



2013 NOMURA CUP

THE 26TH ASIA PACIFIC AMATEUR GOLF TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

SANTIBURI COUNTRY CLUB, CHIANG RAI, THAILAND

NOVEMBER 14-17, 2013

ASIA-PACIFIC GOLF CONFEDERATION / THAILAND GOLF ASSOCIATION / SANTIBURI COUNTRY CLUB

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-- CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION --

The Thailand Golf Association is privileged to be given the honor by the Asia-Pacific Golf Confederation (APGC) to host the 2013 Asia-Pacific Amateur Golf Team Championship. The following information is provided in preparation for the Championship in Thailand.

1. Championship Dates & Venue

The 26th Asia-Pacific Amateur Golf Team Championship (2013 Nomura Cup) will be held from Thursday November 14 to Sunday November 17, 2013 at;

SANTIBURI COUNTRY CLUB

12 Moo3 Wiang Chai Sub-District, Wiang Chai District, CHIANG RAI 57210, THAILAND

Tel No: +66(0) 5366-282-6 Fax No: +66(0) 5371-7377

Website: www.santiburi.com

Chiang Rai is situated in the north of Thailand approximately 785 Kilometers from Bangkok. Daily Flights operate between Bangkok and Chiang Rai. Flight time is approximately 1 hour and 20minutes. The Championship course was designed by renowned Golf Course Architect Robert Trent Jones Jr. and measures 7,076 Yards (6,471Metres) with a Par of 72.

Santiburi Country Club has played host to several Amateur and Professional Tournaments including;

- The Putra Cup 2009
- Singha Masters from 1999-2013
- 2008 Singha Thailand PGA Championship

2. Entry Fee and Caddie Fees

2.1 Entry Fee

The entry fee for the Championship is US\$ 500 per team. All teams are requested to remit the entry fee to the bank account of the THAILAND GOLF ASSOCIATION by **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2013**. Entry fee should be made in USD by wire transfers, bank draft or cheque payable to THAILAND GOLF ASSOCIATION:

- Payable to : Thailand Golf Association
- Name of Bank : Siam Commercial Bank
- Bank Address :Bangkrabu Branch
- Swift Code :SICOTHBK
- Account No. : 018-2-492880

2.2 Caddie Fee

Caddies will be assigned to each player for the Practice Rounds and each of the four (4) Championship Rounds. Players must use the caddies provided and cannot use their own caddie. All players must use a caddie for each Practice and Championship Round. The cost per player is 500 Baht per round (approximately US\$ 20 per round). Payment in cash (Thai Baht) must be made at registration.

3. Team Entry / Nomination Forms for Players / Team Captains / Delegates / Officials and Coaches

Attached are the official Entry / Nomination forms for Teams and Team Captains.

An additional nomination form is included for Delegates / Officials / Team Coaches who will be attending.

Please ensure that each of these is fully completed **together with Team Member and Captain Photos** and returned to the Thailand Golf Association no later than

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 30 , 2013.

FAX; +66 (0) 2369 3776

Email; TGANOMURA2013@HOTMAIL.COM

4. Visa Requirements and Currency

4.1 Visa

All visitors are advised to check whether a Visa is required to enter Thailand

4.2 Currency

The Currency used in Thailand is the Baht – Exchange rate is US\$1 = approx. THB30

5. Official Hotel

The Official Hotel for the Championship is the **DUSIT ISLAND RESORT CHIANG RAI**

- Address: 1129 Kraisorasit Road, Wieng Sub-District, Muang District, CHIANG RAI 57000
- Contact No. : +66 (0) 5360 7999
- Website: <http://www.dusit.com/dusit-thani/dusit-island-resort-chiang-rai.html>
- Room Rates: Inclusive of Breakfast and all Service Charges and Taxes

1. Superior Room / Deluxe Room – Thai Baht 3,000 (Approx. US\$100)

These Rooms can either be Twin / Double or Single and are suitable for Team Members / Captains and Officials / Delegates

2. Landmark Suites – Thai Baht 5,500 (Approx. US\$180)

These Rooms can be Double, Twin or Single

3. Island Suites – Thai Baht 8,500 (Approx. US\$280)

These Rooms can be Double or Single

It is recommended that Teams and Captains stay in Superior or Deluxe Rooms and that Delegates / Officials stay in either Superior / Deluxe Rooms or Landmark Suites.

NOTE: In order to secure all bookings it will be necessary for each Country to pay a deposit of 50 percent of the total cost in THAI BAHT no later than Monday September 30.

A calculation sheet is included to assist you in calculating the correct amount.

Payments can be made in either by wire transfers, bank draft or cheque payable to THAILAND GOLF ASSOCIATION -;

- Payable to : Thailand Golf Association
- Name of Bank : Siam Commercial Bank
- Bank Address : Bangkrabu Branch
- Swift Code : SICOTHBK
- Account No. : 018-2-492880

6. Weather

For Thailand the following information is provided for the month of November

Temperature	21-30 degrees Celsius / 70-86 degree Fahrenheit
No of Rain days	2
Rainfall Average	19 mm
Average wind speed	5 KM/Hour
Humidity	71%

No of Days with Thunder	0
Daylight Hours	6.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.

7. Air Travel to Chiang Rai

Most Countries will have to fly into Bangkok and then fly to Chiang Rai and return to Bangkok and return home.

THAI AIRWAYS has daily flights between Bangkok and Chiang Rai (approximately an 80 minutes flight)

FLIGHT TIMES

Depart Bangkok	8.15 a.m.	6.20 p.m.
Arrive Chiang Rai	9.35 a.m.	7.40 p.m.

Depart Chiang Rai	10.20 a.m.	8.25 p.m.
Arrive Bangkok	11.40 a.m.	9.45 p.m.

For further information visit the **THAI AIRLINES** Website: www.thaiairways.com

Additional options are available through **ONE-TWO-GO** and **AIR ASIA AIRLINES**

8. Arrivals

All Team Members / Captains / Coaches, Delegates, and Officials will arrive at Chiang Rai Airport where they will be met by Thailand Golf Association personnel and transported to The Dusit Island Resort Hotel which is approximately a 20 minute drive. TGA staff will welcome teams and supporters upon arrival with signage “ **NOMURA CUP 2013**”

9. Transportation

9.1 Transportation to and from the Golf Course (approximately a 15 minute trip). will be provided on each of the practice days, the four days of the Championship and Official Functions for all Team Members / Captains / Coaches, Delegates, and Officials. A timetable will be posted on the Official Notice Boards at the Official Hotel and the Golf Club.

9.2 Upon departure from Chiang Rai Airport, transportation will be provided from the hotel to the airport. A timetable will be posted on the Official Notice Boards at the Official Hotel and the Golf Club.

10. Meals

10.1 Breakfast is included in the Room Rate at The Dusit Island Resort Hotel and will also be made available free of charge at the Golf Club between 6:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. daily.

10.2 Lunch and dinner will be available at The Dusit Island Resort Hotel and the golf club (lunch only) at participant's own expense. Snack & Drink shops are located on the golf course.

10.3 The Dusit Island Resort Hotel is close proximity to the City Centre where a choice of alternative restaurants and entertainment spots are available.

The Dusit Island Resort Hotel runs a shuttle service between the Hotel and the City at a minimal charge.

Taxis are available and the approximate cost is Thai Baht150 (one way).

11 Official Functions

11.1 Opening Ceremony / Welcome Party – Wednesday November 13 – Santiburi Country Club

The Opening Ceremony will be held at Santiburi Country Club commencing at 4:30 p.m.

The Welcome Party will follow the Opening Ceremony at the Santiburi Country Club commencing at 6:00 p.m.

11.2 Presentation Ceremony – Sunday November 17 – Boonrawd Farm

The Presentation of Prizes and Closing Ceremony will be held at Boonrawd Farm commencing at 6:00 p.m.

11.3 Farewell Dinner – Sunday November 17 - Boonrawd Farm

The Farewell Dinner will be held at the Boonrawd Farm commencing at 6:30 p.m.

Note; All Countries are requested to bring their National Flag and a CD of their National Anthem

12. Captains' Meeting – Wednesday November 13

The Meeting of Team Captains will be held at Santiburi Country Club on Wednesday November 13 commencing at 2:00 p.m.

13. Player Registration

All players and Officials are requested to register at the Championship Office located at Santiburi Country Club on either **Tuesday November 12 or Wednesday November 13.**

<u>OFFICE HOURS</u>	Tuesday November 12	6:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
	Wednesday November 13	6:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

14. Practice Rounds

Official Practice Rounds will be available on the following days-;

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 12 7:00 a.m.- 9:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 13 7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Time Sheets will be arranged by the Championship Committee for each day and posted on the Official Notice boards at the Dusit Island Resort Hotel and at the Santiburi Country Club

NOTE : Players are restricted to two(2) Practice Rounds and no other Practice times will be made available.

15. Practice Range

The Practice Range will be available to all players on each of the practice days and Championship days from 6.00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Practice Balls will be made available free of charge.

16. Locker Room

Lockers are available for players, captains and delegates during the championship. Requests for lockers should be made upon registration and Locker Keys will be provided at that time.

17. Dress Code

Team members, Captains and Officials are requested to wear team dress uniform (where provided) or dress neatly at all Official Functions.

18. Delegates & Officials Tournament

The Delegates and Officials tournament will be held on Tuesday, November 12 at Santiburi Country Club commencing at 8:30 a.m. and will be followed by lunch and prize giving presentation. Caddies will be provided for all participants.

19. Biennial Meeting of the Asia Pacific Golf Confederation

The Biennial Meeting of the Asia Pacific Golf Confederation will be held on Wednesday November 13 at **The Dusit Island Resort Hotel commencing at 10:00 a.m.**

20. Photo Session

All team members and captains are requested to be ready for the photo sessions at the Santiburi Country Club on Wednesday, November 13 at 3:15 p.m.

21. Voltage

In Thailand, electricity voltage is 220 volt AC. and plugs have 2 round pins.

22. Championship Website

Information on the Championship, including news releases, daily draws and results will be made available on the Thailand Golf Association Website www.tga.or.th

23. Golf Course Information

Please refer to the Santiburi Country Club Website below for information on the Course.

www.santiburi.com

24. Contact Details

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us:

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	<u>TASK</u>	<u>Due by</u>	<u>Sent</u>
1.	TEAM / CAPTAIN NOMINATION FORMS	September 30	_____
2.	TEAM / CAPTAIN PHOTOS	September 30	_____
3.	DELEGATES / OFFICIALS NOMINATION FORMS	September 30	_____
4.	FUNCTION FORM	September 30	_____
5.	ENTRY FEES	September 30	_____
6.	ACCOMMODATION DEPOSIT	September 30	_____
7.	COUNTRY FLAGS	November 12	_____
8.	NATIONAL ANTHEM DISC	November 12	_____