



**PGA**  
PROFESSIONAL  
CHAMPIONSHIP

**THE 50TH PGA PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP**  
Sunriver Resort  
Sunriver, Oregon • June 15-21, 2017



## Volunteer Application

The 50th PGA Professional Championship will be a great success with the help of many volunteers. We would like to invite you to participate and thank you for your interest; your support of this Championship is greatly appreciated!

All volunteers will receive a uniform and access to the championship grounds all week. Committee preferences are entered on a first come, first serve basis and are at no time guaranteed.

*All applications should be received prior to **May 12, 2017**.*

### Contact Information

Name:	Club/Org:		
Last	First	Middle	Telephone (home):
Address:			
No.	Street	Telephone (mobile):	
City			USGA Handicap:
State			Zip
E-mail address:			
Do you have a valid driver's license? <b>YES</b> <b>NO</b>			

### Previous Volunteer Experience; Golf or Other Relevant Experience

### Volunteer Package — \$25.00

**Uniform:** Volunteers will receive a golf shirt (please select gender style and sizing below) and hat. **Meals:** lunch **Incentive:** Those volunteering at least four (4) shifts will receive a complimentary round of golf at either Meadows or Woodlands (Cart fee included) valid through October 31, 2017. Those volunteering at least six (6) shifts will receive two (2) complimentary rounds of golf at either Meadows or Woodlands (Cart fees included) valid through October 31, 2017, invitation to the Champions Toast/ Volunteer party following the awards presentation on June 21 and daily raffles for prizes at the volunteer tent.

**Gender**    Male    Female   **Golf Shirt Size**    Sm    Med    Lg    XL    2X\*    3X\*   (\*men only)

### Waiver/Participation Form

I request permission for the privilege of participating as a volunteer at the 2017 PGA Professional Championship. I understand I am not entitled to this volunteer opportunity and that I will abide by all the rules and regulations adopted and published by the PGA relating to volunteers and the operation and conduct of the Championship and use of the facilities provided by the Championship. I understand that my failure to observe these rules may result in my being excluded from volunteering at the Championship. I represent that I am physically able to participate as a volunteer at the Championship. I fully understand and agree that my participation at the Championship may entail the risk of physical injury. I agree to assume such risk and to waive any claim of any kind whatsoever, whether resulting from an injury or otherwise, rising from my participation at the Championship. I further agree to release, indemnify, and hold harmless the PGA of America, PGA Professional Championship, Sunriver Resort and their respective directors, officers, employees, agents, and/or representatives, and/or affiliated companies from any and all liability occurring as a result of my participation at the Championship. As a volunteer, I will be personally responsible for any financial cost incurred as a result of my participation at the Championship, including, without limitation, transportation or medical expenses incurred as a result of any injury. I understand that the PGA of America, PGA Professional Championship and Sunrvier Resort assumes no liability of lost, misplaced, stolen and/or damaged personal property and I hereby agree to release the PGA of America, PGA Professional Championship and Sunriver Resort from any such liability.

**I CERTIFY THAT I AM AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE AND HAVE READ AND VOLUNTARILY ACCEPTED THIS WAIVER/PARTICIPATION FORM.**

Signature

Date

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## Volunteer Committees and Descriptions

Please rank in order of preference (in the small box at the top left corner on the committee chart below) all committees you would be interested in volunteering for, with 1 being your top choice. Please rank all committees that you are interested in volunteering for (some committees may be left blank if not interested). We will do our best to assign you to one of your top choices; however, some committees fill up quickly so you may be assigned to a committee that needs additional volunteers, provided you ranked it. You will not be assigned to a committee that you did not rank. Volunteers will serve on one committee only. (Please select up to three choices)

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Description</b>
Caddie Services	Committee members will be asked to staff Caddie Registration on Thursday and Friday of Championship Week. During Championship Rounds, this committee will also distribute and collect Caddie bibs on the 1 <sup>st</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup> tees, & the 9 <sup>th</sup> and 18 <sup>th</sup> greens. (I,O,L).	Practice Range	Committee members will be responsible for assisting players at the Tournament practice facility with distribution of practice balls. Committee will require heavy lifting and physical activity. (O, L)
Contestant Evacuation	Committee members will assist the PGA Rules Committee in evacuating Contestants and Caddies from the golf course (O).	Scoring Control	Committee members receive Contestants' scores from the Walking Scorer and will electronically dispense them to Leaderboards, the Media Center and the Golf Channel Television compound (I, C).
Golf Channel	Committee members work directly with the Golf Channel as spotter scorers, microphone operators in addition to other responsibilities. WORK ON THE GOLF CHANNEL COMMITTEE REQUIRES 4 DAYS OF VOLUNTEERING, 6 HOURS PER DAY, AND THE ABILITY TO WALK 18 HOLES (O).	Player Shuttles	Committee members will shuttle Contestants from various locations on the golf course and to/from the practice facilities (O).
Leaderboards	Committee members post Contestants' scores on Leaderboards located throughout the golf course. Leaderboards display the top eight (8) Contestants currently on the course and how they stand for both the day and Championship (O,C).	Standard Bearers	Committee members are responsible for preparing standards (small scoreboards). Committee members will be responsible for carrying standards for each group of Contestants during the final 2 rounds of the Championship Rounds after the cut (O,OT, W).
Tech Committee	Committee members help hand out walking scorer equipment and answer any last minute questions from walking scorers. Members will also help trouble shoot on course issues with walking scorers or leaderboards. This committee will also help as scorecard runners, and will be responsible for retrieving score-cards from scoring tents and delivering to PGA HQ.	Tee Refreshments/ Ecology	Committee members will be responsible for distributing coolers of refreshments throughout the golf course. Coolers will also be replenished throughout the day and collected upon completion of play. In addition will assist in placing and picking up ecology containers and bags on property. Members will also be responsible for ensuring the course and spectator areas are free of trash. (O, L). WORK ON THE TEE REFRESHMENTS COMMITTEE IS VIGOROUS. SOME HEAVY LIFTING IS REQUIRED (O,OT, L).
Marshals	Marshals will be assigned to various holes and areas of the golf course. They will assist with gallery control and assist contestants, caddies, officials (O).	Volunteer Services	Committee members assist PGA staff with distributing volunteer uniforms and credentials during volunteer training days. Committee members will also be assigned to assist in the Volunteer Tent with distribution of uniforms, radios, and assisting other volunteers (OT, L).
Public Score/ Summary Board	Committee members will assist a PGA Calligrapher with posting Contestants' names and scores on the Public Scoreboard. The Public Scoreboard is usually constructed in a common area for spectators to easily view (O,C).	Walking Scorers	Walking Scorers will be assigned to walk with each group of Contestants and required to keep the scores and statistics for 3 players. YOU SHOULD BE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF GOLF AND HAVE EXPERIENCE AS A WALKING SCORER. (O, C, W).

**Key:** (C) Computer use; (I) Assignment is indoors in a climate controlled; (O) Assignment is outdoors, potential for varied weather conditions; (OT) Assignment is outdoors, but in a tent — NOT climate controlled; (L) Heavy lifting required\*\* (W) Ability to walk 18 holes at a brisk pace.

\*\*May be required to lift up to 30 lbs

Please select the shifts that you are available to work. The majority of shifts are needed Sunday & Monday (June 18-19). Please have your shift selection reflect this need. Note that this is a guide to assist in scheduling and not an actual schedule. Shifts run approximately five (5) hours in length.

<b>THU - 6/15</b>	<b>FRI - 6/16</b>	<b>SAT - 6/17</b>	<b>SUN - 6/18</b>	<b>MON - 6/19</b>	<b>TUE - 6/20</b>	<b>WED - 6/21</b>	<b>Rain Date - 6/22</b>
AM MID PM							

How many of the above selected shifts are you willing to work? \_\_\_\_\_ \* Morning shifts may begin as early as 5:30am

Uniform distribution and training on will be held on **Saturday, June 10th**.

Those serving on the Walking Scorers, Leaderboard and Scoring Control Committee will have a separate uniform pick-up and training on **Thursday, June 15th**.

Again, committees are limited and will be filled on a **first-come, first-served** basis, so send in your application now!

Please make a \$25 check or money order payable to Sunriver Resort.

Mail along with this completed application to:

**Golf Volunteers—Sunriver Resort • c/o Josie Whisnant • 18160 Cottonwood Rd #232 • Sunriver, OR 97707**

For more information, please contact Josie Whisnant, 50th PGA Professional Championship Volunteer Chairperson by email at [golfvolunteers541@gmail.com](mailto:golfvolunteers541@gmail.com)