



## PING WELSH JUNIOR TOUR

### ORDER OF MERIT TABLE

#### Purpose

The Order of Merit will be used to determine which players qualify to play in the Ping Welsh Junior Tour Final to be held at **Wrexham Golf Club on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2018**.

A separate Order of Merit table will be maintained for the following categories; mixed U8, U10, U12 and U14.

#### Qualification for the Ping Welsh Junior Tour Final

The following players will be invited to play in the Ping Welsh Junior Tour Final;

- a) The winner of each age category in each Ping Welsh Junior Tour event.
- b) The 3 highest ranked girls (excluding any girl who has already qualified under a) in the Order of Merit table for each age category.
- c) Sufficient players (boys or girls) from those who have not already qualified, in order of their ranking in the Order of Merit table for each category until a total of 20 players including the players who have qualified under a) and b) above have been invited to play in each age category.
- d) If there is a tie for the last qualifying position in an age category for the Ping Welsh Junior Tour Final under either b) or c) it will be decided in favour of the player who has participated in the most Ping Welsh Junior Tour events in that category. If there is still a tie it will be decided by lot.
- e) A player may only play in one age category in the Ping Welsh Junior Tour Final. If a player qualifies in more than one category they shall be placed in the category in which they ranked the highest in the Order of Merit table.
- f) If a player who has qualified for the Ping Welsh Junior Tour Final is unable to play in the Final the highest ranked player in that age category in the Order of Merit table yet to be offered a place in the Final will, at the discretion of Wales Golf, be invited to play.

#### Order of Merit Points

In each qualifying event the winner in each age category shall receive 10 OOM points, the second placed player shall receive 9 OOM points continuing sequentially until the tenth placed player and below who shall each receive 1 OOM point.

The OOM points won by a player in each qualifying event that they participate in will be added together to create their OOM points total which will be used to determine their position in the Order of Merit table.

#### 2018 Qualifying Events

EVENT	LOCATION	DATE
Tour Event 1	Mold GC	Thursday 5 April 2018
Tour Event 2	Llantrisant & Pontyclun GC	Saturday 21 April 2018
Tour Event 3	Lakeside (Garthmyl) GC	Saturday 19 May 2018
Tour Event 4	Carmarthen GC	Sunday 8 July 2018
Tour Event 5	Abergele GC	Sunday 15 July 2018

#### Order of Merit Prizes

The highest ranked player in each Order of Merit category after the five regional events have been completed will receive a prize to be presented at the end of season Tour Final.