

GUIDELINES FOR CHARTERING NEW CHAPTERS

I. Method of Entry

1. By invitation from Pro Duffers USA or recommendation from a member club to the National Council via the National President.
2. Club seeking affiliation may request admission. via letter to the National President.

II. Eligibility Requirements

1. Club should consist of at least 10 members, over 21 years of age, all of whom are deemed to possess reputable character, good morals, love for the game of golf and willing to play by the rules.
2. Business or Professional Occupation (Active or Retired).

The Membership Committee shall send applications to the prospective club(s) for each member to complete and return along with appropriate fees. The committee shall then review completed applications and send their findings and recommendations along with rosters of the club to the National Council via the President. Copies shall also be sent to each member club for their review and action.

Clubs shall, within 30 days after revolving such information, report in writing any objections of said club(s) to the National Council via the President.

Should there be an unfavorable report from any club; The National Council shall circulate this information to each club for further review and action within thirty (30) days after receiving such report. If two-thirds (2/3) of the clubs are in favor of accepting the club in question, the National council shall Instruct the President to proceed with the acceptance of the new club (s). In the event there is a negative vote, The National Council shall so notify the prospective club and give reasons for the denial. A club so affected may reapply after twelve (12) months with a statement that the reason(s) for the denial has been removed.

Should any member club fail to act on the proposal within the time specified (30 days), Its failure to act shall be deemed a vote in the affirmative.

The Membership Chairman shall hold all fees received until directed by the President as to their disposition.

All findings and actions of the National Council shall be reported to the general membership at the next annual meeting.

Joining Fee: \$100.00 Per Club

Annual Dues: \$25.00 Per Club Member

National President
Chuck Stradford
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