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SPH GOLF NOVEMBER MEDAL & LAGUNA GOLF BINTAN INVITATIONAL



SPH Golf members (from above, left) Tan Wen-Li, Kevin Tan, Kelvin Soh and Derrick Sun enjoying their day out at Laguna Golf Bintan.

MEDAL RESULTS

Men's Division A
● Wee Kwang Jin, 30 points

Men's Division B
● Chee Wee Leong, 41 points

Men's Division C
● Lee Hin Hooi, 40 points

Ladies' Division C
● Dr. Currie Chiang, 30 points

Heading back to the place where it all began, the SPH Golf Club November Medal signifies a key moment a year ago when the non-estate golf privileges programme was launched with Laguna Golf Ambassador Sir Nick Faldo as honorary member.

A year on November 11 and 12, 2017, and Faldo was supposed to return to meet the SPH Golf Club members before a personal emergency held him back. However, there was still an element of stardust as the comely Indonesian celebrity chef Farah Quin joined in the game and walked off with

a "Best Dressed" prize and an honorary membership from the golf club.

"The course was in good condition, and while we are disappointed that Sir Nick was unable to attend, we had an enjoyable two days of golf and a fantastic gala dinner by the beach, which is something unique," said

Kevin Tan, who had encouraged seven other friends to sign up for this event together with him.

The participants enjoyed two days of golf, including a clinic by the club's Director of Golf Darren Robson, an overnight stay at the new Cassia Bintan, a welcome lunch and gala

dinner as well as prizes sponsored by Laguna Golf, SPH Golf, Big Fish Golf, Fenix Xcell and UnderTheSeaSG.com who gave out vouchers for fresh home delivery crabs.

Furthermore, SPH Golf Card members also had the opportunity to purchase an Annual Membership at Laguna Golf Bintan at a special rate of just \$510 (originally \$1,500).

Additionally, they will get priority invitation for a special event when Faldo is able to return, which is slated for the first quarter of 2018.

"I am certainly looking forward to coming back; the hospitality given to us at Laguna Golf Bintan was tremendous," regaled Tan.

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KEPPEL CHARITY GOLF

On Oct 14 and 15, 2017, the 113-year-old Keppel Club raised \$1,037,996 at its annual Keppel Charity Golf event.

With about 270 golfers participating, the gala dinner was attended by Dr Lam Pin Min, Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Health and Ministry of Transport and Guest-of-Honour on the second evening.

There was also a performance by 14-year-old local classical singer, Lauren Yeo, whose rise to fame occurred at the tender age of 9 when she won the American Protégé International Vocal competition and performed at Carnegie Hall. The teenager helped raise \$10,000 during the gala event.

This is the fifth consecutive year that Keppel Club has successfully raised more than \$1 million for charitable causes. An immediate donation of \$93,888 was presented to 10 beneficiaries whose representatives were in attendance at the gala dinner on Sunday.



TITLEIST CHRISTMAS GOLF BALL PROMOTION

Limited edition Pro V1 and Pro V1x golf balls with Christmas icons. Available at all authorised Titleist outlets. #1GifinGolf

FJ D.N.A HELIX

Sporting an athletic look, this Tour-proven footwear possesses similar physical features as the D.N.A 2.0; both are comfortable and stable.

A new NitroThin outsole with a wider heel area and back spikes further apart, towards the rear promotes greater stability. The sole is then constructed with Translucent LP Plusar spikes accompanied by the TourLock fastening system.

Retailing at \$330 (Laced) and \$360 (BOA Closure System) in four colourways: White/Red/Blue, White/Black, White/Silver and Black at all authorised FJ outlets.



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MIZUNO MP-18 SERIES

The new MP-18s now come in 'MB' (muscle back), 'SC' (split cavity), MMC (multi-material construction) and Fli-Hi versions that can be mixed and matched according to the individual's profile preference, skill level or even simply aesthetics.

Utilising a new Grain-Flow forged HD process and Harmonic Impact Technology to dial in the acoustics for enhanced feedback, the MB and SC versions are built for advanced players.

Tungsten is placed in the toe of the MMC with an additional 8-gram titanium insert behind the clubface at the heel. This results in toe-biased weighting that promotes clubhead rotation and a draw shot shape.

The Fli-Hi version similarly utilises 20 grams of tungsten but, instead, is forged within the cavity near the toe and sits behind the face.

The Mizuno fitting team is at NSRCC Changi and the new 5,000 sq ft MST Superstore at Suntec City. It is retailing between \$250 and \$290 per piece, depending on shaft and club pairing.



TAYLORMADE P790 IRONS

The new P790 is the epitome of a modern forged iron that combines feel with distance and playability in a medium-compact head and reduced offset.

The two-piece iron features soft 8620 carbon steel and high-strength forged 4140 carbon steel WrapFace that wraps onto the sole and ends at a cut-through Speed Pocket that enhances flexibility for forgiveness and consistency more commonly found in distance clubs.

Also injected into the hollow cavity of the P790 is SpeedFoam;

a new proprietary construction that generates ball speed with damping properties for that ideal sound and feel.

Finally, the P790 irons feature strategically placed internal metal-injection-molded tungsten weighting for precise centre of gravity placement and higher moment of inertia.

Available at all authorised TaylorMade outlets in 4-PW in both graphite and steel shafts ranging from \$1,591 to \$1,699.

