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Time to establish your USGA handicap

By the time everyone reads this we will be well into the 1997 season. Along with the new year come chapter meetings, seminars and all the golf-related fund raisers and tournaments. I would like to remind everyone who does not have a

USGA handicap to please get one established this year! When you enter these events with a current handicap, it makes the tournament chairman's job a lot easier for pairing of players and scoring at the end of play.

For those superintendents who work at resorts or clubs that are difficult to get on, and commercial members who travel a lot and are not members of a club or association, I know it is hard to establish a handicap. In the Central Florida chapter, as part of your membership dues, a handicap can be established with our golf chairman. For those who turn in score cards, your scores are recorded and sent to a service

every month or so. If you play other than chapter events, scores can be sent or phoned in to the Golf Chairman. The GCSAA requires verification of a USGA handicap in order to play in the annual golf championship. No letters from your golf professional or handicap chairman will be accepted.

Whether your scores are good, mediocre or bordering on the ugly side, please establish a USGA handicap this year!

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