

Golf House Iowa – FAQ

- Why is the IAPGA giving to the Iowa Golf House?
 - The Iowa PGA Mission, Vision and Values Statement
 - Part of our M, V, V encompasses all things in golf
 - Mission – promoting and growing the game of golf
 - Vision – Inspiring leadership, collaboration and innovation
 - Values – Philanthropic – the Iowa PGA is committed to giving back to the community through the game of golf
 - The Iowa PGA and IGA are members of the Iowa Golf Council along with the Tall Corn Chapter of the CMAA and the Iowa Chapter of the IGCSAA. The game is in a much better position when all four allied associations are supporting and assisting each other.
 - The Golf House Iowa will house the IGA, the Iowa Chapter of the GCSAA and the First Tee of Central Iowa.
 - This gives us a more united front, especially with the two major associations (IGA/Iowa PGA), for the face and state of golf in Iowa as we both continue to be stewards of the game and history of golf in Iowa.
- What was the process that was taken to arrive at this decision?
 - The Officers, the Iowa PGA Board, the Iowa PGA Foundation Board, Past Presidents and the Iowa PGA Staff met several times throughout the winter as they built the new Iowa PGA Strategic Plan. As part of those discussions the gift to the Golf House Iowa arose. The Executive Committee/Officers presented information and made a recommendation from the Past Presidents and Boards at those meetings to the Board for approval. Executive Director Greg Mason provided detail and follow up to many questions raised by the Executive Committee/Officers/Past President meeting...The Board discussed and approved with a unanimous decision to move forward with the gift..
- How did we come up with the \$250k number?
 - We wanted to make a significant contribution and not fall by the wayside with other smaller donors. It puts us in a great position to receive money from the IGA, or anyone else associated with this project, down the road should we have a capital venture of our own.
- As a PGA member, what benefit am I getting from this donation?
 - Pending a formal agreement, the IGA (depending on availability & food and beverage) would allow PGA Members to host board meetings and other functions within the meeting space at no charge/nominal fee/facility fee/rental fee.
 - We are a part of the museum and the Iowa Golf Hall of Fame for many of our fellow members. We are a part of the great history of golf in Iowa.
- Is this a lump sum payment or planned to give over a number of years?
 - This gift will be given over four years - \$125,000 in 2023, \$75,000 in 2024, \$25,000 in 2025 and \$25,000 in 2026
- There has been some history between IGA and IAPGA—will this help mend some of that history?
 - The mending has already happened over the past five plus years as the former Executive Directors for both the Iowa Golf Association and Iowa PGA have retired or have unfortunately passed on. In addition, many of the past Board members for both associations have moved on as board members. This was met with much approval by the Iowa PGA Past Presidents in the winter through in-person and virtual meetings prior to taking to the Board for approval.
- Is our financial position strong enough to do this?
 - Due to the past 10-12 years of financial planning and growth within our investments, the Iowa PGA is in a great position to fund this gift through those investments.

- Are my dues being increased to fund this?
 - Your dues are not being used for this gift as it is coming from our investment accounts that have grown in the past 10-12 years.
- Are we getting anything in return for this donation?
 - The Iowa Golf Hall of Fame Lounge will be named in honor of the Iowa PGA and Iowa PGA Foundation.
- List of the Iowa Golf Hall of Fame that are Iowa PGA Members past and present.
 - Joe August
 - Mike Bender
 - John Bermel
 - Joe Brown
 - Charlie Burkart
 - Larry Crawford
 - Mark Egly
 - Jack Fleck
 - Bob Fry
 - Judd Gibb
 - Larry Gladson
 - Brad Gregory
 - Jim Hasley
 - Jerry Johnson
 - Zach Johnson
 - Ted Lockie
 - Sean McCarty
 - Bob Moreland
 - Don Narveson
 - Lonnie Nielsen
 - Jock Olson
 - Emil Roewert
 - Jack Rule, Jr.
 - Dave Rummells
 - Ken Schall
 - Curt Schnell
 - Brad Schuchat
 - Jeff Smith
 - Jerry Smith
 - Steve Spray
 - Larry Stewart
 - JD Turner
 - Jack Webb
- List the Iowa PGA Members that have served or are serving on the HOF Committees.
 - Selection Committee – Past – Jerry Johnson – Current are Joe Butler and Ross deBuhr
 - Voting Committee of eleven (11) that all must be current Iowa Golf Hall of Fame members - The Iowa PGA is represented by Bob Moreland, Ken Schall and Jeff Smith