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Dear Sir/Madam,

THE 111th MALAYSIAN AMATEUR OPEN 2013 (MEN)

Greetings from the Malaysian Golf Association

We are pleased to announce that MGA will be hosting the 111th edition of the Malaysian Amateur Open from 23rd to 26th May 2013 at Royal Pahang Golf Club, Kuantan, Pahang, Malaysia.

This WAGR Championship event will be played over 72 holes stroke play with a cut off after 36 holes to 60 participants and ties. The Team Event for the 2 nominated players from each country will be played over 36 holes.

We have the pleasure to invite all National Associations to nominate 2 players to participate in the 111th Malaysian Amateur Open Golf Championship. We are pleased to inform that we will provide all nominated players with 2 practice rounds, 6 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 6 nights' accommodation on twin sharing basis, exempted from payment of entrance fees, driving range balls and ground / local transfers (airport, hotel and golf club).

Append below is the information pertaining to the Host Venue:-

Built in 1964, the Royal Pahang course was originally a nine-hole layout until it was upgraded to 18 holes in 1987. A short distance from the famed Telok Chempedak beach and within easy reach of Kuantan town centre, this links course has become very popular with hotel guests and visitors to Kuantan.

Spreading across 120 acres, this very flat layout has a forest as its backdrop with the South China Sea visible from some holes. The State Guest House, beside the 14th hole, lends a touch of both colour and grandeur. Come afternoon, swirling winds often pose a challenge to golfers-clubbing and control becomes a real test of skill.

The First Nine is marked by wider fairways, with mature trees but less water. The Second Nine demands accuracy, as its water, bunkers and tall trees are all very destructive. Playing here is pleasant yet challenging.

The course has undergone much improvement over the years and has played host to major events, most notably the Tourism Malaysia series featuring local and foreign professional players. Most recently, major upgrading works were carried out to turn this 6898 yards layout into a more challenging championship course for the 15th Malaysia Games Golf Championship.

Complemented by its new Clubhouse and other facilities that include a driving range, pro-shop, swimming pool, squash, snooker, gymnasium, restaurant and karaoke, the Royal Pahang continues to live up to its status as the premier golf club in the East Coast.

We attached herewith the Fact Sheet, Tournament Conditions, Entry Form, and Accommodation Reservation Form for your information and action. Please do not hesitate

to contact our office or forward your enquiries to mga@tm.net.my / bambang@mgaonline.com.my / umie@mgaonline.com.my

We would appreciate if you can send the entry via the above email by 26th April 2013.

For your information the following Championships would take place immediately after the 111th MAO:-

i) *The Saujana Amateur Open (Men) - 27th - 29th May 2013 at Saujana Golf CC.*

For further enquiries on event (i) please contact razlan@saujana.com.my and jennysgc@saujana.com.my.

We thank you for your continued support and look forward to welcome your players to Kuantan in May 2013.

With best regards

Yours sincerely,
For Malaysian Golf Association


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