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## **Bermuda Golf Association Receives Donation of \$20,000 from Bermuda Championship**

**Southampton, Bermuda** (June 2, 2021) — The Bermuda Championship today announced a donation of \$20,000 to the Bermuda Golf Association (BGA), a beneficiary of the island’s official PGA TOUR event.

“As the recognised National Sport Governing Body for golf in Bermuda, the Bermuda Golf Association is grateful for the donation extending from the Bermuda Championship,” said BGA President Craig Brown. “Our goal is to use the funds for golf development partnering with our industry stakeholders.”

To date, some the funds have been used as part of a partnership with the Bermuda Professional Golfers’ Association (BPGA) to provide Level 1 TPI certification opportunities for members of the BPGA. The remaining funds will be allocated to support other areas of the BGA junior programme, such as equipment and educational support for our new Golf Development Officer role.

“The BGA is committed to working with stakeholders to deliver on our mandate to assist the growth, development and sustainability of golf in Bermuda,” said Brown.

“We are so grateful for the support shown by the people of Bermuda this past year to make the second Bermuda Championship a success and help us give back to our community,” said Executive Director Sean Sovacool. “The hard work of nonprofits like the Bermuda Golf Association show us first-hand the positive impact from funds raised through the tournament. We are proud to play a role in supporting the future of golf for Bermudians and look forward to watching the game grow in the years to come.”

The third playing of the Bermuda Championship is scheduled for October 25 – 31 at Port Royal Golf Course. For the latest Bermuda Championship information, visit [www.bermudachampionship.com](http://www.bermudachampionship.com). General inquiries may be directed to [bcinfo@bermudachampionship.com](mailto:bcinfo@bermudachampionship.com).

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### **About Bermuda Championship**

The Bermuda Championship is an annual stop on the PGA TOUR. To-date, the tournament has raised over \$400,000 for local charities. This is the first PGA TOUR event ever held in Bermuda, highlighted by a field that includes a minimum of three Bermudians who qualify to compete via a Local Qualifying event. Scheduled for October 25 to 31 at Port Royal Golf Course in Southampton, the 2021 Bermuda Championship will feature a field of 120 players, 72 holes of stroke play and a purse of a minimum of US\$3 million. This official FedEx Cup event will showcase Bermuda to the world with 14 hours of live Golf Channel broadcast. For more information, visit [bermudachampionship.com](http://bermudachampionship.com) and connect with the tournament on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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## **About PGA TOUR**

By showcasing golf's greatest players, the PGA TOUR engages, inspires, and positively impacts our fans, partners, and communities worldwide.

The PGA TOUR, headquartered in Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida, co-sanctions tournaments on the PGA TOUR, PGA TOUR Champions, Korn Ferry Tour, PGA TOUR Latinoamérica, Mackenzie Tour-PGA TOUR Canada and PGA TOUR Series-China. Members on the PGA TOUR represent the world's best players, hailing from 29 countries and territories (94 members are from outside the United States). Worldwide, PGA TOUR tournaments are broadcast to 216 countries and territories in 28 languages. Virtually all tournaments are organized as non-profit organizations to maximize charitable giving, and to date, tournaments across all Tours have generated more than \$3.2 billion.

Fans can follow the PGA TOUR on [PGATOUR.COM](http://PGATOUR.COM), the No. 1 site in golf, on the [PGA TOUR app](#) and on social media channels, including [Facebook](#), Instagram (in [English](#), [Spanish](#) and [Korean](#)), [LinkedIn](#), [Twitter](#), [WeChat](#), [Weibo](#), [Toutiao](#), and [Douyin](#).

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