



# CLUB ADVISORY

## No. 14-2025

The **April 2025 Members Monthly Tournament (MMT)** will be held on **April 27, Sunday, Individual Stroke Play Low Gross & Low Net Championship**. Please see Terms of Competition on the next page, for your reference.

**Registration opens via SMS on April 7, Monday, for Player Course, and on April 8, 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 **April 9, Wednesday**.

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

Thank you.

The Management



# INDIVIDUAL STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

Sunday, April 27, 2025  
Player and Palmer 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, April 22**.

## III. REGISTRATION:

- SMS registration opens on the following days from **6:00 AM to 12:00MN**:
  - **Monday, April 7** - for Player Course
  - **Tuesday, April 8** - 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, April 9**.
- A Player who gets slots on both courses should decide on/or **before Saturday, April 12 at 5:00 PM** on his preferred course. Otherwise, they will be assigned to the Player as the default course.
- Only **120 players** shall be accommodated per course, **95 for Men** and **25 for Ladies**. Those who exceed the limit shall be on a waitlist and notified should there be available slot/s.
- **Unfilled slots** on both Men and Ladies by **April 13** at 5:00 PM shall be open to waitlisted players or new registrants.



#### 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, April 18**
  - › **P500.00** – for cancellations made **from April 19 to 22, 5:00 PM**
  - › **P1,000.00** – for cancellations made **beyond 5:00 PM on April 22**

#### VI. FORMAT:

- 18- Hole Individual Stroke Play Competition (Net & Gross Stroke Play)

#### VII. COURSE/TEE TIME:

- **Player** - Shotgun starts at **6:30 AM**
- **Palmer** - Shotgun starts at **6:45 AM**

#### VIII. HANDICAP INDEX & HANDICAP:

- **Tournament handicap index** – Player's **April 1, 2025**, WHS handicap index shall be used with the following adjustments:  
Players with less than 20 games recorded as of April 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
- **Players Tournament Handicap** – shall be based on the Player's tournament handicap index, converted to course handicap on the set of tee the Player is playing.

#### IX. CLASSIFICATION/ COURSE ASSIGNMENT

- Classification shall be based on the players' handicap indexes.
  - › Class A- first lowest 25%
  - › Class B- 2<sup>nd</sup> 25%
  - › Class C- following 25%
  - › Class D- last 25%
  - › Ladies- Two (2) groups (Class A & B) if more than 20 participants; Otherwise, one group only as Ladies Division



#### X. STARTING TEES

- Ladies - Red Tees
- Men's Class A & B - Blue Tees
- Men's Class C & D - Silver Tees

#### XI. 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

Winners shall be on a **per course basis**

- Class Low Gross Champion
- Class Champions & Runners-up (Net)

**Note: Should a player qualify for the Gross and Net Award, they should win the Low Gross Award.**

#### XII. TIES:

- Ties shall be settled through the team'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: Gross score for Low Gross and net score for Champions and Runners-up.**

#### 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.

#### XIV. COMMITTEE:

The Committee reserves the right to make any changes in the ToC, if it deems fit and necessary. Disputes if any, shall be settled by the Tournament Committee, whose decision shall be final.