



# PGA

Connecticut Section  
Junior Golf Association

## 2010 MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATION

This form must be presented and signed by a PGA Professional of the Connecticut Section PGA and returned to the Section Office in order to certify the membership for a 2010 Junior Golf Association member. The purpose of Certification is to determine that a junior member has sufficient understanding of both the Rules of Golf and the etiquette of the game in order to play in a tournament environment.

*A Junior Golf Association member must be PGA Certified, complete the online Rules of Golf test, and attend the June 12, 2010, membership orientation in order to ACTIVATE his or her membership. Only members who are ACTIVE have the opportunity to enter Junior Golf TOUR tournaments.*

**Junior Golf Association Member Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

### PLAYER/JGA MEMBER INFORMATION (answers to be completed by the PGA Professional)

Does the Player/Member above:

- Play 9 holes in 2 hours and 10 minutes, 18 holes in 4 hours and 20 minutes?      Yes    No
- Demonstrate proper care of the golf course at all times      Yes    No
- Have a basic understanding of golf etiquette?      Yes    No
- Understand scoring and is able to keep score for him/her self and another?      Yes    No
- Demonstrate a level of maturity to play in tournaments with peers?      Yes    No

### PGA PROFESSIONAL INFORMATION

- Please review the Birdies for Charity and Golf Digest Junior Pro-Am information below with the Junior Golf Association Member that you are Certifying

The Travelers Championship **Birdies for Charity** program is a fundraising vehicle for the Connecticut Section PGA Golf Foundation. Birdies for Charity donors simply pledge a minimum of 1-cent per birdie. At the conclusion of the tournament, the Travelers Championship will multiply the number of birdies made during the Tournament by the pledge amount and distribute invoice to each donor. (For example, if an individual makes a 3-cent pledge and there are 1,500 birdies made, that individual will be invoiced for a donation of \$45). Flat donations are also available if an individual wants to donate a flat amount. We are asking that you encourage the JGA Member to go out and recruit pledges. 100% of these pledges/donations will go directly to the PGA Foundation. JGA members who participate in the Birdies for Charity fundraising campaign are eligible to earn a spot in **The Golf Digest Junior Pro-Am** on Tuesday, June 22, at TPC River Highlands during the Travelers Championship week. There will be 9 PGA TOUR Professionals, like Ricky Fowler, Olin Browne, and Lee Janzen (all played last year) who will play with 36 junior golfers, including 20 spots reserved for the JGA Members who raise the most pledges/donation amount. The Birdies for Charity manual, per birdie pledge form, and flat donation form are available on the section website at [www.ctpga.com](http://www.ctpga.com). Thank you for reviewing this with the JGA Member that you are certifying. It will be a great opportunity that he/she won't want to miss.

**CERTIFYING PGA Professional:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PGA ID #** \_\_\_\_\_

*I certify that the Junior Golfer named above has a sufficient understanding of how to manage oneself around a golf course, and will demonstrate good sportsmanship consistent with the game of golf and its etiquette.*

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please return to Sally Sohn, Connecticut Section PGA, 35 Cold Spring Road, Suite 212, Rocky Hill, CT 06067, or fax to 860-257-8355.*

To locate a PGA Professional in your community, please go to PGA ProFinder at the following address:

<http://www.ctpga.com/index.cfm?menu=2831&openitem=2831>