

YEAR-END AWARDS, DESCRIPTIONS OF GAMES AND TERMS

Year End Awards

In addition to the weekly prizes, the Power Ranch Men's Club will offer 3 competitive categories. Members can win more than one of the three categories but are only eligible for one prize. Scoring will begin with the first official Men's Club event on January 10, 2010 and end on December 5, 2010. Winners will be recognized and paid at the year-end award presentations on December 12, 2010.

PLAYER OF THE YEAR:

CASH PRIZE: 1st place \$175, runner up \$100

Scoring is a cumulative point system based on overall net score performance. The player with the most points at the end of the season (December 5, 2010) will win the first place prize and the title of "Player of the Year". The point system is dependent on the number of players in the field. Here is an example of the point allocation for a field of 20 players:

1st place = 20 points

2nd place = 19 points

3rd place = 18 points

4th place tie = $(17+16) / 2 = 16.5$ points per player

6th place = 15 points...

20th place = 1 point

(Minimum 10 events required for eligibility)**

2-day majors will be worth double points (1st place in a 20 person major will receive 40 points)

MOST EVENTS PLAYED

CASH PRIZE: \$100

Awarded to the player who participated in the most events.

LOWEST GROSS AVERAGE:

CASH PRIZE: 1st place \$100, runner up \$50

Awarded to the player whose gross average is the lowest for the season.

(Minimum 10 events required for eligibility)**

LOWEST NET AVERAGE

CASH PRIZE: 1st place \$100, runner up \$50

Awarded to the player whose net average is the lowest for the season.

(Minimum 10 events required for eligibility)**

** Note these are EVENTS not "rounds played".

Description of Games

Sweeps

Played as an individual Gross/Net game. Player must post a score for every hole. If a Player chooses not to finish a hole, that player will then receive an X for that particular hole and his Scorecard will then be negated for that day. Player will not be eligible for any Prize Pool money. Individual score ARE posted under this format.

2 Man Best Ball

Done as a mixer, or make your own team. The best score on each hole of the 2-man team counts as your team score. Usually played with gross and net winners, so everyone has a chance to win. Pro's Tip: in this game, don't birdie the same hole as your partner, because you can only count one of them! Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Stableford

Can be individual or team game. Instead of traditional scoring, the following applies:

Par= 1 point
Birdie= 2 points
Eagle= 4 points
Double Eagle= 8 points
Bogey or worse= 0 points

Can be played as an individual net or gross game, team scores or best score per hole. A great break from the usual which rewards players for taking risks and doesn't severely penalize for making mistakes. Pro's Tip: Go for the flag as much as you can! Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Beat the Pro

This game is essentially the same as Sweeps, except there is a Pro from the shop playing in one of the groups. The game is different in that everyone who beats the Pro's Gross score with their Net score gets a piece of the winnings. Every player who wins receives an equal share of the prize pool. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Mixer 4 - Man Best Ball (2-ball gross)

The two best GROSS SCORES for the team on each hole counts as the team score. All teams have the same (or close to the same) handicaps as a team, to ensure fairness of play to everyone. Always a favorite with players, but don't lean too hard on the lower handicapped players; they will mess up at some point too! Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

2 (or 4) Man Net Aggregate

Played as a 2-man or 4-man team, the team score is the sum (or aggregate) of the net score of all team members. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Red, White & Blue

Regardless of format, there are a couple of ways to play this interesting game. In one, the first six holes are played from the red tees, the second six holes from the white tees, and the final six holes from the blue tees. A variant is to start from the white tees, and play the various tees as follows: after scoring a birdie or better, play the blue tee of the next hole. After a bogey or worse, play the red tee of the next hole. And after a par, continue playing the color tee you just played. Individual scores ARE NOT posted under ANY variant of this format.

One-Up

Played as an Individual Gross/Net competition from one step up from the "Tips". Course conditions are at their most extreme. Pins for all 18 holes are "Tucked" and Black tees are set at the back edge of the teeing area. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Reverse Bridgman Best Ball

4 Person Teams- The team records 1 net best score on hole #'s 1-6, team records 2 net best scores on hole #'s 7-12, and team records 3 net best scores on hole #'s 13-18. Individual scores ARE postable.

Blind Bogey

This is an individual game. At the end of the round the golf shop will draw 6 holes which all players will get to exclude. The lowest net score from the remaining 12 holes will be the winners. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Majors

US Open:

June 20 will be our first Major Championship of the 2010 season. Similar to the course conditions of the "One-Up" event we play in July, it will be the most difficult course conditions the Men's club experiences all year. The format will be a 2 day Individual Gross/Net stroke play event. The Men's club will play from the Black Tees and experience fast greens, tucked pins, and a better appreciation for what the PGA Tour players have to endure. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Trilogy Cup:

August 8 will be our second Major Championship of the season. The second Annual Trilogy Cup will be an Individual Gross/Net stroke play event played from the Blue Tees. Both the Gross and Net winner will have their names engraved on a plaque that will hang in the Golf Shop. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Club Championship:

December 5 will be our third and final Major Championship as well as our Year End event of the 2010 season. It will also be an Individual Gross/Net stroke play event played from the Blue Tees. The Gross/Net winners of this event will receive their prizes at the awards dinner on December 12, 2010. Individual scores ARE posted under this format.

Terminology We Use

Mixer:

Random groupings based on handicap; pro-shop makes foursomes.

Sweeps:

Individual Gross and Net Play.

Gross:

Your actual score.

Net:

Your actual score minus your handicap. Example: **84** (actual score) - **12** (home course handicap) = net **72**.

Handicap:

An indicator of your POTENTIAL scoring average, based on your best 10 scores out of your last 20.

Major(s):

Three designated official tournaments for members.

Event Days and Equitable Stroke Control (ESC)

Sunday and Major Championship Events, Equitable Stroke Control WILL NOT be used for scoring. When posting your score players must apply Equitable Stroke Control to each applicable hole before posting the total score. Equitable Stroke Control sets a maximum hole score for a player for handicap purposes. It prevents a Handicap Index from becoming skewed by a few high rounds accounted for solely by a few inordinately high hole scores. A player's maximum hole score is determined from the Equitable Stroke Control table:

Course Handicap	Maximum Score
0-9	Double Bogey
10-19	7
20-29	8
30-39	9
40 or more	10

