

The Medal Series

Entries Open:	Open to all PMGA members. Open Date: mid-February – Close Date: late April. The first event starts in May.
Registration:	Signup and a separate entry fee are required.
Entry Fee:	The entry fee will be \$30. This fee will cover all prize money (pay out to approximately 33% of the field) and the year-end Medal Series Championship with refreshments.
Field Limit:	The field is not limited.
Format:	The Medal Series is individual stroke play over eight designated events. Players are divided into four flights. Points are awarded for the relative placing of their Gross and Net scores within their flight each time they play. These points accumulate during the May – October period, and the flight leaders are recognized at the Medal Series Team Championship Finale. For the eight scheduled events, players will be divided into 4 flights based on the handicap range. For each player, the best four events with the highest number of points will be used to determine their year-end total. Standings in the net division of each flight are used to qualify players for the Team Championship (held mid-October each year). In the event of a tie, the four best points earned used to develop the rankings will be used to break all ties. If still tied, go to the 5th round points. If still tied, continue until all rounds are compared then flip a coin.
Course:	Magnolia and Holly.
Dates for each round:	Played concurrent with PMGA Peer Play events. See PMGA Game Day Calendar for dates.
Tees:	Players will use their registered tees, based on eligibility.
Flights:	Players will be divided into four (4) flights based on your handicap. Competition will be individual stroke play within your flight. For each event, points will be awarded for the relative placing of your Gross and Net scores (ex. 10 points – 1 st , 9 points – 2 nd , ..., 1 point – 10 th place each time you play) and these points accumulate during the year.
Handicaps:	Your handicap for Medal Series scoring will be the same as Peer Play day.
Prizes:	Prize money will be awarded for Gross and Net place finishers in each flight. Approximately 33% of the field will receive prize money.
Posting:	Each event should be recorded as a Home score.
Food Cost:	N/A
Range Balls:	N/A
Cancellations:	N/A
Tournament Chairman:	Bob Cormier, 910-420-2425, rbcormier@gmail.com



The Medal Series Championship

Entries Open:	N/A
Registration:	The Medal Series Team Championship is a competition between the four flights of the season long Medal Series tournament. Players from each flight at the end of the season play will qualify and play as a team. The format is match play. The total points accumulated over the three days of competition decide the team championship.
Entry Fee:	The entry fee is included in the Medal Series fee.
Field:	Flight Teams from the Medal Series.
Field Limit:	Field limited to four teams (flights) – number of players based on Medal Series entries. The participants in each flight qualify by accumulation the most net points in four of eight Medal Series events.
Format:	The Three-Day Medal Series Team Championship will be a competition between the four flights of the season long Medal Series tournament. The players with the highest accumulated net points from each net flight at the end of the season will qualify and play as a team. The low net score for the four rounds used in the Medal Series will break ties for all flights. If the first low net is tied, then the next low net will be used and so on until the tie is broken. The format is a three-day round robin match play competition. Each team (flight) will play each other over three days. The captain for each flight will be determined based on the same tie breakers used for prizes in the NET category and based on his willingness to serve as Flight Captain. Each round will consist of nine holes of foursome's match play and nine holes of four-ball match play. The total points accumulated over the three days of competition decide the team championship, 1 point for each hole won, ½ point for each hole halved.
Course:	Magnolia and Holly.
Dates for each round:	Mid-October. Actual dates to be announced.
Tees:	Players will use their registered tees, based on eligibility.
Flights:	Same flights as determined during the Medal Series.
Handicaps:	The championship competition will be match play off the low handicap using the USGA recommended method. For Four-Ball Match Play, two play their better ball against the better ball of two other players. The low handicap player plays scratch and each of the three other players is allowed 100 percent of the difference. For Foursome Match Play, partners play alternately from the teeing grounds and alternately during the play of each hole. The lower handicapped side competes at scratch. Each team handicap is established by taking 50% of the sum of the individual handicap at 100%.
Prizes:	The names of the Medal Series Championship flight winners will be engraved on the permanent plaque kept in the locker room.
Food Cost:	N/A
Range Balls:	N/A
Cancellations:	N/A
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