



PGA

Kentucky Section

2017 KPGA GOLF PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR NOMINATION

Name of Nominee: _____ John Andrew Mesplay _____

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The nomination form should be typewritten.

1. Please describe the nominee's overall performance as a Golf Professional.

We organize games every day for men needing a group to join and several times a week for our ladies. Junior golfers also have a wide range of activities planned through PGA Junior League, Junior Clinics and PlayDays.

The Golf Shop is displayed with optimum levels of merchandise for each season and Member Service is our biggest priority for the staff.

Clinics/Lessons/Fittings are available for everyone during the golf season with video, launch monitor and fitting equipment readily available. Hope to make this year-round with an indoor facility very soon.

Tournament Operations is what I look forward to the most...seeing someone achieve their GOALS in golf can be very rewarding!

2. Please briefly describe the nominee's service to the local Section and to the Association.

This is an area I am lacking experience as my family and current position occupy most of my spare time. My twins are juniors in high school and will be attending college in a few years. Hopefully, I can use this time to share with the Kentucky PGA and PGA of America.

3. Please briefly describe the nominee's leadership ability.

I am a very easy-going personality, and do my best to set good example of hard work for my co-workers. I began as an Assistant Golf Professional and have worked into the role of Head Golf Professional/General Manager.

We have a great team of managers, so keeping them informed of policy and event schedules through various communication channels, Text, Email and Meetings is my biggest role as GM.

4. Please briefly describe how the nominee inspires fellow Golf Professionals.

Living in Danville, I don't have much interaction with other PGA Professionals other than phone calls or emails to a few others I keep in touch with. We often share new ideas for the upcoming season and discuss procedure differences with each course/club.

5. Please briefly describe how the nominee grows the game of golf at the facility, in the community and throughout the Section.

We have a beginner program for Women and Juniors and multiple opportunities for Men to be integrated into groups that play each day at Danville CC. I have been involved in clinics at local child care facilities and schools and currently coach a Local Middle School program.

6. Please list any Section or National awards the nominee has received

Award	Year Received	Section
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Deadline – December 12, 2016

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