

**Appendix A**

**PAGE PROGRAM: CANDIDATE FOR MEMBERSHIP CLASS "A" PATHWAYS**

*Candidate must meet criteria for membership, complete online National Orientation and criminal check BEFORE Playing Ability Test. After Candidate Passes the PAT, they have a minimum of 3 years, maximum of 6 years to complete the following:*

**ALL Candidates are required to work within the "golf industry" until Class "A" status is obtained (min. 3000 hrs)**

Candidates for Membership may choose ONE of the following career pathways, but may change mid-stream:

**PATH "A" Class "A" Member Certified in 'Golf Operations'**

1 OR 2

3 year PGM diploma (from a recognized college – golf modules included in curriculum)

3 year Business Diploma (from a recognized college or university degree with a business major)

2 seasons of Employment under Canadian PGA Class "A" Member or Class "A" Member from a recognized PGA at an approved golf course

Complete Canadian PGA core competency golf modules

2 seasons of Employment under Class "A" Member or Class "A" Member from a recognized PGA at an approved golf course

**PATH "B" Class "A" Member**

1 OR 2

3 Year Business Diploma OR PGM diploma or a University degree with a Business major

University degree other than Business or two year diploma in any discipline other than business

Complete Canadian PGA core competency golf modules

One year business certificate from an accredited college or GMIC online diploma

Complete Canadian PGA core competency golf modules

**ALL CANDIDATES MUST ALSO COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:**

- 1) RULES OF GOLF
  - 2) CLUBFITTING
  - 3) TCCP INSTRUCTOR BEGINNER and INSTRUCTOR INTERMEDIATE GOLFER TRAINING
- AFTER ALL STEPS ARE COMPLETE WITH APPROPRIATE EVALUATION THE CANDIDATE MUST COMPLETE THE CLASS "A" EVALUATION**
- AFTER PASSING THE CLASS "A" EVALUATION, CANDIDATE IS GRANTED CLASS "A" MEMBERSHIP**