



## Provincial Team Guidelines

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The following is Golf New Brunswick's General Policy regarding the selection of NB Men's & Women's Amateur, Men's Mid-Amateur, Boys & Girls Junior & Men's & Women's Senior Teams.

### **Role of the Executive Committee**

The Executive Committee, acting on the recommendation of its respective portfolio chair, shall select and invite qualified golfers to represent Golf NB and the Province of New Brunswick at:

National Championships sanctioned and administered by Golf Canada including the Canadian Men's Amateur Championship, Canadian Women's Amateur Championship, Canadian Men's Mid-Amateur Championship, Canadian Men's Senior Championship, Canadian Women's Senior Championship, Canadian Junior Girls Championship and the Canadian Junior Boys Championship; and

Such other competitions as the Executive Committee shall determine.

### **Selection Criteria - NB Provincial Teams:**

#### **A. Membership**

**Golfers Must:** In the particular year, be a member in good standing of a Golf NB member club;

**Golfers Must:** In the particular year, comply with the rules and regulations (including rules of residency and citizenship) established by Golf Canada or other golf body sanctioning the competition for which the team is being selected;

**Golfers Must:** Be an amateur golfer (refer to the Rules of Amateur Status).

#### **B. Playing Qualification**

Subject to subparagraph c, the primary basis of team selection will be determined by the player's competitive results in those events designated annually by the Executive Committee. Generally these events are events administered by Golf NB; provided that in a given year and in extreme circumstances, the Executive Committee may designate other selected events to determine a player's competitive results. The Executive committee will publish the playing qualification standards on the Golf NB website at [www.golfnb.ca](http://www.golfnb.ca).

#### **C. Conduct Unbecoming a Golfer**

Selection to a Golf NB team is intended to be an honor given to golfers who have distinguished themselves through playing qualifications and otherwise have established themselves as players who represent the integrity of the game of golf.

The Executive Committee reserves the right in situations where a golfer has otherwise qualified for team selection on the basis of his/her competitive playing results, to not select that person if that person has in some way been guilty of conduct unbecoming a golfer.

For such purposes "conduct unbecoming a golfer" includes breaches of golf etiquette, improper on course conduct, disrespect for fellow competitors, officials and volunteers and the failure to adhere to team member regulations as established by Golf NB.



### ***Provincial Team Funding***

Golf NB will provide financial assistance, to all players representing Team NB at the Canadian Championships at a rate as designated in the table below, and will only be provided to members in good standing of Golf NB.

Provincial Team Members will assume responsibility for all other expenses incurred as a result of representing New Brunswick at any National Championship, as well as any, and all, registration fees that may be put in place by the host committee.

Those players earning additional exemptions into any National Championships, and who are not representing Team NB, will be expected to assume responsibility for ALL expenses incurred as a result of their participation.

### **Golf NB - Travel Zone Allocations**

<b>Travel Zone</b>	<b>2015 National Championship</b>	<b>Funding Per Player</b>
Newfoundland & Labrador		\$500
Maritime (NB, NS, PEI)	Mid-Amateur	\$250
Central Canada (Ontario & Quebec)	Men`s Amateur Women`s Senior / Mid-Amateur	\$500
Western Canada (Manitoba & Saskatchewan)	Women`s Amateur	\$750
Pacific (Alberta & British Columbia)	Men`s Senior	\$1000

### ***Financial Commitment***

Players will be expected to assume responsibility for some, or all, of the expenses incurred as a result of representing Golf NB at any National or regional Championships, as well as any and all registration fees that may be put in place by the host committee.