



# Laguna Woods Golf Club (73-0258-01)

## Most Improved Golfer Report

for Revision Dates 7/1/2018 - 8/1/2018



### AUGUST 2018

Rank	GHIN #	Name	Starting		Ending		Factor
			HDCP	Diff	HDCP	Diff	
1	9627514	Takimoto, Jack	8.8	91.9	6.6	69.5	1.118
2	0958248	Levier, Glen	3.8	40.1	2.3	24.2	1.105
3	9318314	Olson, Craig	20.5	214.3	18.0	188.4	1.083
4	1017428	Campbell, Don	18.9	197.4	16.7	174.4	1.077
5	9697574	Reinach, Kenneth	12.4	129.6	10.7	111.9	1.075
6	9658219	Santoro, Paul	11.1	116.0	9.5	99.7	1.074
7	1842522	Wells, Kerry	17.5	182.3	15.5	162.1	1.073
8	9345793	Holtzman, Michael	28.1	293.2	25.6	266.7	1.066
9	0329979	Statsmann, Michael	26.4	275.4	24.2	253.0	1.061
10	2329318	Mead, Doug	25.1	262.1	23.1	241.5	1.057
11	8688166	Ediger, Mo	17.0	177.5	15.5	161.5	1.055
12	9359509	O'Meara, Dick	25.0	260.6	23.1	241.0	1.054
13	2289103	Sanders, William	22.1	230.3	20.4	212.5	1.052
14	0700192	Jonas, Tony	7.1	74.9	6.2	64.6	1.049
15	1991131	Small, Garth	12.8	134.1	11.7	122.6	1.046
16	9660711	Davis, Dan	13.7	143.7	12.6	131.9	1.045
17	1070864	Pepin, Armand	11.0	115.1	10.0	104.6	1.045
18	9301007	Capelouto, Donald	12.0	125.3	11.0	114.9	1.043
19	0580918	Savard, Dan	21.7	226.6	20.3	211.7	1.043
20	0724586	Renna, Rick	10.8	113.4	9.9	103.4	1.041

### Most Improved Golfer Computation

The USGA recommended method for determining a club's most improved player at the end of a season or year is as follows:

Add 12\* to the player's Handicap Index at the start of the season. This is value A.

Add 12 to the player's Handicap Index at the end of the season. This is value B.

Divide value A by value B, calculating to three decimal places. This is the improvement factor. The player with the highest improvement factor should receive the most improved player award.

Example:

Starting Handicap Index: 22.6

Ending Handicap Index: 17.4

Value A: 22.6 + 12 = 34.6

Value B: 17.4 + 12 = 29.4

A / B: 34.6 / 29.4 = 1.177

Improvement Factor: 1.177

Note: Add 6\* instead of 12 in the case of a nine-hole Handicap Index (N).

\*The numbers 6 and 12 have been determined by the USGA as equitable in gauging the improvement of players encompassing the entire spectrum of handicaps. For example, it is relatively the same improvement factor to go from a 20.0 to a 10.0 Handicap Index (improvement factor of 1.454) as it is to go from a 5.0 to a scratch, or zero Handicap Index (improvement factor of 1.416), yet the change in Handicap Index is "10" (20 - 10) versus "5" (5 - 0) strokes. The numbers of 6 and 12 take into consideration the level of a player's improvement rather than the net change in Handicap Index.

Please note: This ranking is for guidance only and should be carefully reviewed by the handicap committee and modified if necessary. There are many special situations which cannot be taken into account by the formula alone, especially if the club joined GHIN for the first time this year. The committee always has final authority in selecting their most improved player.