



## National Amateur Golf Tour

### 2017 Visayas Regional Amateur & Grassroots Tournament

Negros Occidental Golf Club

November 10-12 2017



Organized and conducted by the National Golf Association of the Philippines

## CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

**The Championship shall be managed by a Committee.**

### 1. GENERAL

The Championship is a 54-holes stroke play competition for the Men and Ladies Championship Divisions, and 36-holes stroke play competition for the Mid-Amateur and Senior's Divisions. The tournament will be played in accordance with the Rules of Golf as approved by the R&A Rules Limited, USGA and the Local Rules of NOGC as approved by the NGAP Tournament Committee.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY

Open to all **men and women amateur golfers** with certified handicap index with handicap 0-8 for men and 0-11 for women from the UNHS. For those without UNHS Index, the Tournament Committee reserves the right to review and adjust the handicap they submit. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry without giving any reason thereof.

**Mid-Amateur:** Players 25 years old as of November 11, 2017 and above are eligible to play.

**Senior Amateur:** Players 55 years old as of November 11, 2017 and above are eligible to play.

Junior/Grassroots Division

### 3. ENTRY FEE:

Championship Flight (Championship Tee's)

**Php2,500.00**

Ladies Championship Flight (White Tee's)

**Php2,500.00**

Junior/Grassroots Division

**Php 500.00**

Mid-Amateur and Seniors Open Championship (Blue Tee's )

**Php2,000.00**

\*Entry fee will cover the green fee, dinner for awarding and raffle prizes.

**Practice Round:** \_\_\_\_\_

### 4. AWARDS

Prizes will be given to the champion, runner-up and third placers in each division with trophies.

### 5. TIMES OF STARTING AND TEE

It is the responsibility of the Committee to establish the time of starting and to arrange the group in which competitors play.

A. Men & Ladies Championship – 54 holes (November 10-12, 2017)

B. Junior/Grassroots Division – 54 holes (November 10-12, 2017)

C. Mid-Amateur and Seniors Championship – 36 holes (November 11-12, 2017)

### 6. TIE/S

In the event of ties for 1st place in any division, ties will be resolved via a hole-by-hole sudden death play-off. The holes for the play-off will be determined by the Committee and announced before the start of the final round. In case of ties for other places, it will be resolved via count back as follows: (1) best score over the last 18 holes, (2) best score over the last 9 holes, (3) best score over the last 6 holes, (4) best score over the last 3 holes, and if still tied hole by hole count back starting at the 18th hole of the final round.

**7. WEATHER**

In the event of inclement weather which may render the course unplayable, or in the event of lack of adequate daylight thus preventing any competitor from completing a round, Rules 33-2 (d) and 6-8 shall apply and the result of the championship shall be decided by the number of rounds completed within the time limit set by the Committee.

**8. GOLF CARTS**

The Championship division for men's and ladies will not be allowed to use golf carts.

**9. DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICE**

In this competition a player may obtain distance information by using a device that measures distance only. If during a round a player uses a distance measuring device that is designed to gauge other conditions that might affect his play (gradient, wind, temperature, etc.), the player is in breach of Rule 14-3.

**10. COMMITTEE**

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to change any of the conditions of play, to fix and/or alter the starting times of a flight at any time for the best interest of the Championship.

**The decision of the Rules Committee and the Championship Committee shall be final.**