



THE HONG KONG INSTITUTE OF SURVEYORS GOLF TOURNAMENT - 2005/2006 & INAUGURATION OF HKIS GOLF SOCIETY

General Information and Rules

- Date:** 1 November 2005 (Tuesday)
- Venue :** Kau Sai Chau South Course
- Transportation:** Make your own way to Sai Kung Pier.
You should take the ferry to Kai Sau Chau at least 40 minutes before your tee-off time.
- Game:** One 18-hole game with first tee off at 0815 (please refer to the attached tee-off schedule).
- Registration:** Please look for the HKIS registration counter outside the Pro shop. You will get the souvenir, score card, green fee ticket (with your tee-off time) and locker key there. Please sign in against your name.
- Starter:** Please report to Marshal at Hole No.10 of the Course at least 15 minutes before your tee-off time
- Tee-off Mark:** Men - White tees (5,906 yd) Ladies - Red tees (4,724 yd)
- Format of Play:** New Net Peoria (NNP) will be used for both individual and Divisional competition. For the HKIS Divisional Cup, the best Gross Scores of the four players of each Division will be used to calculate the total NNP Net Score. The Division with the lowest Total Net Score will be the Champion. Should there be a tie in the Total Net Score, the Division with the lowest Total Gross Score will be the final winner. Explanation of the NNP is enclosed for your information.
- Maximum Handicap allowed: Men: 28 Ladies: 36
- Prizes:** Best Gross Champion (Best total number of strokes)
Best Gross 1st Runner-up (2nd best total number of strokes)
Best Gross 2nd Runner-up (3rd best total number of strokes)
Best Net Champion (Best NNP Net Score)
Best Net 1st Runner-up (2nd best NNP Net Score)
Best Net 2nd Runner-up (3rd best NNP Net Score)
Closest to Pin (2 Nos. at Hole Nos. 2 and 11)
Longest Drive (2 Nos. at Hole Nos. 6 and 14)
HKIS Divisional Cup + 4 trophies for the best Gross Scores of the four players of the winning Division.
- Competition Rules:** In general each HKIS player can only get one prize except longest drive, closest to pin and Divisional trophy. Guests and sponsors are only eligible for longest drive and closest to pin prizes.

When there is a tie for Best Net prizes, the player of lower NNP handicap will win. In the event of a tie for Best Gross prizes, counting back will become operative.

Winners of Best Gross and Best Net prices can choose either prize.

For closest to pin, the ball must be on the green. For longest drive, the ball must be on the fairway and be measured from the tee.

In the best interest of time, gimmie is allowed if distance from the hole is less than the rod length of a standard putter.

Avoid Slow Play. Play ready golf, i.e. whoever is ready, hit first. Always keep up with the group in front.

If a ball is lost in water or other hazard (yellow or red stakes), the player may, under the penalty of one stroke, drop a ball near the margin of the hazard. However there must be reasonable evidence that the ball was lodged in the hazard. Drop Zone (very generous in Kau Sau Chau), if available, must be used in order to speed up the game. For ball lost and out of bound, use drop zone or drop the ball near the point of entry with a penalty of one stroke.

For rules not mentioned in the above, follow the Local Course Rules. For rules not mentioned in the Local Course Rules, follow R & A Rules.

If there is any doubt, the HKIS Committee's decision will be final.

Scores: Players in the same flight should mark for each other using one separate card for each player. Please enter the actual gross number of strokes for each hole in one column/row.

Double Par is the maximum number of strokes to be entered for a hole.

A player should pick up his/her ball and give-up playing on a hole if he/she has reached that maximum number.

Marker and Player should sign the card and hand it Mr. Denny Tam immediately after the round who will input the scores and compute the results.

Lunch: A simple buffet lunch will be held in the Function Room on 2/F starting from 1:00 p.m. Coffee or tea during lunch are included but not soft drinks, beer, wine or alcohol which shall be at one's own expense.

Presentation: Prizes will be presented after lunch.

Mobile Phones: **You must** switch off your mobile phone during play.

Insurance: **Excluded.** Participants are recommended to take out adequate insurance to cover their risk and legal responsibility in their participation in this golf competition. HKIS assumes no financial, legal or any responsibility for any type of claim whatsoever arising from their participation.

Weather: Unless typhoon signal No. 8 or black rainstorm warning is hoisted by 6:00 a.m., please assume that the event will proceed. In case necessary, you may contact HKIS's admin staff, Ms Donna Yu on 6010 0663 or Committee Chairman, Mr. T.T. Cheung, on 9099 8409 or Mr. Jonathan Li on 6198 4820. The Kau Sai Chau telephone number is 2791-3388.

Sponsorship: The sponsors of this event are **Bun Kee International Co Ltd** (Mr. Benjamin Chan) and **Eastern Gotech (HK) Ltd** (Mr. Andy Ip). Their support is gratefully acknowledged.

Remarks: Participants must present their HKID card for registration. Be punctual as tee times are tight.