



# PGA

## Metropolitan Section



# ASSOCIATION

The Metropolitan PGA Club Association was founded 30 years ago with over 50 Charter Members. Today, it has grown to be a vital partnership between the Metropolitan PGA and the prestigious facilities within the Met Section. It's our mission to maintain the tradition of high standards to which golfers in the Metropolitan area have become accustomed to and so richly deserve. The funding provided through our Club Association directly benefits our educational programs, public relations, tournaments, player development, and growth of the game initiatives.

Our fee of \$375.00 per year is approximately \$1.50 per member for a club. We hope you will agree that the efforts of our Association justify the continued support to help maintain the traditions of our great game.

## ABOUT THE METROPOLITAN PGA

When the PGA was born in New York in 1916, the founders certainly never dreamed that one day the Association they were forming would grow to include over 28,000 professionals. At the very forefront of the National PGA then and today, is the Metropolitan Section. The PGA of America is divided into 41 geographical sections across the United States and although we rank only 16th out of 41 sections in total number of members, the leadership, innovativeness and quality that has become synonymous with the Metropolitan PGA programs elevate this association to a position of prominence both in the local golf community and among its national counterparts. For the Met PGA Professional, "Growing the Game" is not just a theme, but a professional commitment and mission. Not only is New York the corporate and financial capital of the world, but to a great extent it is also the centerpiece of the golf world where maintaining the traditions and heritage of the game are held paramount.

## SECTION FOUNDATION

The Metropolitan Section PGA Foundation is our Professional's platform to carry out the mission to promote the goodwill and growth of the game of golf by positively impacting the lives of junior golfers, veterans, and those who are underserved by the game. We accomplish this by focusing our efforts under three founding pillars: Youth, Military, and Diversity and Inclusion.

# SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE MET PGA

## EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

**Club Selection Committee Assistance:** on-site support and direction in developing a hiring plan and timeline, assessing staffing needs, creating meeting agendas, and guiding the committee through the entire hiring process.

**Development of Job Description and Candidate Profile:** Assist you in developing an up to date job description, specific search criteria and a candidate profile tailored to your facility needs.

**Access to PGA Candidate Database:** Utilize the most extensive and comprehensive database of PGA members, allowing your facility to reach the most qualified candidates for your unique needs.

**Distribution of Targeted Notification:** Distribute a job notification targeted to PGA members matching your search criteria and candidate profile, providing you with a manageable pool of qualified candidates.

**Candidate Communications:** Ability to handle all administrative functions and candidate correspondence including receipt of resumes, applicant acknowledgements, job status communications, and facilitation of interview scheduling and arrangements.

**Interview Facilitation:** Work with you to develop interview formats and candidate questions, in addition to providing interview strategies, tips and techniques, and evaluation guidance.

**PGA Professional Status Verification:** Will verify active PGA membership status of all candidates.

**Compensation Package Assistance:** Access to the most extensive and accurate database of customized compensation statistics and benchmarks to help ensure that your compensation and benefits package are in line with your facility's unique status.

**Performance Review Strategy:** Development of an effective orientation program and performance evaluation strategy that works to ensure a successful employment relationship.

- Arbitrating Contract Disputes
- Assisting Clubs and Estates on Inventory Evaluation
- Working with Allied Association's Programs
- Advertising of Job Openings: Head Professionals, Associate Professionals, Managers, Superintendents, Outside Operations, Etc
- RFP Assistance



## CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- Rules of Golf Seminars
- Wage & Hours and Labor Laws
- Effective Technology Activation
- Clubhouse & Shop Upgrades
- Product Knowledge & Industry Trends
- Golf Industry & Club Issues
- Golf Operations
- Head Professional Handbook
- Professional Development
- Industry Leading Teaching Techniques and Philosophies

## SPECIAL EVENTS AND SERVICES

- Met PGA Rules Hotline
- Merchandise Show
- Nationwide golf promotions
- Met PGA Hall of Fame
- Annual Special Awards Dinner
- Diversity & Inclusion Initiatives
- Major and National Championship Support

## MARKETING STRATEGIES

- Met PGA Website: [www.met.pga.com](http://www.met.pga.com)
- Met PGA Directory : [www.metpgadirectory.com](http://www.metpgadirectory.com)
- Met PGA Foundation: [www.metpgaoundation.org](http://www.metpgaoundation.org)
- Local News, Radio/Sirius XM promotion
- Podcasts & Blogs
- Quarterly Met PGA Magazine
- Contributions to National golf publications
- Weekly Met PGA Member Newsletter
- National spotlights featuring Met PGA Professionals
- Social media activations

## FOUNDATION

### Youth

- Met PGA Junior Tour
- Drive, Chip & Putt
- PGA Jr. League

### Military

- PGA HOPE
- VETWORKS
- Military Golf League
- Assist clubs with hosting a "Day of HOPE"
- National PGA HOPE Special Events and Programming

### Diversity & Inclusion

- The First Tee
- Public Schools Athletic League
- Golf in Schools
- Women's Golf Activations
- Fairways to Success
- PGA Works Fellowship

### Additional Resources

- Fundraising Support
- Met PGA Internship Program
- Met PGA Alumni Association
- College Scholarships & Financial Aid
- College Recruiting Assistance
- College Golf Combine
- Educational Seminars
- Junior Golf Landscape Expertise
- Player Development Equipment Rentals

## TOURNAMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR AMATEURS & PROFESSIONALS

- New York State Open
- Met PGA Travel Pro-Ams
- Women's Metropolitan Open with WMGA
- Met PGA Pro-Ams, Pro-President, Pro-Ladies, Pro-Junior
- Over 120 Met PGA Junior Tournaments & Junior Championship Events
- Fundraising Events

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# PAST CLUB ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

Anglebrook GC	Glen Oaks Club	Nassau CC	Seawane Club
Apawamis Club	Golf & Body NYC	National Golf Links	Sebonack GC
Ardsey CC	Greens at Half Hollow GC	Nevele CC	Sedgewood GC
Aspetuck Valley CC	Greenwich CC	New Canaan, CC of	Shawangunk CC
Atlantic GC	Griff Harris GC	New York CC	Shinnecock Hills GC
Baiting Hollow Club	Grossingers Resort	Nissequogue GC	Shorehaven GC
Bedford G&TC	Hamlet G&CC	North Fork CC	Silo Ridge Field Club
Beekman GC	Hampton Hills CC	North Hempstead CC	Silver Spring CC
Bergen Point GC	Hampshire CC	North Hills CC	Silvermine GC
Bethpage State Park	Harbor Links GC	North Shore CC	Siwanoy CC
Birchwood CC	Hauppauge CC	Noyac GC	Sleepy Hollow CC
Blind Brook Club	Hempstead G & CC	Oak Hills Park GC	Smithtown Landing
Blue Hill GC	Highlands CC	Old Oaks CC	Somers Pointe GC
Bonnie Briar CC	Hollow Brook GC	Old Westbury G&CC	South Fork CC
Brae Burn CC	Hudson National GC	Osiris CC	Southampton GC
The Bridge	Huntington CC	Otterkill G&CC	Southward Ho CC
Bridgehampton Club	Huntington Crescent Club	Oyster Bay GC	Spook Rock GC
Brooklawn CC	Indian Hills CC	Paramount CC	Spring Lake GC
Brookville CC	Innis Arden GC	Patriot Hills GC	St. Georges G & CC
Brynwood G&CC	Inwood CC	Patterson Club	Stanwich Club
Burning Tree CC	Islands End G&CC	Pelham CC	Sterling Farms GC
Casperkill CC	Kissena Park GC	Pine Hollow CC	Stonebridge Golf Links
Cedarbrook Club	Knollwood CC	Pine Ridge GC	Storm King GC
Centennial GC	Lake Isle CC	Piping Rock Club	Sunningdale CC
Century CC	Lake Success CC	PJ Rotella GC	SUNY Farmingdale
Chelsea Piers	Laurel Links CC	Plandome CC	Swan Lake G&CC
Cherry Valley Club	Lawrence Yacht GC	Pleasantville CC	Tall Grass GC
Cold Spring CC	Leewood GC	Port Jefferson CC	Tamarack CC
Colonial Springs GC	Lido GC	Port Jervis CC	Tam O'Shanter Club
Concord Resort	Links at Union Vale	Pound Ridge GC	Tennanah Lake
Connecticut GC	Long Island National GC	Powelton Club	Towers CC
Crab Meadow GC	Longshore CC	Purchase, The GC of	Trump National Westchester
Creek, The	Mahopac GC	Putnam County GC	Trump Golf Links Ferry Pt.
Darien, CC of	Maidstone Club	Quaker Hill CC	Tuxedo Club
Deepdale GC	Manhattan Woods GC	Quaker Ridge GC	VC of Sands Point
Doral GC	Mansion Ridge GC	Quogue Field Club	Vineyards GC
East Hampton GC	Marine Park GC	Redding CC	Waccabuc CC
Eisenhower Park	McCann Memorial GC	Richmond County CC	Wee Burn CC
Engineers CC	Meadow Brook Club	Ridgefield GC	West Hills CC
Fairfield, CC of	Merrick Road Park GC	Rock Hill CC	Westchester CC
Fairview CC	Metropolis CC	Rockaway Hunting Club	Westchester Hills GC
Farmingdale Golf Cntr	MGA	Rockland CC	Westhampton CC
Fenway GC	Middle Bay, GC at	Rockland State Park GC	Wheatley Hills GC
Fishkill GC	Middle Island CC	Rockrimmon CC	Whippoorwill Club
Forest Park GC	Milbrook Club	Rockville Links CC	Willow Creek G&CC
Fresh Meadow CC	Millbrook G&TC	Rolling Hills CC	Willow Ridge CC
Friar's Head	Mill Pond GC	Rondout GC	Wind Watch G&CC
Game on Golf Cntr	Mill River Club	Round Hill Club	Winged Foot GC
Garden City CC	Mohansic GC	Rye GC	Woodmere Club
Garden City GC	Montauk Downs	Saint Andrew's GC	Woods at Cherry Creek
Gardiner's Bay CC	Morefar GC	Salem GC	Woodside Club
Garrison GC	Mosholu GC	Sands Point GC	Woodway CC
GlenArbor GC	Mount Kisco CC	Saxon Woods GC	Wykagyl CC
Glen Cove GC	Muttontown Club	Scarsdale GC	Yorktown G & BB
Glen Head CC			