



Laguna Woods Golf Club (73-0258-01)

Most Improved Golfer Report

for Revision Dates 11/1/2018 - 12/1/2018



Rank	GHIN #	Name	Starting		Ending		Factor
			HDCP	Diff	HDCP	Diff	
1	1180857	Thompson, Dwaine	31.6	330.1	27.1	283.1	1.115
2	0302942	Luebbe, John	19.3	201.3	16.9	176.9	1.083
3	2829009	Cosbey, Craig	36.4	389.6	33.4	348.0	1.066
4	0381040	Yoon, Sam	30.6	319.0	28.6	298.9	1.049
5	0949853	Kim, Steven	19.9	207.7	18.5	193.2	1.046
6	2323329	Cho, Henry	9.5	99.6	8.6	90.6	1.044
7	9808814	Miles, Terry	28.1	293.7	26.5	276.2	1.042
8	9554465	Hamberg, Albert	16.7	174.1	15.6	162.9	1.040
9	1373832	Raidy, Daniel	17.5	182.3	16.4	170.9	1.039
10	0306347	Hallaert, Leon	24.4	254.7	23.1	241.3	1.037
11	0216471	Lee, Jai	20.1	210.4	19.0	198.5	1.035
12	9660711	Davis, Dan	13.3	139.5	12.5	131.0	1.033
13	1482714	Digges, Charlie	16.4	171.2	15.5	161.6	1.033
14	1604444	Liem, Bian Bie	10.9	113.6	10.2	106.8	1.032
15	9697574	Reinach, Kenneth	10.7	111.8	10.0	104.8	1.032
16	6267974	Seo, Manny	7.3	76.7	6.7	69.8	1.032
17	9448496	Figeira, Bob	29.3	306.0	28.1	293.4	1.030
18	1558298	Pi, Mounq-Yong	16.6	173.8	15.8	165.0	1.029
19	9150973	Green, Larry	11.0	114.8	10.4	108.5	1.027
20	9357840	Holloway, Terry	18.4	192.1	17.6	183.5	1.027

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.