

DAVID WORTMAN CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

This award bestows special recognition on an outstanding amateur, recognized by the MAPGA and the business community as a leader in his/her field, whose contributions to golf in the mid-Atlantic region include the promotion of the game, the Middle Atlantic Section and its PGA Professionals, and overall support of MAPGA programs and golf throughout the region. This award is named in honor of the late David Wortman, Esq., Section Legal Counsel from 1971-1988 and honorary member of the MAPGA.

Stacy Miller-Arndt, LPGA
Congressional Country Club
Potomac, Maryland

Stacy Miller-Arndt was born in Sherman, Texas to parents Chuck and Diane Miller. She has one brother Clay Miller who is married to Rebekah. At the age of 7, she was introduced to the game of golf by her dad who taught her how to play. They were members at Denton Country Club in Denton, Texas and Falconhead Country Club in Burneyville, OK. Their family would play golf together every weekend at either club as they were all golfers with low handicaps.

She decided golf was for her at age 11 after playing in her first national junior golf tournament, the Women's Western Junior at Lakeway Country Club in Austin Texas. After qualifying for the first flight, she won her first match against a 17-year-old senior on the 18th hole. After the tournament, she found a passion and a drive to become better at golf.

Stacy attended Oklahoma State University where she participated on the Women's Golf team from 1990 – 1995. Her first golf related job was working for the Northern Texas PGA Junior Tour with Barry Rodenhaver as a summer intern helping to set up and run the Junior Golf tournaments. After this internship experience, she knew that she wanted to teach juniors and work in the golf industry. She became a professional in 1995, eventually earning her LPGA Membership. Her career includes roles at the Country Club of Woodmore as an Assistant Golf Professional (1995 – 1997); TPC at Avenel as an Assistant Golf Professional (1997 – 1999); and her current role at Congressional Country Club since 1999 as the Junior Golf Director and Teaching Professional.

Their goal for juniors at Congressional CC is to teach athletes first and golfers second, teaching and training future members. They teach their juniors with athletic movements in different sports and fun games that help juniors learn to play golf. They offer tournaments, playdays, camps, classes, interclub matches and Girls Golf Club from ages 3 to 17. This allows all juniors to learn golf at his or her pace.

Stacy is actively involved with the PGA of America and the Middle Atlantic through being the lead for Congressional CC's PGA HOPE Program. Their goal is to work with veterans to develop their skills while incorporating games and on course instruction. She highlights that golf helps our veterans take their minds away from other distractions while healing, empowering and building a community for the veterans.

She was named LPGA National Junior Leader in 2016 and LPGA Northeast Section Junior Golf Leader in 2015 and 2016.

She and her husband Gus Arndt met at the Country Club of Woodmore and have been married for 25 years. They have two children Gustave Arndt (19), an Eagle Scout who attends her alma mater, Oklahoma State University and Hunter Arndt (16), an Eagle Scout who attends Urbana High School.