# 2022 La Cumbre Fantasy Golf League Format

- 1. The Entry Fee for the 2022 La Cumbre Fantasy Golf League is \$300.00 per team. A team consists of between one and five owners. Exceptions will be made by approval of the Commissioners.
- 2. The Commissioners are Barry Goss, Oz Fundingsland, Jerry Pimm, and John Rydell. A ruling made by an individual commissioner may be challenged. A consensus ruling made by all four Commissioners cannot be challenged. The decision on the appeal will be made by a majority vote of all the Commissioners. Commissioners incapacitated during the season will be replaced by the remaining Commissioners. If agreement cannot be reached among the remaining Commissioners, nominations will be accepted, and a vote of the League will be taken (one vote per team). The nominee field will be reduced until one nominee has a majority of the votes.
- 3. The owners of each team will draft six players. If the owners of a team cannot be present for the auction, an unaffiliated person designated by the owners must be responsible for the drafting of the team. No other owner or person affiliated with another team may draft for another team.
- 4. Each team that registers for the draft by paying the entry fee prior to the draft will be allocated \$100 with which to acquire the six players for their team in the draft. The minimum bid for a player is \$1.00. Every team must have six players, so that means that the maximum bid for any one player is \$95.00.
- 5. Before the auction begins, any team wanting to bid \$95 for a player will submit a written request to the auctioneer giving the name of the player and the name of the team. The auctioneer will conduct a blind draw of all requests, which will be accepted in the order that they are drawn. Once a player's name is drawn, he will be assigned to that team (and that team only) for \$95.
- 6. Once the drawing for maximum-bid player(s) has been completed, the next phase of the auction will ensue. All players in the world of golf are eligible to be drafted. The auction will precede with the auctioneer calling out the names the players on the 2020-2021 PGA Tour Official Money List from player #1 through #100.
- 7. Once the auction has proceeded through the 100 players identified in Item 6 above, the next phase of the auction ensues. At this time, the team that has registered earliest for the 2022 La Cumbre Fantasy Golf that still requires a player or players will be asked to name any unowned player to be bid on by the remaining teams that still need a player or players.
  - The team that so names a player is required to open the bidding at the minimum bid of \$1.00 but may opt at their discretion to make any bid up to the Maximum Allowable Bid that their team can make at that moment in time (see Rule 8 below). Once that player has been auctioned off, the next team in order of their registration names a new player, and the process continues until all teams have six players. Once a team has six players, they are no longer permitted to participate in the auction, even if they have money remaining. Once a player has been auctioned off to a team, that player may not be waived and replaced by an unowned player until the auction is complete.
- 8. At any time during any phase of the Auction, no team is allowed to bid any more than the Maximum Allowable Bid for their team, which is determined by taking their total remaining dollars available for the auction (which is \$100 less any amount previously bid for a player or players) and subtracting from that amount \$1.00 for every position on the team that would remain to be filled if the team was successful in its bidding for the player up for auction. Example: If the team has bid \$83.00 for two players, it would have \$17.00 left to fill four positions. That means that the team's Maximum Allowable Bid is \$14.00. That is \$17.00 less the \$3.00 necessary to acquire the three additional players to fill out

the roaster. If a team overbids their Maximum Allowable Bid, the auction is resumed at the level of the previous bid by a qualified owner.

- 9. Once the auction is completed and all registered teams have six players, any team from then on may make a trade by waiving a player and claiming any unowned player. Each team is allowed two trades per Segment. The First Segment begins at the Sony Open (January 13-16) and ends at the Valspar Championship (March 17-20). The Second Segment begins with World Golf Championships Dell Technologies Match Play (March 23 27) and ends with the Charles Schwab Challenge (May 26-29). The Third Segment begins this year with the Memorial Tournament (June 2-5) and ends with the Wyndham Championship (August 4 -7). There are 10 tournaments in each segment. The list of the tournaments is attached (with their relative values also provided).
- 10. None of the 2021 Fall Series events on the 2021-2022 PGA Tour Schedule, including the World Golf Championships HSBC Champions are a part of the LCFGL Schedule. The 2022 Sentry Tournament of Champions (January 6-9) is not on the 2022 LCFGL Schedule as it will have already been played prior to the Auction. The opposite events on the 2021-2022 PGA Tour Schedule that are played at the same time as two WGC events and the British Open are not on the LCFGL Schedule.
- 11. Any trade that is made prior to 6:00 PM on the day prior to the first day of the Tournament (usually the Wednesday of the Tournament Week) will be effective for that week. Any trade must be communicated to the Commissioner, Barry Goss, by email to be official. Any team may pick up a player that has been waived by another team 24 hours after the Commissioner has officially announced the trade to all teams. If multiple teams request a trade for the same player, the time of the trade will be when it is received by the designated commissioner, Barry Goss.
- 12. The Scoring for each of the 30 tournaments is as follows: 48 points for the winner, 40 points for 2nd, 36 points for 3rd, 34 points for 4th, 32 points for 5th, 30 points for 6th, 28 points for 7th, 26 points for 8th, 24 points for 9th, 22 points for 10th, 20 points for 11th, 18 points for 12th, 16 points for 13th, 14 points for 14th, 12 points for 15th, 10 points for 16th, 8 points for 18th, 4 points for 19th and 2 points for 20th. All ties for places 2 thru 20 will share the points for the positions. For example, if four people tie for 3rd place, they would share the points for 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th place equally. That is, 36 points, 34 points, 32 points and 30 points, respectively, for a total of 132 points divided by four, or 33 points each.

In addition, 10 points are awarded for the Low Round of the tournament. If the player that shoots the low round of the tournament does not make the cut, no points are awarded to that player, although his score may create a tie for the point award. If two or more players tie for the low round, each player receives 6 points, unless one or more of those players did not make the cut, in which case only the players(s) that made the cut receive the 6 points. The same player cannot receive two Low Round bonuses for the same tournament.

Every player that makes the official cut receives two points even if he then withdraws from the tournament. PGA Tour policy states if a player posts score that would have made the cut then withdraws before the official cut is made, his score is not considered in the calculation of the cut line. He then does not receive LCFGL cut points. If five players on one team make the cut in any tournament, that team receives 4 points for each of those five players (a ten-point bonus) for a total of 20 points. If all six players on one team make the cut in any tournament, the team receives 6 points for each of the six players (a 24-point bonus) for a total of 36 points.

The above points are multiplied by 2 for the four majors and the Players.

- 13. The WGC-Dell Technologies Match Play Championship has 64 players in the field. That tournament will start with 16 match play groups of four players each with each player playing round-robin matches within their group. The players with the best record in each group advances to the Round of 16 for single elimination matches, continuing with the Quarterfinals and the Semifinals and the Championship and Consolation matches. The cut points will be awarded to any player that has the any of the following Won-Loss-Tie records in any Group Play: (3-0; 2-1; 1-0-2; 1-1-1 or 0-0-3). The players with winning records in Group Play (2-1-0 or 1-0-2), that do not advance to the Round of 16, tie for 17th Place. Losers in the Round of 16 all tie for 9th place. Losers in the Quarterfinals tie for 5th place. First through Fourth places will be determined by play.
- 14. The Weekly team winners, the winners of the three Segments and the overall Winners will be based upon points, not dollars won, based upon the scoring method in paragraph 12.
- 15. The weekly team winner (by points) for Regular Stops receives \$50; for the four majors and the Players \$100.

The team that owns the winning player of each tournament on the LCFGL Schedule will be awarded a bonus as follows: \$15.00 for Regular Stop; and \$25.00 for the four majors and the Players. If the winning player of any tournament is not owned, then the team(s) with the next highest-finishing owned player(s) will receive the award. If more than one owned player ties for the highest finish in this case, their teams will split the award equally.

In addition, at the end of each Segment, an amount approximating 15-16% of the Prize Money Pool is awarded to the top six finishers in that Segment (by points, see above).

And at the End of Season, approximately 20-21% of the Prize Money pool will be awarded to the top seven Overall finishers (by points) leaving 31-32% of the prize money for the weekly winner.

Any money not awarded during the year for any reason will be awarded to the seventh place team(s) or any teams tied for positions that include seventh place in the Segment where the event causing the non-payment occurred, such as a weather or security cancellation.

- 16. The two-man team play format for the Zurich Classic will be scored as follows:
  - a) Low Round will be awarded for both the Four Ball and the Foursomes formats, with 5 points going to the each of the players on the team that shoots the low round in each of the formats. If there are ties for Low Round in either of both formats, both players on all teams that shoots the Low Round in either or both of the formats will receive 3 points each.
  - b) Winning Player Payout: There can be only one winning PGA team, so the winning team players will split the \$15.00 award. If one or both of the players are unowned, that money will be split amongst the owned player(s) on the next highest finishing team(s). Remember, the Payouts are a finite number, so only \$15.00 can be distributed by applying the methodology explained in Item 19 above.
  - c) Winning Team Payout: This is based upon the most overall LCFGL points scored by an LCFGL team for the week, so no change in the payout is required here. The winning LCFGL team will receive \$50, or if there are teams that are tied for most LCFGL points for the week, the award will be split evenly between them.
  - d) Five Players and Six Players Made the Cut Bonuses: There is a PGA Tour cut that will be made after 36 holes, so no change here as far as how the cut points are calculated in the LCFGL. Each player on a team that makes the cut will receive 2 points.
  - e) Top 20 Finish Bonuses: All Finish Bonus points earned by the team will be split by players on that team. Example: The team that finished in 1st Place will split the combined 1st Place and 2nd Place points: 48 points for 1st Place plus 40 points for 2nd Place = 88 points, split equally means

both players on the winning team will receive 44 points. The 2nd Place team splits the 3rd and 4th Place points (36 + 34 = 70 or 35 points each) and so on until all of the Top 20 Finish Bonus points are distributed.

NOTE: The Prize Money Payouts at the end of each Segment and at the end of the Season are dependent upon the number of teams in the league and on the number and types of tournaments played in the LCFGL schedule each year. The Prize Money Payout Schedule will be sent out to all team members within a few days of the Auction.

### **2022 Tournaments / Segments**

## **Segment One**

Sony Open	(Value 1.0)	
American Express	(Value 1.0)	
Farmers Insurance	(Value 1.0)	
ATT Pebble Beach	(Value 1.0)	
Waste Management	(Value 1.0)	
Genesis	(Value 1.0)	
Honda	(Value 1.0)	
Arnold Palmer	(Value 1.0)	
Players	(Value 2.0)	
Valspar	(Value 1.0)	Total segment value 11

## **Segment Two**

WGC Match Play	(Value 1.0)	(See Special Rule #13)
Valero Texas	(Value 1.0)	
Masters	(Value 2.0)	
RBC Heritage	(Value 1.0)	
Zurich Classic	(Value 1.0)	(Special Rule #16)
Mexico Open	(Value 1.0)	
Wells Fargo	(Value 1.0)	
ATT Byron Nelson	(Value 1.0)	
PGA	(Value 2.0)	
Schwab Challenge	(Value 1.0)	Total segment value 12

## **Segment Three**

Memorial	(Value 1.0)		
RBC Canadian	(Value 1.0)		
US Open	(Value 2.0)		
Travelers	(Value 1.0)		
John Deere	(Value 1.0)		
Scottish Open	(Value 1.0)		
Open Championship	(Value 2.0)		
3M	(Value 1.0)		
Rocket Mortgage	(Value 1.0)		
Wyndham	(Value 1.0)	Total segment value	12