

EDGA - 2019 TOURNAMENT BADGE AGREEMENT

There are three types of EDGA tournaments as follows: Access, Challenge and Premier. If you would like to organise a tournament, or register an existing event, please first complete this application form, attach evidence that the event is approved as a Counting Event for WR4GD by the National Federation or major Professional Tour in your country, and send to manon@edgagolf.com, or WR4GD@usga.org in the USA. You will receive a response within five working days. Once all requirements are agreed, we will then send the appropriate logo and conditions for use in all tournament exposure, and the competition will be listed in the WR4GD event calendar on www.wagr.com.

1	Event name.				
2	The name of the course(s).				
3	The location of the course(s) (city & country).				
4	Your scheduled or proposed event dates.				
5	The name of the event organiser.				
6	Event website address, if available.				

ACCESS SERIES TOURNAMENT

The Access Series: is open to players from all disability categories, with a nationally recognised golf handicap of not more than 54, who have an Access Pass or a WR4GD Pass. Players will compete together in a pan-disability format. Where possible, golf handicap should decide the initial draw, before tournament position becomes the deciding factor in subsequent rounds. The format of these tournaments may be stroke play, match play, or stableford. Events must be scheduled for a minimum of 36 holes. Only the points earned by players who have a WR4GD pass will be added to the Ranking.

		YES	NO	Official Use
7	The organising committee must supply a National Federation approved referee.			
8	The organising committee must supply two EDGA approved Classifiers (one International Classifier and one National Classifier). Both Classifiers must be available for reviews and classification on the official practice day and the National Classifier available on the Tournament days. EDGA can provide an International Classifier if requested.			
9	The organising committee must supply an individual responsible for collection of daily media assets ¹ . EDGA can provide an EDGA observer if requested.			
10	Prizes should be awarded per EDGA recommedations ² .			
11	Results must be returned to WAGR within 48 hours of event completion in either GolfBox or on The Ranking Excel sheet ³ .			

CHALLENGE SERIES TOURNAMENT

The Challenge series: is open to players from all disability categories with a nationally recognised golf handicap of not more than 54, who have an Access Pass or a WR4GD Pass. Organisers may decide to play the tournament in golf handicap or disability categories, as well as gender and age categories, and have the option to hold a single disability category tournament. The tournament format may be stroke play, match play, or stableford. Events must be scheduled for a minimum of 36 holes. Only the points earned by players who have a WR4GD pass will be added to the Ranking.

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	12	The organising committee must supply a National Federation approved referee.			
-	13	Can be played in disability categories and have the option to hold a single disability category tournament.			
		The organising committee must supply two EDGA approved Classifiers (one International Classifier and one National Classifier). Both Classifiers must be available for reviews and classification on the official practice day and the National Classifier available on the Tournament days. EDGA can provide an International Classifier if requested.			
	15	The organising committee must supply an individual responsible for collection of daily media assets ¹ . EDGA can provide an EDGA observer if requested.			
	16	Prizes should be awarded per EDGA recommedations ² .			
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PREMIER SERIES TOURNAMENT

The Premier Series: is open to players from all disability categories with a nationally recognised golf handicap of not more than 28 for men and 36 for women, who have a WR4GD Pass. Players will compete together in a pan-disability format. Where possible, golf handicap should decide the initial draw, before tournament position becomes the deciding factor in subsequent rounds. The format of these tournaments may be stroke play, match play, or stableford. Events must be scheduled for a minimum of 36 holes.

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18	The organising committee must supply a National Federation approved referee.			
19	The organising committee must supply an EDGA approved National Classifier for all days of the event. EDGA can provide a Classifier if requested.			
20	The organising committee must supply an individual responsible for collection of daily media assets ¹ . EDGA can provide an EDGA observer if requested.			
2'	Prizes should be awarded per EDGA recommedations ² .			
22	Results must be returned to WAGR within 48 hours of event completion in either GolfBox or on The Ranking Excel sheet ³ .			

FOOTNOTES

F1 Media Assets refer to information required by the EDGA Media team which for example are daily reports of scores, interviews with the leading players, copies of scorecards and any other notable information.

Recommended prize categories are: men's stroke play - gross, men's stroke play - net, men's stableford, women's stroke play - gross, women's stroke play - net, women's stableford, wheelchair, neuro developmental, and sensory. There should be a minimum of one prize for each category for the first eight players, and a position prize added for every additional eight players thereafter.

Golfbox is a virtual tournament assistant and can make many tasks very easy to follow. EDGA has paid the licence for all EDGA National Federation members to be able to run their events on this platform. Golfbox helps the communication stream between the organiser and the WR4GD Ranking and we are able to assist in many ways. We can easily see the players who have inscribed and so can assist with PR and social media if entries are low, we are able to pre-check eligibility, buggy indications, handicap, medical reviews and assist with communication. With the results calculated in Golfbox, players Ranking points are awarded very quickly and the overall Ranking is updated much more easily.

		YES	NO	Official Use
	By signing this document you agree with all the above topics according to the badge for which you have applied.			
	Application for an Access series badge			
	Application for a Challenge series badge			
	Application for a Premier series badge			

Name of the responsible person (Event Organiser), and e-mail address

Contact person of the National Federation, and e-mail address

Signature