



# CLUB ADVISORY

## No. 02-2025

The **January 2025 Members Monthly Tournament (MMT), Individual Stroke Play Competition** with applied full handicap, will be held on **January 26, Sunday**. Please see Terms of Competition, for your reference.

**Registration opens via SMS on January 6, Monday, for Player Course, and on January 7, Tuesday, for the Palmer Course, from 6:00 AM to 12:00 MN.**

To register, text '**joinmmt**' and send to **0917-888-2345 for Globe** or **0917-888-5432 for Smart**.

**Further registration and/or cancellation** shall be made through the Golf Office starting **January 8, Wednesday**.

For inquiries, please call the **Golf Office** at **0917-800-7273** or **0917-884-6810**.

Thank you.

The Management



# 2025 MEMBERS MONTHLY TOURNAMENT (MMT)

## Terms of Competition (TOC)

**Sunday, January 26, 2025**  
Palmer and Player Courses

### I. GENERAL MEMBERS MONTHLY TOURNAMENT GUIDELINES:

- Open to **amateur golfers** only.
- The **maximum** handicap index allowed for any player is **40.0**.
- A player or team may only win one (1) award, whichever is higher.
- Members must adhere to the Club's dress code, which strictly prohibits wearing any slippers in the Clubhouse, especially during awarding. Open-toed sandals are permitted for ladies, but slippers are not allowed. Non-compliance may result in a request for members to change their footwear. This guideline aims to maintain a consistent and respectful atmosphere in line with the Club's standards, golf traditions, and country club etiquette.
- The guidelines mentioned above may change as necessary.

### II. ELIGIBILITY:

- Open to all members, spouses, and enrolled junior dependents in good standing.
- Dependent children (unenrolled), 12 years and above, shall be waitlisted and accepted if members do not fill the slots by **Tuesday, January 21**.

### III. REGISTRATION:

- SMS registration opens on the following days from **6:00 AM to 12:00MN**:
  - **Monday, January 6** - for Player Course
  - **Tuesday, January 7** - for Palmer Course
- To register via SMS, text **joinmmt** and send to **0917-888-2345** or **0918-888-5432**. Only those enrolled in the SMS tee time booking system may register using said platform.
- Further registration and/or cancellation shall be made through the Golf Office beginning **Wednesday, January 8**.
- Only a maximum of 120 players shall be accommodated per course. Those who exceed the limit shall be on a waitlist and notified should there be available slot/s.

### IV. ENTRY FEE/RAFFLE:

- **P1,000.00** per player, inclusive of food and raffle
- Entry fees may be settled on the tournament day through the player's folio.
- Only players who participated in the tournament will be included in the raffle.
- Presence is **required** for the special and major raffles.
- Presence is **not required** for the previous month's feedback and cash raffles.

### V. LATE CANCELLATION PENALTY:

- The following cancellation penalties per player shall apply:
  - > **No penalty** – for cancellations made **on/or before Friday, January 17**
  - > **P500.00** – for cancellations made **from January 18 to 21, 5:00 PM**
  - > **P1,000.00** – for cancellations made **beyond 5:00 PM on January 21**

### VI. USE OF GOLF CART

- Use of a golf cart is mandatory

### VII. FORMAT:

- 18- Hole Individual Stroke Play Competition with applied full handicap



**VIII. COURSE/TEE TIME:**

- **Player** – Shotgun starts at **6:45 AM**
- **Palmer** – Shotgun starts at **7:00 AM**

**IX. HANDICAP INDEX & HANDICAP:**

- Tournament handicap index – Player's January 1, 2025, WHS handicap index shall be used with the following adjustments:

Players with less than 20 games recorded as of January 1, 2025 shall have a handicap index adjustment

- 16 to 19 games – 5% reduction
  - 11 to 15 games – 10% reduction
  - 10 games or less – 20% reduction
- Tournament Handicap – shall be based on the Player's tournament handicap index, converted to course handicap on the set of tees the Player is playing.

**X. CLASSIFICATION/ COURSE ASSIGNMENT**

- Men participants in each course shall be divided into three (3) groups based on the players' tournament handicap indexes and one group for all the ladies.
- Group A- 1/3 of the field
- Group B- 2<sup>nd</sup> 1/3 of the field
- Group C- last 1/3 of the field
- Ladies

**XI. STARTING TEES**

- Ladies shall tee off from the red tees.
- Men shall tee off from the silver tees.
- Men participants 70 years old and above may opt to play from the white tees

**XII. SPECIAL TOURNAMENT RULES TO SPEED UP PLAY:**

- The maximum score in any hole is **nine (9)**, including penalties.
- **"Gimme" Putt** – Any ball **lying within or above the line** of the 24-inch gimme circle shall be considered holed on the player's next stroke. The player must pick up his ball and add one stroke to his last stroke's score.

**XI. AWARDS PER COURSE**

- Overall Low Net Champion
- Overall Low Gross Champion
- Group Champions and Runners-up

**XII. TIES:**

- Ties shall be settled through the player's net score:
  - a) last 9-holes totals (10-18);
  - b) last 6-holes (13-18);
  - c) last 3-holes (16-18);
  - d) countback starting the 18<sup>th</sup> hole, then finally; by
  - e) toss coin

Note: Ties for the Low Gross award shall be settled based on gross score.

**XIII. RULES OF GOLF:**

Play shall be governed by the latest Rules of Golf published by R&A Rules Limited and the Club's Local Rules. Questions shall be settled by the Tournament Committee, whose decision shall be final.