





July 27, 2015

# Dear Friends,

Thailand Golf Association (TGA) is pleased to announce the "8<sup>th</sup> Singha Thailand Junior World Golf Championships 2015" which will be held between 5-8 November 2015 at Royal Hua-Hin Golf Course in Prachuabkhirikhan.

The organizing committee would like to extend the invitations to your 4 best junior golfers which will be eligible for:

- free 6 days accommodation at the official hotel 2 boys and 2 girls and 2 officials (three sharing)

- local transportation between hotel-airport and hotel-golf course will be provided
- free practice round, tournament rounds
- welcome dinner, farewell party
- free breakfasts and lunches during the tournament

The famous Royal Hua- Hin Golf Course is the oldest golf course in Thailand. You will enjoy this beautiful world renowned seaside resort with numerous impressive sightseeing landmarks and activities not to mention the King's summer palace, Klai Kang Won palace.

We sincerely hope that your national players will be available to participate in this event. Please also be kindly advised that other players are most welcome to participate but will have to meet all expenses on their own.

If you have any questions regarding this tournament please feel free to contact us and we are looking forward to meeting you soon.

Yours sincerely,

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### November 5-8, 2015

# -- CHAMPIONSHIPS INFORMATION --

#### General

Thailand Golf Association (TGA) is pleased to forward the following details in preparation for the Championship in Thailand.

# 1. Championship Dates & Venue

The SINGHA Thailand Junior World Golf Championships 2015 will be held from Thursday, Nov. 5 to Sunday, Nov. 8, 2015 at Royal Hua Hin Golf Course is the oldest golf course in Thailand. The 18 holes Championship course measures 6,678 yard and has a par of 72 in over 240 acers of trees.

#### 2. Official Hotel

Hua Hin Grand Hotel and Plaza.

- Address: 222/2 Petchkasem Rd. , Hua Hin Prachuabkhirikhan 77110 Thailand
- Contact No. : +66 32 511 499,513230-4 Fax: +66 32 511 765
- Website: http://www.huahingrand.co.th
- Email: info@huahingrand.co.th
- Room Rate:

\*Service Charge and Taxes are included in the above rates

Room Type	Special Rate
Single Room	USD 70
Twin Room	USD 70
Extra Bed	THB 600

Three twin bedrooms/6 nights have been reserved for each team (free of charge), and a special room rate of 70 USD per room per night has been offered for participants and delegates. Single bedroom will be available as same rate as twin bedroom, and it will be only available for delegates and supporters. Reservations should be made through Thailand Golf Association. For the payment only cash is acceptable **(USD or THB).** \* USD Exchange rate will be applied according to a daily rate.

#### 3. Meals

Breakfast will be provided to players and officials by the championship committee free of charges at the official Hotel between 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. Lunch will be served at Royal Hua Hin Golf Course (free of charge).Dinner will be served at Royal Hua Hin Golf Course and Hua Hin Grand Hotel and Plaza at participant's own expense. Snack & Drink shops are located at the golf course.

Complimentary drinking water, energy drinks and fruits will be available at the course.

#### 4. Airport Arrivals

All players and officials will arrive at Suvarnabhumi International Airport which is approximately three hours and half drive from the official hotel. The Transportation from Airport to the Hotel will be provided. TGA staff will welcome teams and supporters upon arrival with a signage "SINGHA Thailand Junior World 2015" @ entrance no.1 arrival hall (level 2) Our transportation will start on Nov 3, for early arriving 5,000.-baht/van will be charge. One van can take maximum 6 people. To facilitate your reception, each team is kindly requested to advise your arrival/ departure dates by <u>October 15, 2015.</u>

\* Please notify all the arriving personnel to contact TGA if there is any inconvenience upon your arrival.

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### **5. Internal Transportation**

Daily transportation will be available between the Official Hotel and the Country Club. The bus schedule will be announced at the hotel and golf course. Royal Hua Hin Golf Course approximately 10-15 minutes from official hotel.

#### 6. Green Fee, Caddie & Cart Fee

House Caddie will be assigned to each party during practice and championship rounds. All players must use the caddies provided by TGA and player may not use his own caddie nor carry his own bag. The caddie fee is 300 THB per round (only cash is acceptable)

The cart fee is 700 THB per round (only cash is acceptable/participant's own expense)

TGA will cover the green fee & caddie fee (exclude tips) for practice round and The Championship (4 Nominated players, 5 rounds/free of charge)

#### 7. Registration

All teams should register at their earliest convenience upon arriving. Championship office is located in Hua Hin Grand Hotel and Plaza, and will be operational from Tuesday, 3 November 2015. 09.00 am – 05.00 pm

Only on Practice Day, November 4, all players must register and obtain scorecards and caddy coupons at the tournament office before the start of practice.

On November 5 – 8, players need not come to the tournament office, but should arrive at the tee-off point at least 15 minutes before their start time.

During the championship period, the office will be open one hour before play and close one hour after the end of play.

#### 8. Entry Fee

The entry fee is waived for 4 nominated players (2 boys and 2 girls) and 2 officials. The entry fee for additional player is **THB 9,000 per person cash only** (Include accommodation, Breakfast, Lunch and Green fee). All teams are requested to remit the entry fee to the bank account of TGA by <u>Monday</u>, <u>September 14</u>. Entry fee should be made in Thai Baht by wire transfers, bank draft or check payable to Thailand Golf Association. The details of remittance are as below:

Payable to:THAILAND GOLF ASSOCIATIONName of Bank:SIAM COMMERCIAL BANKBank Address:BANGKRABU BRANCHSwift Code:SICOTHBKAccount No.:018-2-492880

#### 9. Entry Deadline

The Entry form is to be sent by <u>4 pm, Friday, September 25, 2015</u> to Thailand Golf Association with the latest player's Bio-data Forms and Photographs.

#### **10. Driving Range**

The driving range opens daily from <u>6:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.</u> on practice days and the tournament days. Range balls are free of charge.

#### 11. Locker Room

Lockers are available for <u>players</u>, <u>captains</u> and <u>delegates</u> during the championship date. Shower & bath facilities will be available for everyone.

# 12. Dress Code

We recommend that team members are attired neatly at the Opening and Closing Ceremonies.

#### 13. Welcome Party and Farewell Dinner

Welcome party and Farewell Dinner for all participants will be held at Royal Hua Hin Golf Course.

- Welcome Party : Wednesday, November 4, 18:00, Clubhouse at Royal Hua Hin Golf Course.
- Farewell Dinner : Sunday, November 8, 16:00, Clubhouse at Royal Hua Hin Golf Course.

# 14. City Tour

Details will be posted on the notice board on registration at the hotel.

• City Tour : Sunday, November 8, 07:00-12:00

#### **15. Immigration Information**

All participants are advised to check if they require a visa for entry into Thailand.

#### 16. Voltage

In Thailand, electricity voltage is 220 volt AC. and our plugs have 2 round pins. For visitors bringing 110 volt appliances, it is advisable to bring a small 110 volt transformer and a plug conversion kit.

#### 17. Championship Website

The information of the Championship, news release, daily draws and results will be available to check on the website www.tga.or.th. During the championship, TGA will give an official result to each team by email every day.

#### 18. Others

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

• Thailand Golf Association

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#### November 5-8, 2015

#### CONDITIONS OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP

#### 1. Eligibility

The Championship is open to all junior golfers in all countries, who have not reached their 18th birthday on the first day of the championship (born on or after November 8, 1997) and who:

a) Must conform in all respects to the Rules of Amateur Status as laid down by the R&A Rules Limited; and

b) Have a USGA handicap index or other handicaps accepted by the COMMITTEE Participants are requested to attach their birth certificate together with their entry.

#### 2. Format

- 72 holes stroke play for Boys and Girls Class A and Class B.
- 54 holes stroke play Boys and Girls Class C and Class D.

# 3. Individual Competition

Competition will be conducted over the following age groups:

Class	Age Group	Boys' Handicap Limit	Girls' Handicap Limit
А	15 to 17 years	12 or below	18 or below
В	13 to 14 years	16 or below	20 or below
С	11 to 12 years	24 or below	30 or below
D	10 years & under	30 or below	36 or below

#### 3.1 Individual: Class A and B

While the team competition is being held, and individual tournament will also take place. The competition will be stroke play over 72 holes, 18 holes a day, for four consecutive days of the event. The winner of the individual event shall be the player obtaining the lowest aggregate scores of the 4 rounds.

#### 3.2 Individual: Class C and D

The competition will be stroke play over 54 holes, 18 holes a day, for three consecutive days of the event. The winner of the individual event shall be the player obtaining the lowest aggregate scores of the 3 rounds.

# 4. Team Competition

There will be international team events for both the boys and girls sections:

Team members for the Boys' event shall comprise of 2 players :

- 1 x Class A and 1 x Class B players or
- 2 x Class B players or
- 2 x Class A players are allowed.

Team members for the Girl's event shall comprise of 2 players :

- 1 x Class A and 1 x Class B players or
- 2 x Class B players or
- 2 x Class A players are allowed.

The competition will be stroke play over 72 holes, 18 holes a day, for four consecutive days of the event. All players in each team are to play four (4) rounds.

Participants are requested to attach their birth certificate together with their entry.

Team members shall be named before the start of the championship to the COMMITTEE on captains meeting on November 5, 2015. The time and venue of the meeting will be announced subsequently.

# 5. Rules of Golf

The SINGHA Thailand Junior World Golf Championships 2015 will be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by the R&A and any Local Rules as approved by the Championship Committee.

#### 6. Schedule

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	
Tuesday, Nov. 3	09:00	Team's Arrival, Team's Registration	
-		Team's Arrival	
	07:00	Team's Registration	
	07:00~12:00	Practice Round	
Wed, Nov. 4	10:00	Captains' Meeting (Hua Hin Golf Course)	
	17:00	Opening Ceremony (Hua Hin Golf Course)	
18:00		Welcome Party (Hua Hin Golf Course)	

Thursday, Nov. 5	07:00~09:00	1 <sup>st</sup> Round All categories	
Friday, Nov. 6	07:00~09:00	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round All categories	
Saturday, Nov. 7	07:00~09:00	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round All categories	
	07:00~09:00	Final Round (Class A, B)	
16:00 Prize presentation & Closing Ceremony (Hua Hin Gol		Prize presentation & Closing Ceremony (Hua Hin Golf Course)	
Sunday, Nov. 8	17:00	Farewell Dinner (Hua Hin Golf Course)	
	07:00~12:00 City Tour		
		Team's Departure	
Monday, Nov. 9	07:00	Team's Departure	

### 7. Scoring

The team's score for each round shall be obtained by adding two (2) player's scores in each team. The score counting for the competition shall be the total team's scores for the four (4) rounds. The winning trophy will be awarded to the team with the lowest scores for the 72 holes.

# 8. Decision on Tie

In the event of a tie for the Championship, the winning team shall be decided by a hole by hole sudden death play-off, with the best three scores of each team at each hole counting. The play-off shall decide the winner only.

#### 8.1 Ties for Individual Placing

In the event of a tie for the first place, a "sudden death play-off" hole by hole will be held until the winner is decided.

In the event of a tie for any individual placing, the tie shall be decided by a count back in the following order:

- The best score of the 18 holes (1-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- The best score of the last nine holes (10-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- The best score of the last six holes (13-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- The best score of the last three holes (16-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- Hole by hole count back (Final round) will decide the winner,

If there is still no result then the winner shall be decided by the toss of a coin, or according to the COMMITTEE and Tournament director officially announce.

#### 8.2 Ties for Team Competition

i. In the event of a tie or ties for the first place in Team Competition, the players in the teams tying shall as soon as possible continue to play-off hole by hole until the winner is decided. The play-off holes will be decided by the Tournament Director.

ii. In the event that there are more than 2 teams tying, the first team/teams to lose the hole by hole play-off shall discontinue play. This play-off is to determine the winner of Team Competition only.

iii. In the event of a tie for any team placing, the tie shall be decided by a count back in the following order:

- The best team score of the 18 holes (1-18) of the final round. If still tie,

- The best team score of the last nine holes (10-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- The best team score of the last six holes (13-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- The best team score of the last three holes (16-18) of the final round. If still tie,
- The best team score hole by hole count back (Final round) will decide the winner,

If there is still no result then the winner shall be decided by the toss of a coin, or according to the COMMITTEE and Tournament director officially announce.

#### 9. Close of Competition

The competition is deemed to be closed when the Championship trophy has been presented to the winning team and individual at the closing ceremony.

#### 10. Caddies

Teams must use house caddies provided by the host country. Caddies will be assigned to teams and players on a random basis. Player may not use his own caddie nor carry own bag.

#### 11. Transportation

Players must not ride on any form of transportation during a stipulated round unless authorized by the Committee. See Appendix I, R&A rule book, page 142.

#### 12. List of Conforming Golf Balls & Driving Club

The Optional Condition in the Rules of Golf is in effect – see Appendix I, R&A Rule book, page 137-138.

#### 13. Time of Starting

If the player arrives at his starting point, ready to play, within five minutes after his starting time, the penalty for failure to start on time is loss of the first hole in match play or two strokes at the first hole in stroke play. Otherwise, the penalty for breach of this Rule is disqualification.

#### 14. Pace of Play

Rule 6-7 will be strictly enforced. Each group must maintain its position on the course with respect to the group preceding it. Any group with a clear hole in front of it will be considered out of position. Penalties will be issued to individuals in such groups who by their pace contribute to such delay. Warnings may not be issued prior to penalties.

#### 15. Suspension of Play; Resumption of Play

a. Procedures will be taken in accordance with Rule 6-8 b, c, and d for normal suspension of play (not dangerous situation such as lightning).

b. When play is suspended by the Committee due to the dangerous weather situation (such as lightning), if the competitors in a group are between the play of two holes, they must not resume play until the Committee has ordered a resumption of play. If they are in the process of playing a hole, they must discontinue play immediately and must not resume play until the Committee has ordered a resumption of play. If a Competitor fails to discontinue play immediately, he is disqualified unless circumstances warrant waiving the penalty as provided in Rule 33 - 7.

#### Penalty for breach of this condition: DISQUALIFICATION (Note to Rule 6-8b)

#### **16. Disqualification Penalties**

A penalty of disqualification for a breach of the Rules or the Conditions for the Championship applies to the stipulated round where the breach occurred. In case the team members are less than two (2) persons, the team status shall be forfeit.

#### 17. Prize

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

•	Team Competition	
	Boys' Team	Best 3 teams
	Girls' Team	Best 3 teams

• Individual Competition

	Individual Boys	7 best gross scores of Class A, B, C and D.
	Individual Girls	5 best gross scores of Class A, B, C and D.
•	Daily Medal	Best daily gross score class A, B, C and D.
•	iv. Overall	Class A, B – 72 holes
		Class C, D – 54 holes

**Note:** The player can receive only Overall prize when there are Individual Prize and Overall Prize in the same player.

#### 18. Championship Result

During the Championship, Thailand Golf Association will email official championship result to each organization every day. Result will be offered at club house, Royal Hua HIn Golf Course.

#### 19. Currency, Credit Cards

Currency in use is Thai baht. The approximate exchange rate is USD1.00= THB 30.00. Major international credit cards are widely accepted in hotels, restaurants, shops and golf clubs. Royal Hua Hin Golf Course receives VISA, MASTERS Cards. Money changers are available in the airport, hotels, city in Hua Hin. Exchange currency is available at the official hotel.

a. The following currencies are accepted for exchange in Hua Hin Grand Hotel: US Dollar (USD), Euro, Australian Dollar (AUD), Hong Kong Dollar (HKG), Japanese ( $\Xi$ ).

b. The following currencies are accepted for exchange in Royal Hua Hin Golf Course. : US Dollar (USD)

#### 20. Others

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# November 6-9, 2015

# **TEAM ENTRY FORM**

To be returned with Player's Bio-data Forms by September, 25, 2015 to :

# **Thailand Golf Association**

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Bangkapi, Bangkok 10240, Thailand P.O.Box 1190 Ramkhamhaeng Bangkok 10240

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Email: thailandgolfassociation@hotmail.com

Name of the Association / Union:		
Contact Address:		
Fax No. :	Telephone:	
E-mail:	Contact Official	
Title:	Team Captain:	

Representing country:

Men	Name(Family/Given Name)	Handicap Index
1		
2		
Women	Name(Family/Given Name)	Handicap Index
Women 1	Name(Family/Given Name)	Handicap Index

We hereby certify that the players are amateur golfers under the Rules of Amateur Status of the Royal & Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Position:

The Entry Form is to be sent no later than September, 25, 2015 at the latest with Players' Biodata Forms and photographs to Thailand Golf Association.



# November 5-8, 2015

# **PLAYER'S BIODATA FORM**

(Please type or print the following information.)

NAME	FAMILY N	IAME	/GIVEN NAM	МЕ	
DATE OF BIRTH	MM	/DD	/YY	AGE	
COUNTRY					
ADDRESS :					
CONTACT NO:			FAX NO		
YEARS PLAYING G	OLF:		HCP INDEX		
GENDER:					
E-MAIL.					

# **MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS:**

NAME OF TOURNAMENT	YEAR	PLACING

Please return to Thailand Golf Association no later than September. 25, 2015.



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# **TEAM CAPTAIN'S BIODATA FORM**

(Please type or print the following information.)

NAME	FAMILY	NAME	/GIVEN NA	ME	
DATE OF BIRTH	MM	/DD	/YY	AGE	
COUNTRY					
ADDRESS:					
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E-MAIL.					

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# **ACCOMMODATION REQUEST FORM**

Official Hotel : Hua Hin Grand Hotel and Plaza.

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Website: http://www.huahingrand.co.th Email: info@huahingrand.co.th

#### (Please type or print the following information.)

ROOM TYPE	RATE	
TWIN BEDROOM	USD 70	
SINGLE BEDROOM	USD 70	
EXTRA BED	THB 600	
Service Charge and Taxes are included.		

Name of Association/Union: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel No: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax No: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name	Position Captain/Delegate/ Player/Official (Please specify)	ARRIVAL			DEPARTURE		
		DATE	FLIGHT	TIME	DATE	FLIGHT	TIME

# ROOM REQUEST:

Additional requests or concerns, if any.

Please return to Thailand Golf Association no later than October 15, 2015