

Hua Hin, Thailand

11-17 June 2023



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WELCOME TO THE CENTARA WORLD MASTERS GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Sawadee Khrup! We're delighted to welcome you and golfers from around the globe to the Kingdom of Thailand and the royal city of Hua Hin for the eighth running of the Centara World Masters Golf Championship.

Whether you're joining this event for the first time or are a regular attendee, you can expect a fabulous week of golf, entertainment and fun. This week you'll be the star attraction and enjoy all the trappings and hospitality usually reserved for PGA professionals.

The Centara Masters reputation and international appeal continues to grow and this week you are joining golfers from more than 20 countries around the globe.

This year you will enjoy 2 rounds at both Banyan and Black Mountain championship courses. You'll find the facilities, clubhouse and service outstanding, while ever-smiling caddies pamper you and guide you around the course to help you play your best.

Fun and friendship are at the core of your Centara Masters experience. Laving welcome and gala presentation dinners bookend the celebrations. When the sun goes down we meet back at Centara for vibrant 19th hole with food, beverages, entertainment and prize giving.

Hua Hin is one of Thailand's premier beach resort destinations. Away from the courses there's a great variety of restaurants, shopping, sightseeing and entertainment and we've hand-picked a selection of these for the non-golfing partners.

Spoil yourself with soothing massages and put the Hua Hin night market on your schedule. Here you select your ingredients and have the restaurants cook you a feast. We have an amazing hospitality team on hand to help you discover the best of Hua Hin.

Centara Hotels & Resorts have been at the forefront of the World Masters success in Hua Hin, and we'd like to extend our sincere thanks to Centara, along with the Tourism Authority of Thailand, Chang, Coke and other partners who contribute to the success and joy this event brings to so many.

Lastly, take the time to familiarise yourself with the event program, the Trip Plans APP and all of the events and services we provide. We don't want you to miss out on anything.

We trust the Centara World Masters will bring you great joy, new friendships and fabulous memories. Thanks for joining!



Peter McCarthy
Managing Director, Go Golfing



Mark Siegel Managing Director, Golfasian





MESSAGE FROM THE CEO OF CENTARA HOTELS & RESORTS



all to the Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas Hua Hin for the 8th Centara World Masters Golf Championship. It is thrilling to see so many golf enthusiasts from around the world gathered again for such a special event and we are honored to continue the tradition of hosting you all at our iconic beach resort.

As Asia's leading amateur golf tournament, we hope you enjoy World marque. connecting with each other and sharing in the excitement of teeing off at some of Thailand's most renowned courses. With tourism fully open once again, we also look forward to having you experience the breathtaking tropical beauty of Hua Hin and sharing everything our vibrant town and local culture have to offer.

This week is all about you and we invite you to immerse yourself in the array of entertainment and activities, world-class dining, and award-winning relaxation options we have readily available to you at Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas Hua Hin. We also hope you will join us in celebrating the 100-year anniversary of our historic resort, a milestone we are proud to share with our distinguished guests.

On behalf of the Centara family, I would like to extend a warm welcome once again to you all here in Hua Hin. We are delighted to be your hosts and hope your week with us is one you will never forget.

Thirayuth Chirathivat CEO, Centara Hotels & Resorts

It is my pleasure to welcome you About Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas Hua Hin

Originally known as the "Railway Hotel", the Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas Hua Hin first opened in the early 1920s, just as the cozy fishing village of Hua Hin was being discovered by the world via the opening of a new railway line to Malaysia. What was to become over time, Thailand's most refined beach resort was fortuitously graced by the newly built Railway Hotel, which was designed to classic colonial lines. Now sympathetically restored and expanded to include all of the recreational and quest facilities that travelers expect from a beach resort, the Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas remains one of the 'grand old hotels' of the East, and accordingly, is a member of the prestigious Leading Hotels of the

About Centara Hotels & Resorts

Centara Hotels & Resorts is Thailand's leading hotel group, with 54 deluxe and first-class properties across Thailand, as well as 39 hotels and resorts in the Maldives, Sri Lanka, Japan, Vietnam, Laos, China, Oman, Qatar, and the UAE. Centara also operates 23 branches of Spa Cenvaree, an award-winning spa brand, together with 7 branches of the value brand 'Cense by Spa Cenvaree' and one Reserve Spa Cenvaree. The company's Kids' Clubs are available at all their family-friendly resorts. Centara also operates three state-of-the-art convention centers in Bangkok, as well as two in north-eastern Thailand. Find out more at www.centarahotelsresorts.com.



MESSAGE FROM THE DEPUTY GOVERNER OF TOURSIM AUTHORITY OF THAILAND



The Tourism Authority of Thailand is excited to extend a warm welcome to all golf enthusiasts participating in the Golf Championship. It brings wonderful time in Hua Hin and beyond. us great pleasure to host nearly 400 golfers from all over the world in the charming city of Hua Hin, situated in the Prachuap Khiri Khan province.

Hua Hin has always been a popular destination among golfers for its unique culture, delectable cuisine, picturesque beaches, and exceptional golf courses. With so much to offer,

we are confident that Hua Hin will prove to be an excellent choice for your golfing adventure.

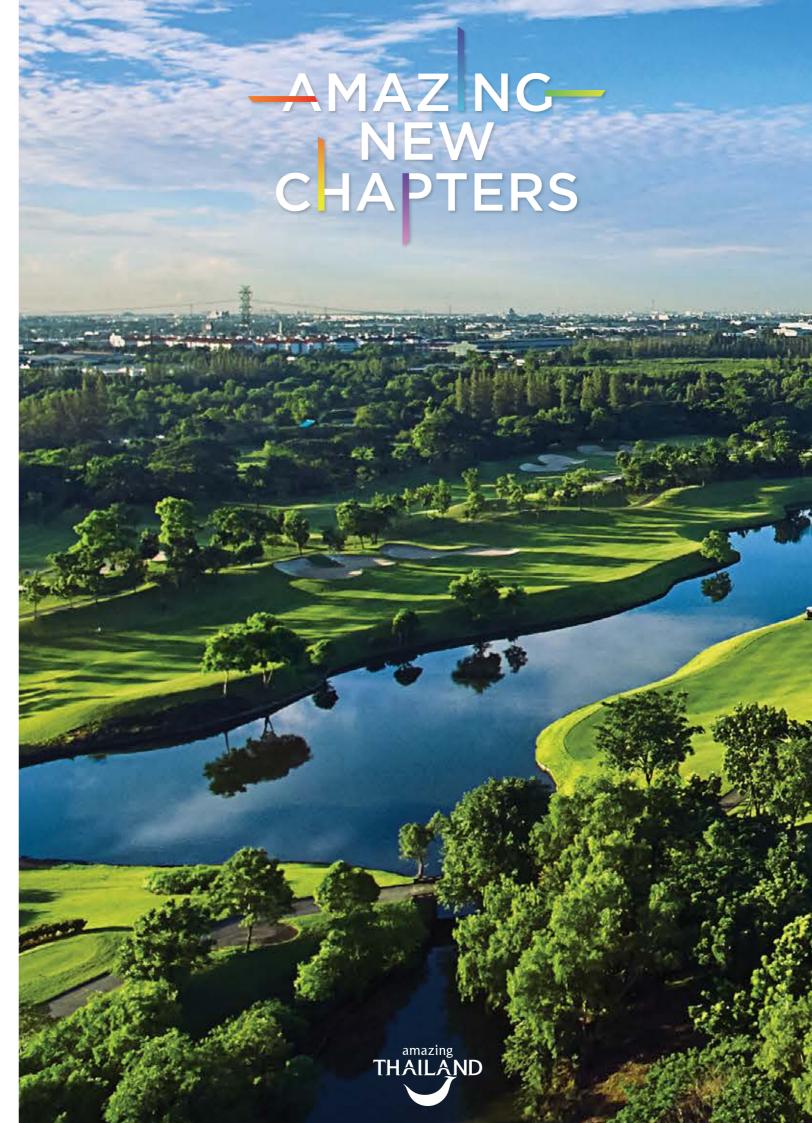
We hope that you will have an unforgettable experience in Hua Hin and take the time to explore other parts of Thailand while keeping your safety in mind.

Thailand is now a safe place to travel, and we urge you to spread the word to your loved ones. We are eagerly looking forward to welcoming you and many more golfers to our beautiful country.

2023 Centara World Masters Once again, we extend our heartfelt welcome and wish you a

Mr. Tanes Petsuwan Deputy Governor for International Marketing Asia and South Pacific





EVENT ITINERARY

SUNDAY 11 JUNE 2023	EVENTS	LOCATIONS	
11:00am - 6:00pm	Player arrival and registration	Centara - Colonial Hall	
7:00pm - 9:00pm	Welcome Reception	Poolside, Centara Resort	
MONDAY 12 JUNE 2023	EVENTS	LOCATIONS	
6:15am or 11:00am departure	Round 1 Centara World Masters	Hotel Lobby, Centara (refer to draw for time)	
9:30am	Full day tour Phetchaburi Historical Tour	Hotel Lobby, Centara	
6:30pm - 7:30pm	19th Hole	Lobby Lawn, Centara Resort	
TUESDAY 13 JUNE 2023	EVENTS	LOCATIONS	
6:15am or 11:00am departure	Round 2 Centara World Masters	Hotel Lobby, Centara (refer to draw for time)	
12:00pm	Thai Cooking Class	Centara Railway Restaurant	
6:30pm - 7:30pm	19th Hole	Lobby Lawn, Centara Resort	
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WEDNESDAY 14 JUNE 2023	EVENTS - OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES	LOCATIONS	
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ARRIVAL DETAILS

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Airport Transfer Service

This service is only for those who have booked and confirmed their airport transfer.

Upon disembarkation from aircraft:

Proceed to Immigration for passport check.

After passport check:

Walk to the airlines' designated baggage carousel to collect all your belongings (don't forget your golf bags). Trolleys are available free of charge. After this, proceed through customs clearance (green channel).

After Customs:

Proceed to the public area of the arrival hall, turn right and walk to Gate 3 where a Golfasian representative will be waiting with a Centara World Masters sign. Look for this logo:



GOLF TRANSFERS

Please check your schedule and start times provided and make sure you catch the right bus each day. Transfers are to and from Centara Grand Hua Hin only. If you are staying at Hilton, there will be shuttles available to take you to Centara from 5:45am for morning starts, and 11:30am for afternoon starts. If you are staying at Wannara or other properties nearby and require golf transfers, please make your way to Centara Grand by the scheduled time.

Be ready outside lobby at Centara 5 minutes before the scheduled departure times. If you miss the bus, you will need to make your own way to the golf course at your own expense.

Separate buses with signage will identify which course they are going to each day. Courses change daily. Our staff will help direct you to the right bus.

Morning Fields

6:15am......All days from Lobby (Centara)
1:15pm......Return transfer: from Golf Clubs to Hotel (Centara)

Afternoon Fields

11:00am All days from Lobby (Centara)5:30pm Return transfer: from Golf Club to Hotel (Centara)

Note: Breakfast available at Centara and Hilton from 5.30am.

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Note: The country code for Thailand is +66



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2024 CENTARA WORLD MASTERS
GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

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TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION & GOLF CLUB CONCIERGE

DATE & TIME:

Sunday 11 June | 11:00am - 6:00pm

LOCATION:

Centara Colonial Hall

TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:

At tournament registration you will be advised of your handicap index. Your daily handicap will be printed on your scorecard for each round.

You will receive at registration

- Name tag your ticket into all tournament functions
- Tournament draws
- Official Player Program
- Souvenir tournament golf shirt & caddie bib
- Information on local offers and discounts
- Accompanying person's package (if applicable)

UNABLE TO ATTEND SUNDAY REGISTRATION?

You will be permitted to have another entrant register for you. Alternatively you can register at your Monday course.

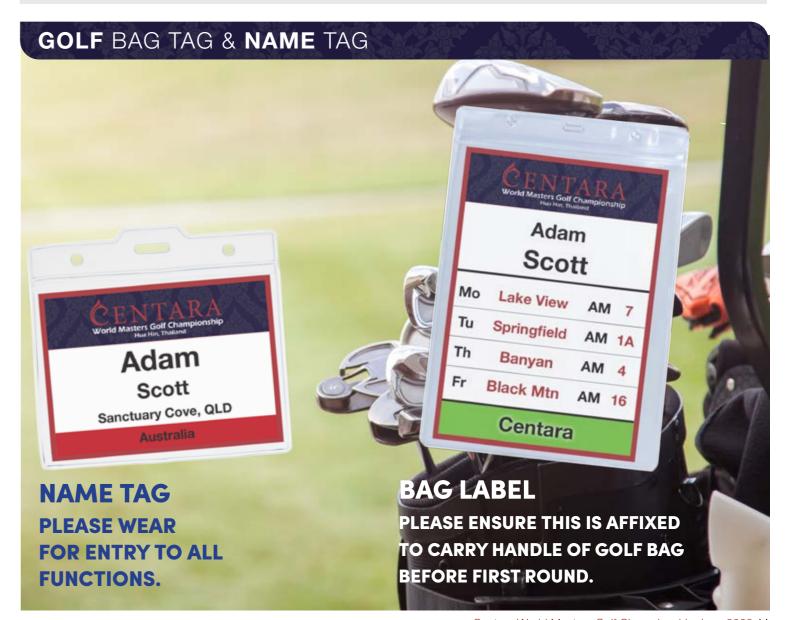
GOLF CLUB CONCIERGE

For your convenience we provide a concierge service for your golf clubs. We will transfer your golf bag from course to course so your clubs will be on your cart ready for play each day. Please assist us by following these simple procedures:

- On Sunday June 11, event staff will collect your golf clubs upon arrival at your hotel.
- Please remove your travel cover, valuables and any items you require before your round on Monday.
- Event staff will affix your bag identification tag to the carry handle of your golf bag. Your golf clubs will be on your cart ready for play each day.
- Early arrivals, those arranging their own transportation to Hua Hin and local entrants, please bring your golf clubs with you to tournament registration on Sunday June 11.

PLAYING GOLF ON WEDNESDAY 14 JUNE?

If you intend playing golf on Wednesday, please take your clubs with you after your Tuesday round and bring back with you on Thursday.





YOU'RE INVITED!

Get a taste of the good life at Banyan and join us for an all-inclusive Sunset Barbecue Party.

> Wednesday, 14th June 2023 17:00 – late At Banyan Residences in Hua Hin

Free of charge. Exclusive for Centara Masters participants.

Live your Dreams





WELCOME RECEPTION

CENTARA WORLD MASTERS

Welcome Reception Sunday 11 June 7:00pm - 9:00pm

VENUE: Centara Resort Poolside **ENTRY:** Lanyard or Ticket Only **DRESS:** Smart Casual Attire

Join us poolside at Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas and catch up with golfing friends - old and new. Enjoy the celebrations and complimentary beer, wine and soft drinks.

Presented by the **Tourism Authority of Thailand**



PRESENTATION DINNER

CENTARA WORLD MASTERS

Gala Dinner Friday 16 June 7.00pm - 10.00pm

VENUE: Centara Resort Poolside **ENTRY:** Lanyard or Ticket Only

DRESS: Casual Attire

The presentation dinner is a stunning affair set in the beautiful Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas. Enjoy prize presentations, major prize draws, fine cuisine and a dance band.





THE PLACE TO BE

YOUR DESTINATION FOR WORLD-CLASS GOLF

Escape to tropical Thailand for an unforgettable golf experience that combines top-notch courses, impeccable club houses and luxurious accommodation at Centara Hotels & Resorts. With properties located in prime golfing destinations, including Bangkok, Phuket, Samui, Hua Hin, and Pattaya, Centara offers unparalleled access to the country's best-rated greens.

Immerse yourself in stunning natural surroundings as you tee off on some of the world's most breathtaking fairways, before ending each day with our outstanding after-game facilities. Whether basking in blissful year-round temperatures by the pool, indulging in world-class dining, or unwinding with a rejuvenating massage at our award-winning spa, Centara's signature hospitality and high-standard of service will be at the heart of your stay.

For the ultimate golf getaway, book your stay at Centara Hotels & Resorts and save up to 40% with our exclusive The Place to Be offer. With daily breakfast included an array of well-appointed rooms to choose from, and convenient locations near your favourite courses. Centara is The Place to Be for golfers everywhere.

Centara Grand Beach Resort & Villas Hua Hin



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CENTARA WORLD MASTERS

19th Hole Mon, Tue, Thu 6:30pm - 7:30pm

19TH HOLE

VENUE: Centara Resort Lobby/Lawn ENTRY: Lanyard or Ticket Only DRESS: Smart Casual Attire

Centara Grand Beach Resort and Villas will be the host to the 19th hole festivities to be held on the Lobby lawn. Enjoy a beer courtesy of Chang to keep you cool, while you receive an update on the day's play, prize winners and leader board results

Monday 12 June 6.30pm – 7.30pm Centara – Lobby Lawn

Tuesday 13 June 6.30pm – 7.30pm Centara – Lobby Lawn

Thursday 15 June 6.30pm – 7.30pm Centara – Lobby Lawn







LOCAL SPONSORS

Fresh Poke & Açai Bowl

Discover the next generation of healthy food, all the way from Hawaii with its hybrid healthy touch from Hua Hin. We offer Poke and Smoothie bowls, Healthy Toasts, Bagels & more. Don't know what to choose? Make Your Own bowl or bagel. Get Fresh, Get Healthy!

EAST Rooftop

EAST Rooftop - high above Hua Hin offers a cosy atmosphere at sunset and is the perfect place to hang out at nighttime. We offer an extended selection of cocktails, wines & spirits. EAST is a space for a bite to eat, friends to greet & wine to drink.

Father Teds

Father Ted's is Hua Hin's best loved Irish Pub. With live music 7 nights a week, and Hua Hin's largest selection of beers, ciders and ales, plus live AFL and NRL every weekend, it's the perfect place to unwind. Our kitchen is open from 9am - 11pm every day.

Roma Pizzeria by Eddy

Discover authentic Italian flavors at Roma Pizzeria by Eddy in Hua Hin, near the Hilton Hotel. Enjoy fresh pasta, thin-crust pizzas, and a selection of wines in a cozy ambiance, perfect for a romantic dinner or night out with friends.

Coco51

Coco51 is a charming beachfront restaurant in Hua Hin, serving authentic Thai and Western food. Enjoy amazing sea views and a cozy atmosphere while you unwind with friends and family. With friendly staff and excellent service, it's a must-visit in Hua Hin.

Lucky 13 Sandwich

At Lucky 13 we take pride in offering you quality products at affordable prices. Serving you gourmet breakfast, lunch and dinner in the form of tasty and customizable sandwiches, burgers and wraps. Also discover our new sister brands of tacos, pizza and garbanzo salads.

Prime Steakhouse

Indulge in mouthwatering steaks and heavenly wines at Prime Steakhouse, located opposite the Hilton Hotel in Hua Hin. The laid-back yet stunning ambiance is perfect for any occasion, whether it's a romantic dinner, family meal, or special event.















LOCAL SPONSORS

Saga Tailor

SAGA Tailor is a family-owned business creating customtailored clothing for 20+ years. Their experienced team specializes in outfits for men and women, including golf pants and shorts. With personalized service and quality, SAGA is the tailor shop to visit in Hua Hin.



Junge Aid- Charity

Jungle Aid is a registered Thai charitable foundation supporting impoverished communities along the Thai-Burmese border and in and around Hua Hin. We help with food, clothing donations, medical clinics, hygiene, education, clean water systems, self-sustainability and infrastructure of buildings and roads. As a longtime supporter of Jungle Aid, Golfasian is allowing us to sell raffle tickets on Sunday during registration and Monday night before the one-time draw. We are hoping for your support.



Five Star Healthy Massage and Thai Orchid Massage

During our event, we're excited to offer you a special treat. Just outside Centara Grand Hua Hin, you'll find two exceptional massage shops: Five Star Healthy Massage and Thai Orchid Massage.

As a participant, you'll receive a complimentary 1-hour foot or Thai massage (valued at 300 baht) at either Five Star Healthy Massage or Thai Orchid Massage. Plus, we've arranged two skilled therapists to provide oncourse massages at Banyan and Black Mountain Golf Club.

Indulge in these relaxing services and feel your best during the event.

Your well-being matters to us, and we're thrilled to bring you this special offer from our massage partners.



OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES



River Kwai Tour (12 hrs)

Wednesday 14 June Depart Centara: 6:45am Cost: THB 2.200

Embark on a journey through history with a River Kwai tour! Explore the iconic bridge and learn about its significance during World War II. Indulge in local cuisine and witness traditional Thai culture at a nearby village. With knowledgeable guides and unforgettable Continue to Khao Luang Cave, visit experiences, this adventure is sure to leave you feeling inspired and invigorated.

Dress:

Comfortable attire and walking shoes recommended



Hua Hin Historical Tour (6 hrs)

Wednesday 14 June Depart Centara: 9:00am Cost: THB 1.900

Visit the impressive royal railway station and follow the trail of the track that gave birth to many palaces along the way. Visit the stucco German Baroque style at Saduak Floating Market Tour! Cruise Phra Ramratchaniwet which King Rama 5 built and used mainly for relaxation. the Pra Nakorn Khiri built in 1860 by the King whose name is so popular in Broadway "The King and I".

Dress:

Comfortable attire and walking shoes recommended



Floating Market Tour (6 hrs)

Wednesday 14 June Depart Centara: 7:30am Cost: THB 1.900

Looking for a unique and exciting way to experience Thailand's vibrant culture? Look no further than the Damnoen along the canal and soak up the lively atmosphere as vendors sell their wares from traditional wooden boats. Sample delicious local foods and pick up oneof-a-kind souvenirs. Don't miss out on this unforgettable adventure!

Dress:

Comfortable attire and walking shoes recommended

MAJOR PRIZE DRAW

6 FANTASTIC PRIZES TO BE WON!

Prizes Drawn at The Gala Presentation Dinner Friday 16th June

Grand Prizes



#1 One entry to the 2024 Centara World Masters Golf Championship

Prize includes tournament entry package, 6 nights at the 5 star Centara Grand Beach Resort, daily golf transfers and return airfares.



#2 One entry to the Gold Coast World Masters Golf Championship, from October 2023

Prize includes tournament entry package, 7 nights at Meriton Gold Coast Resort, daily golf transfers and return airfares.

NON GOLFER ACTIVITIES



Full day tour Phetchaburi Historical Tour (6.5 hrs) Monday 12 June

Meet at Centara Lobby: 9:30am

Discover modern technology initiated by Thai Kings in Phetchaburi province, including a visit to the "Lam Pakbhia" royal project. Walk along the boardwalk through the mangrove forest and visit the famous King Rama the 4th's royal residence, accessible by cable car. Taste unique sugar-palm desserts at a local market and visit the largest earth dam at Kang Krajarn. Enjoy a long tail boat trip before returning.

Dress:

Shoulder and knees are covered, with no see-through or



Thai Cooking Class (3 hrs)

Tuesday 13 June

Meet at Centara Railway Restaurant: 12:00pm

Thai Cooking class with a twist. In this interactive event, participants will be divided up into teams, plan their menu & given a budget to "shop" for the items. Under the guidance of your assigned Thai chef, you will learn how to adapt local Thai flavors and ingredients into your dishes. Everyone will enjoy feasting on the fruits of their labors. Ready Set Cook!

Dress:

Comfortable attire

Golf Holiday Prizes



#3 Best of Danang Golf

Prize includes 3 rounds of golf, 4 nights Deluxe Hotel and all airport & golf transfers for 2 persons.



#5 Best of Pattaya Golf

Prize includes 3 rounds of golf, 4 nights Deluxe Hotel and all airport & golf transfers for 2 persons.



#4 Best of Bangkok Golf

Prize includes 3 rounds of golf, 4 nights Deluxe Hotel and all airport & golf transfers for 2 persons.



#6 OSKA Pulse "From Your Doctor"

A Doctor-recommended, portable device for fast recovery, treating inflammation, osteoarthritis, and aiding healing.

HOME CLUB COMPETITION

The Format

Home golf clubs must register with the Tournament Committee before 1 June and have a minimum of 5 people

- Minimum 5 entrants per home golf club to qualify
- Top 5 scores from each home golf club to count
- The golf club with the highest accumulative total will be crowned the winner
- All members of the winning golf club will receive their time in the spotlight on the stage at the final night dinner and will all walk away with some great prizes!

The homeclub leadeboard will be updated nightly at the 19th hole - Centara Grand Lobby Lawn.



HANDICAP VERIFICATION

Handicap Commitee

The handicap committee is committed to fairness and scoring integrity. The handicap committee will review the 6 month playing scoring history of all players to check for any irregularities and validate all handicaps prior to the commencement of the Championship. Participants must disclose if they hold a handicap at more than one course, and the lower handicap will be used for the Championship. Failure to disclose information relevant to your golf handicap may make you ineligible for golf prizes.

What You Need To Do

Participants are to provide the handicap committee with access to their 6 month playing history (online). Where handicaps are not available online, a 6 month playing history (courses played and scores) signed by an authorised club official is required. Handicap verification is required by 25 May 2023.

Note: Australian/NZ participants are not required to provide any additional information as the tournament committee will access your handicap information from the Golf Link and Golf Co Nz website.





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TOURNAMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Championship') shall be under the management and control of the Tournament Committee, whose decision on all matters relating to the Championship will be final.
- 2. The Championship will be a 72 hole single stableford event. 'A' grade golfers will also be eligible to compete for a 72 hole 'gross' event. Competition rounds will be conducted on Monday 12th, Tuesday 13th, Thursday 15th and Friday 16th.
- 3. Golfers will be drawn to play 2 rounds at Black Mountain and arrangements will be made. 2 rounds at Banyan golf courses. A separate draw for playing partners will be conducted for each round and provided at Tournament Registration in Hua Hin.
- 4. Event age categories will be 35-60, 61-68, 69+ for men (A, B & C grades in each division) and 35-64 & 65+ for women (A & B grades in each division). Note: Players must be within the appropriate age category as at the first day of play. Age divisions are subject to change based on entry numbers. Grade divisions be subject to the standard terms and conditions of each airline will be provided on the leaderboards.
- 5. The handicap range for each grade (A,B,C) will be based on final entries. Your tournament handicap index, as at 1 June, will determine your tournament division.
- national golf association). For participants who have provided online access to their handicap the Tournament Committee will download your latest handicap on June 1. Other participants must provide written evidence of their official handicap before
- 7. The 'slope handicap system' will be utilised to calculate player handicaps for the Championship rounds. Under the slope system, the difficulty of the golf course and the tee blocks played from determine a player's handicap prior to the start of each
- 8. The Tournament Committee have managed large international amateur tournaments for more than 20 years. Based on this experience, the Tournament Committee have developed a proven system for adjusting player handicaps after each round of the tournament. The handicap adjustments take into consideration:
- Scores for each round in relation to the calculated course rating.
- Consistently high scoring
- Scores recorded on predetermined holes
- On course review of playing ability

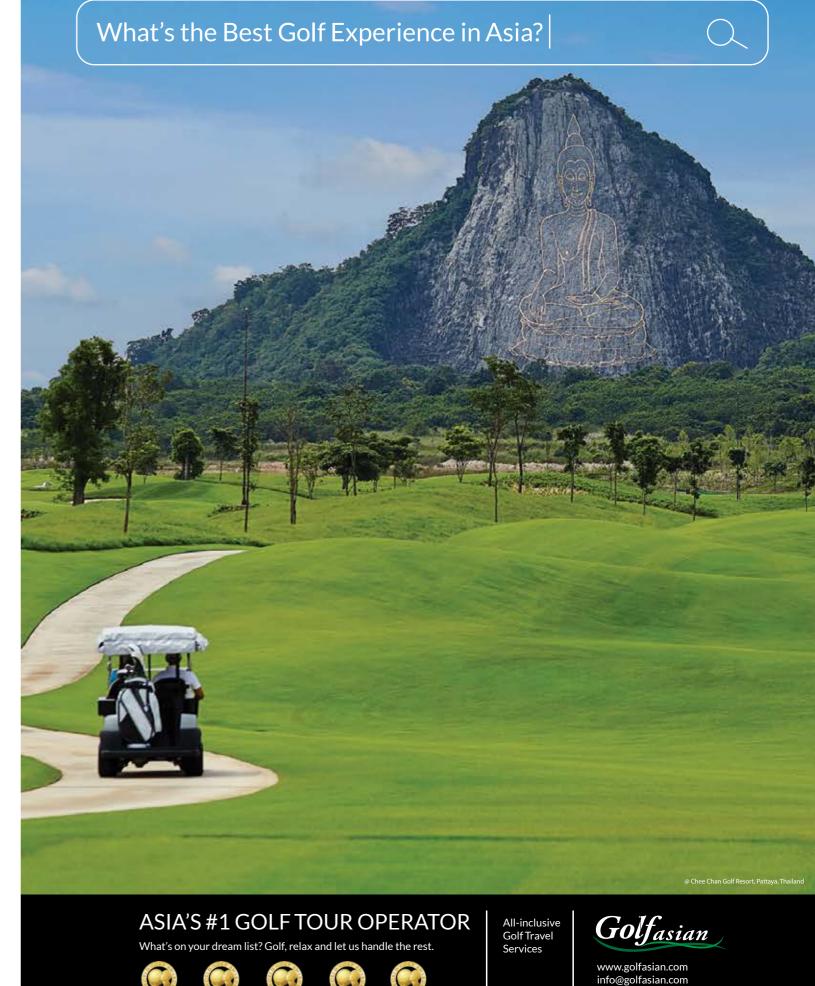
The Tournament Committee's decisions on handicaps are final and no correspondence will be entered into.

- 9. Trophies for the 72 hole event will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd placegetters in each age/handicap division. Winners are determined by the highest aggregate of Stableford points over the four competition rounds. Trophies will be awarded to the winner of the 72 hole single stroke 'gross' event in each age division. Players may only win one trophy.
- 10. Tournament Committee has approved the use of distance measuring devices at the Centara World Masters.

- 1. The 2023 Centara World Masters Golf Championship ('The 11. All events will be conducted in accordance with the rules of golf and such local rules as approved by the Tournament
 - 12. In the event that weather conditions prevent all players from finishing their round, that competition round will be cancelled and the Championship reduced accordingly. No refunds will be provided for cancelled championship rounds.
 - 13. Functions: In the event of inclement weather alternative
 - 14. Refund applications received in writing 30 days prior to event, following any travel restrictions due to Covid 19 will be fully refundable. Cancellations less than 30 days prior to event will be subject to a THB 1,500 admin fee and refunded up to 100% of the remaining balance dependent on what Golfasian / Go Golfing can recover from suppliers.

Note: Refunds for cancelled air tickets and accommodation will and property.

- 15. The 'Major Prize Draw' will be conducted on Friday at Centara Grand, Hua Hin. All registered golfers and non golfing partners will gain entry in the draw. Drawing Procedure – At approximately 8:30pm six tickets will be drawn with those six people to come 6. Competitors must have an official handicap (endorsed by your up on stage. If the person is not present, there will be a redraw until six people are on stage. The six names will then be placed in a barrel for the second stage of the drawing. In the second draw, the first name drawn will be placed in prize envelope number one. This process will be repeated for prizes two to six. The prizes will then be presented from sixth prize through to first prize. All prizes are subject to terms and conditions.
 - 16. All prizes will be distributed in accordance with the rules of amateur golf status.
- round. Your daily handicap will be displayed on your scorecard. 17. The Tournament Committee may arrange media promotion and publicity before, during and after the Championship. Competitors assent to pictures of them appearing and being used for event promotion.
 - 18. The Tournament Committee may at its discretion amend or add any condition of the Championship.
 - 19. To drive a motorised cart, competitors agree to possess a current driver's license and have previous experience driving a golf cart equal to a minimum of four rounds. In the event of an accident, the driver is responsible for the costs to repair the cart and any property damaged as well as being liable for any personal injury claims.
 - 20. By registering online and accepting the tournaments terms & conditions, competitors agree to participate in the Centara World Masters at their own risk. The Tournament Committee, Go Golfing, Golfasian, sponsors, host golf clubs and other suppliers of goods and services accept no liability for any death, injury, property loss or damage incurred during or arising out of any aspect of the conduct of the Championship.



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TOURNAMENT TIPS

PACE OF PLAY

At Go Golfing events, where many players are unfamiliar with the courses, 4.5 hours is a reasonable pace of play. Maintaining a reasonable pace of play is an important element in having a good experience on course. It's often a combination of little things not done that wind up contributing to slow play and on-course traffic jams.

Here are some tips for making sure your pace of play is as brisk as it should be. Remember, pace of play isn't about rushing your shots, it's about being ready to play your stroke when it's your turn, and behaving efficiently on the course.

- 1. While walking to your ball, use the travel time to begin thinking over your next shot the yardage, which club you'll use, and so on. Begin preparing before you get to your ball. 2. If you are sharing a cart, drop the first player off at their ball, drive on ahead to the second ball. The first player should walk over to the cart as the second player is playing his shot.
- 3. Carry a few extra tees, ball markers and a spare ball in your pockets so you don't have to return to your golf bag if you are in need of one.
- 4. When you think your ball may be lost or out of bounds, hit a provisional ball straight away.
- 5. It's nice to watch a good shot, it is more important to watch a bad one to see where the ball finishes. Get a line or a physical marker to help the search for your ball. Please don't spend more than 2 minutes searching for a ball.
- 6. On the green, begin lining up your putt and reading the break as soon as you reach the green. So when it is your turn you are ready to make the stroke.
- 7. When it's your turn to putt, be prepared to step right up and take the stroke.
- 8. Leave your bags or golf carts to the side of the green, and in the direction of the next tee, never in front of the green.
- 9. After holing out on the green, write down your scores. If you have the honor, go to the next hole, tee off and then attend to your scorecard.
- 10. If you notice you have fallen behind the group in front, play 'ready golf' until you have caught up.
- 11. In stableford competitions, if you cannot score, please pick-up.
- 12. If a player in your group is 'slow', offer encouragement and help, not abuse.
- 13. If it takes you longer than 15 seconds to calculate distances with your range-finder, then you shouldn't be using it.

ETIQUETTE

Please turn your phone off or to silent. Phones should only be used for emergencies and should never delay play. Please treat all players, staff and officials with respect.

RULES OF GOLF

This is a tournament and as such the rules of golf must be applied. Please check with your 'marker' to determine the correct location on where to drop for balls hit into hazards. If you think your ball might be lost, please play a 'provisional' ball

You are responsible for keeping score for the player whose scorecard you are marking and ensuring rules are applied correctly. If unsure of a ruling, play 2 balls and seek rule clarification prior to submitting your scorecard. Any dispute in relation to scores or rules must be settled prior to signing scorecards.

STABLEFORD SCORING EXPLAINED

The number of stableford points awarded on each hole is determined based on your 'adjusted score' on each hole in relation to par. Under stableford scoring, your actual score on each hole is adjusted based on your handicap. The stroke index (SI) is used to determine on what holes you apply your handicap.

Examples: a 12 handicap golfer would deduct one shot from their fixed score on stroke index holes rated 1 to 12 only. A 24 handicap player would deduct two shots from their fixed score on holes indexed 1 through 6 and deduct one shot on holes indexed 7 to 18.

The 'adjusted' score is then compared to the stableford scoring table as follows:

- Double bogey or worse = 0 stableford points
- Bogey (1 over par) = 1 stableford point
- Par = 2 stableford points
- Birdie (1 under par) = 3 stableford points
- Eagle (2 under par) = 4 stableford points
- Albatross (3 under par) = 5 stableford points

On the scorecard, the marker is responsible for writing down the actual 'stroke' score and the stableford points on each hole (based on the adjusted stroke score). You must also record your own stroke and stableford score (under marker) for score checking at the end of your round.

Stableford speeds up pace of play, as once it is no longer possible to score a point, a player can simply pick up his/her ball and proceed to the next hole. A total of 36 points (for 18 holes) is playing to your handicap. The higher the stableford total, the better you have played. See tournament staff if you need assistance with stableford scoring an example of stableford scoring is also behind the player information sheet (attached to cart steering wheel each round).







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