Breach - Disqualification**

NOTE: The CJGA will track code of conduct violations that occur during our events! Code of conduct violations may be treated as cumulative across multiple events! Players who continually demonstrate violations of the code of conduct over the course of multiple tournaments may be subject to receive penalties or disqualifications without first receiving a warning as warnings issued during the course of previous events to the player will be deemed sufficient to warrant a more severe penalty.

In the event of a disqualification or suspension, the Canadian Junior Golf Association's Disciplinary Committee will be informed and subsequently polled regarding further punitive actions. Appeals of suspensions may be made to the CJGA Disciplinary Committee.