

USGA Rules of Amateur Status

The USGA revised their Rules of Amateur Status, which has been an ongoing process the past few years.

Here are a couple of notable revisions:

- Accepting prize money (such as a cash prize) up to the prize limit is allowed, but only as part of a “scratch competition”.
- Prize limit increased to \$1000 (previously \$750).

The complete list of revisions can be found on the USGA website: www.usga.org/AmateurStatus.

Iowa High School golfers are not permitted to accept cash prizes under any circumstance.