



MEMORANDUM

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TO: Head Coaches at NCAA Division I, II and III Member Institutions that Sponsor Men's Golf.

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SUBJECT: 2020-21 Golfstat Registration.

Golfstat will continue to serve as the computer service used by the NCAA Division I, II and III Men's Golf Committees to process regular-season results for selection purposes for the 2021 NCAA Division I, II and III Men's Golf Championships. It is important that the enclosed registration and roster forms be completed accurately and **returned no later than Oct. 1.**

The men's golf committee recently adjusted the date all schedules for Division I Men's Golf must be submitted to Golfstat to February 1. Additionally, the .500 record requirement for an at-large selection to the championship has been suspended for the 2020-21 season. Schedules for Division II Men's Golf should be submitted and uploaded to Golfstat by Feb. 5. After these dates, any schedule adjustments will need to be approved by the respective Men's Golf Committee. Additions to your roster can be made by contacting Brian Laesch, Golfstat, P.O. Box 548, Bloomington, Illinois 61702-0548 (phone: 309-828-6430; fax: 309-829-4792; email: mail@golfstat.com). Institutions that fail to register with Golfstat will be assessed a \$500 fine for Division I and a \$200 fine for Divisions II and III.

In addition to the roster information, when hosting a tournament, you must report scores using one of the online options (Windows Console Based, Web Based or Live Scoring). When registering a tournament and reporting scores, please provide the name and email of the scoring contact. Tournaments must be registered in order to be used for selection purposes. The host institution of a regular season event will be required to submit results from their tournament into Golfstat no later than 5 p.m. Eastern time, two days following the conclusion of the event. *For example, if a tournament ends on Tuesday, the host institution will be required to submit its results into Golfstat no later than 5 p.m. Eastern time, on Thursday.*

Host institutions that fail to submit tournament results within the established timeframe will be assessed a financial penalty of \$500 for Division I and \$200 for Division II and III per occurrence,

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up to a maximum penalty of \$750 for Division I and \$600 for Divisions II and III. If a registered tournament is canceled, please contact Golfstat.

For tournament results to be considered for selection purposes, the competition must be played according to the Rules of Golf and conducted on a golf course that meets the following minimum yardages in relation to par: **Par 70-6,100 yards; Par 71-6,300 yards; Par 72-6,500 yards.**

Golfstat has received notification from WAGR™ that probation will no longer be applied to new tournaments, as long as event details are supplied two months in advance to Golfstat. Flexibility in this regard will be available for new events played at the beginning of the season, and for new events created quickly to cover other shortened/cancelled events, as long as event information is supplied as soon as possible.

If you are hosting a new event in 2020-21, or change the name/sponsor, course or location of your existing tournament, please let Golfstat know as soon as possible so they can notify WAGR. Please send tournament name, course and dates to Brian Laesch at brian@golfstat.com. When Golfstat tournament registration begins in August, please register as soon as possible, the same way you normally do. This will ensure that your tournament will be included in the statistical data sent to WAGR.

Support questions for registration, scoring, statistics and rankings can be sent to mail@golfstat.com and will be appropriately and expeditiously routed to Ali Szafranski or Marcus El. Business Operations Support questions can be sent to Brian Laesch at brian@golfstat.com.

Registering your student-athletes, registering your tournaments and the Non-Live scoring software are all provided by the NCAA. If you wish to receive Customized Ranking Analysis Reports, Live Scoring software, or any of the other Golfstat services you may order those directly through Golfstat. Golfstat's first public ranking will take place at the end of the fall season.

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Enclosures

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