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Dear Sir/Madam,

**THE 115<sup>th</sup> MALAYSIAN AMATEUR OPEN 2017 (MEN)**

***Greetings from the Malaysian Golf Association***

We are pleased to announce that MGA will be hosting the **115<sup>th</sup> edition of the Malaysian Amateur Open** from **18<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> May 2017** at **Nexus Golf Resort Karambunai (NGRK), Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia.**

This WAGR ranking 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 the first 36 holes.

**We have the pleasure to invite all National Associations to nominate top two (2) Amateur players to participate in the 115<sup>th</sup> Malaysian Amateur Open Golf Championship. We are please to informed that we will provide all nominated players with two (2) practice rounds, six (6) breakfasts, six (6) lunches and six (6) nights' accommodation on twin sharing basis, exempted from payment of entrance fees and ground / local transfers (airport, hotel and golf club).**

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

*Nexus Golf Resort Karambunai, located 30 km North East of Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, nestles on 65 acres of lush landscaped surrounds on the Karambunai Peninsula, upon the fringes of a 6km pristine white sand beach, with a million year old tropical rainforest and the distant majesty of Mount Kinabalu as its backdrop.*

*The 18-hole par-72 championship golf course designed by world famous and prolific Ronald Fream, nests at the foothills of a million year old rainforest and creates a fitting backdrop to the spectacular white sand trim of the turquoise South China Sea. The course assures a unique golfing experience for both the amateur and skilled player, with an abundant variety of challenges for every level of play.*

*The fairway stretch invitingly, bunkers are used judiciously along with strategic contours and mounds with greens that are finely manicured with water hazards and the roughs attract the occasional unsuspecting shots calling for a fine eye to the surroundings provides golfers with options that would suit any level of game they command with the right amount of skill and luck.*

*Nexus Golf Resort Karambunai presents memorable, fair but demanding challenges and serves as a world class example of modern and creative golf course architecture with traditional feel surrounded by nature.*

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 [info@mgaonline.com.my](mailto:info@mgaonline.com.my)/  
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We would appreciate if you can send the entry via the above **email by 28<sup>th</sup> April 2017.**

For your information the following Championships would take place immediately after the 115<sup>th</sup> MAO :-

*i) MPI Generali Saujana Amateur Championship - 23 May - 25 May 2017 at Saujana Golf CC.*

For further enquiries on event (i) please contact Regina H. at [marketing@saujana.com.my](mailto:marketing@saujana.com.my) or Razlan Alias at [razlan@saujana.com.my](mailto:razlan@saujana.com.my) or +603-7846 1466.

We thank you for your continued support and look forward to welcome your players to Kota Kinabalu, Sabah in May 2017.

With best regards

Yours sincerely,

**For Malaysian Golf Association**



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**General Manager**

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