

GUILF WINDS TRACK CLUB

AWARDS/GRAND PRIX

POLICY STATEMENT

2002-2

Replaced July, 2004 by 2004-1

Grand Prix Guidelines

I. Scoring

The first 10 male and first 10 female finishers in open competition at designated races will receive points as follows:

1st place, 30 points	5th place, 13 points	8th place, 7 points
2nd place, 20 points	6th place, 11 points	9th place, 5 points
3rd place, 17 points	7th place, 9 points	10th place, 3 points
4th place, 15 points		

The first eight male and first eight female finishers in age divisions at designated races will receive points as follows:

1st place, 20 points	4th place, 10 points	7 th place, 4 points
2nd place, 15 points	5th place, 8 points	8 th place, 2 points
3rd place, 12 points	6 th place, 6 points	

II. Age Divisions

A competitor's age division is determined according to their age on January 1 of the Grand Prix year. For example, if a runner is 24 on January 1, their GWTC Grand Prix age division for that entire year will be 20-24 even though they turn 25 on January 10.

Male and female age divisions are:

9-under	30-34	55-59
10-14	35-39	60-64
15-19	40-45	65-69
20-24	50-54	70-74
25-29	60-64	75-79
		80 and over

III. Awards

The five runners with the highest point totals in open competition will receive awards in this category and will not be eligible for age group recognition.

The top 3 finishers (excluding top 5 open competitors) in total points for each age group will receive awards.

Only GWTC members are eligible. Nonmembers may, however, join the club on the day of a race and be eligible for points for that race forward.

IV. Eligible races

The Awards Committee shall develop a schedule of races to be designated Grand Prix races by October 1 each year. There should be ten to fourteen races on the circuit each year. The Committee shall present the schedule to the Board at the October meeting for the Board's final approval.