



National Amateur Golf Tour

2015 Mindanao Regional Golf Tournament

Pueblo De Oro Golf & Country Club

September 1-4, 2015

Practice Round: September 1

Tournament Competition: September 2-4



CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

The Championship shall be managed by a Committee.

1. **CONDITIONS:** All play shall be governed by the rules of golf as approved by the USGA and the R & A, in conjunction with the Local Rules of the Pueblo De Oro Golf and CC

Cellphones are not allowed on the course. Only pants, decent shorts or skirts will be allowed during the game.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:**

Men's Division
Limited to men amateur golfers with **certified handicap index (as of August 2015)** will be accepted. Participants with multiple memberships will have their lowest handicaps/indexes prevail.

Women's Division
Limited to female amateur golfers with **certified handicap index (as of August 2015)**. Participants with multiple memberships will have their lowest handicaps/indexes prevail.
3. **ADMINISTRATION:** The National Golf Association of the Philippines (NGAP) will conduct the tournament in cooperation with PDOGCC and, shall reserve the right to limit the entries and modify the tournament in any way it considers necessary. The Tournament Committee's decision on all matters related to the Tournament shall be final.
4. **ENTRYFEE:**

Men's Elite Amateur Php3,000.00
Men's Mid-Amateur and Senior Amateur Php2,500.00
Women's Division Php2,500.00
***Players who have not paid their entry fees will not be included in the pairing.**
5. **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: August 28, 2015**

Handicap index certification as of August 2015 must be submitted. Players without handicap indexes will be classified in the Championship Division. Player with two (2) or more handicap index must declare his/her lowest handicap index, otherwise, he/she will be disqualified.

Players may register and submit their entry forms with handicap certification to:
NGAP – Rm 307 Building B, Philsports Complex, Meralco Avenue, Pasig City 1603
 Tel No. (02) 9250022 Fax (02) 706-5926
 Mobile: (Cathy Nogar) 0925-8024425
 Email: ngapgold@rocketmail.com Website: www.ngaponline.net

Pueblo De Oro Golf and CC
 Tel No. (088) 858-8823

6. **DRAW:** Tee-off times will be drawn by the Tournament Committee. The Committees absolute discretion, reserves the right to alter the draw if necessary.

7. **FORMAT**

Men's Division

A. MID-AMATEUR (Blue Tee's) – September 2-4, 2015

 - Players 30 years old as of September 1, 2015 and above are eligible to play.
 - The **Mid-Am Open** Division shall be gross and net of stroke play competition over 54 holes using the blue tees.

B. SENIOR –AMATEUR (White Tee's) – September 2-4, 2015

 - Players 55 years old as of September 1, 2015 and above are eligible to participate.
 - The **Seniors Open** Division shall be gross and net of stroke play competition over 54 holes using the regular men's white tees.

C. OPEN – ELITE AMATEUR (Championship Tee's) – September 2-4, 2015

 - Eligible to all players with handicap index of 0 to 9.9 as of August 2015
 - The **Elite Open** Division shall be gross stroke play competition over 54 holes using the Championship tees.
 - **Golf Carts are not allowed in Elite Amateur Division.**

Women's Division (Red Tee's) – September 2-4, 2015

- The **Women's Open** Division shall be a gross and net of stroke play competition over 54 holes using the Red tees.

Note: Tie/s for the 1st place will be decided via sudden death playoff. All ties for other Places will be settled via count-back of the last 9 holes, last 6 holes, last 3 holes and the last hole. If there is still a tie, drawing of lots as recommended by the R & A of St. Andrews and the USGA will be used.

Participants with no certified indexes/handicaps will automatically be classified under the "Championship Flight Division".

8. **CLASSIFICATION:** Open to all Men and Women with certified handicaps as of August 28

Note: If a participant carries a certified handicap instead of a handicap index, her handicap will be reduced by two (2) strokes.

9. **PRIZES:** Trophies will be awarded to the following:

Men's Division:
Mid-Amateur and Senior Division
 1st, 2nd and 3rd for Gross Scores
 1st, 2nd and 3rd for Net Scores

Elite Amateur
 1st, 2nd and 3rd for Gross Scores

Women's Division
 1st, 2nd and 3rd for Gross Scores
 1st, 2nd and 3rd for Net Scores

10. **AWARDING OF PRIZES:** Awarding Ceremonies will take place on September 4, 2015 (Friday) at _____

11. **CADDIES:** Minimum caddy fee is P400. Tipping is allowed.

12. **GOLF CARTS:** Golf carts must be booked in advance due to limited number of carts.

13. **EQUIPMENT:** Clubs may be left overnight with the Caddy Master. Please do not leave balls or valuables in your bags. The club will exercise every care, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage. Only SOFT SPIKED SHOES are allowed.

14. **BALLS:** Balls used by the player shall be named on the current list of Conforming Golf Balls issued by R & A.

15. **DRESS CODE:** As a player, one should dress accordingly. Shorts more than 7 inches above the knee, cycling or biking shorts, denim pants, leggings, jogging pants, haltered tops, backless, plunging necklines, and peek-a-boo shirts are not allowed.

16. **PRACTICE ROUND:** Players can practice prior to tournament date provided arrangement is made in advance with the host club.

The decision of the Committee shall be final.