



17th World University Golf Championship 2018

BULLETIN NO. 1



Dear Members,

We have the honour to invite you and your university athletes to participate in the 17th World University Golf Championship which will be held in Lubao, Pampanga, Philippines from May 16-19, 2018.

Provisional Programme

The 17th World University Golf Championship will take place in Pradera Verde Golf Club and general programme is as following:

Sunday, May 13th

Reception / accreditations opening
Practice and putting green... allowed

Monday, May 14th

- Accreditations open
- Golf course open
- Restaurant of the club house open

Tuesday, May 15th

- Accreditations open
- Golf course open
- Restaurant of the club house open
- Referees meeting
- Head of delegations and coaches Technical meeting
- Opening ceremony
- Restaurant of the club house open

Wednesday, May 16th > ROUND 1

Thursday, May 17th > ROUND 2

Friday, May 18th > ROUND 3

Saturday, May 19th > ROUND 4

Sunday, June 20th > Free

Technical Rules

FISU Regulations

18. GOLF

18.1 GENERAL TERMS

The Golf competitions shall be run in accordance with the most recent rules of Golf and Amateur Status of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, unless otherwise stated. In the event of disagreement on the interpretation of the rules, the English text shall be regarded as authoritative.

Only players having an amateur status are allowed to compete in the event.

The programme and duration of competitions are fixed by the Executive Committee in agreement with the Organizing Committee and the CTI. The competitions shall last four (4) days and include the following events:

- Men's individual competition (72 holes – stroke play)
- Women's individual competition (72 holes – stroke play)
- Men's team competition (72 holes-stroke play)
- Women's team competition (72 holes-stroke play)

The event will be played over 72 holes stroke-play: 18 holes each day for the four (4) consecutive days of the event.

Each country may enter a maximum of six (6) competitors.

In each event, each country may enter:

Men:

- Individual event: three (3) competitors;
- Team event: the two (2) best results each day shall count for the team classification per day.

Women:

- Individual event : three (3) competitors;
- Team event: the two (2) best results each day shall count for the team classification per day.

Each competitor shall have a handicap of nine (9) or less when entering the World University Championship.

At the first General Technical Meeting, the Head of Delegation or his/her representative shall confirm and sign the official list of competitors accredited by the CIC.

18.2 PRE-COMPETITION PROCEDURE

Three (3) months before Championship, the Organizing Committee has the right to collect 25% of the total cost of stay per athlete and official from participating countries.

18.2.1 Seeding Method

Seeding shall be made per country by using the team results achieved in the previous event as a guide for seeding. If the host country is not in the first five seeds, it shall be included among the first six.

Where possible, players from the same country shall be kept together in a block, one playing each time slot after another.

The draw shall be published after all countries have registered.

18.2.2 Tie-breaks

In the case of a tie between two (2) competitors or more for an individual gold medal, they shall play off. For other individual medals, the most recent day's score shall decide and if there is a still a tie, last 9, last 6 etc. shall be used. In the case of a tie between two (2) teams or more, the most recent day's counting team score shall decide and if there is still a tie, last 9, last 6 etc. shall be used

18.3.1 Nomination

International referees are nominated and selected by the NSF in agreement with FISU. Travel expenses, full board, accommodation and the per diem according to the FISU-IGF partnership agreement are to be borne by the Organizing Committee.

The OC and the NSF will appoint NTOs to complement the team of technical officials required for Golf. The number of NTOs shall be agreed between the OC and the FISU Td.

18.3.2 Number of technical officials needed and qualification

- One (1) international chief referee
- Two (2) domestic referees with an international referee qualification

18.3.3 Duration of Stay

Unless otherwise stated by FISU, all international technical officials are to arrive one (1) day prior to their first official meeting as agreed between FISU and the OC and depart one (1) day after the end of competition.

Eligibility

According to FISU regulations, only the competitors who satisfy the following conditions may take part in this championship:

- a) Be a citizen of the nation (region) he/she represents;
- b) Be born between January 1st, 1988 and December 31st, 2000
- c) Be a student who is currently officially registered as proceeding towards a degree or diploma at a university or similar institute whose status is recognized by the appropriate national academic authority of his/her country (region);
- d) Be a former student of an institution mentioned in (c) who has obtained the academic degree or diploma in the year preceding the event.

Doping Control

Doping control will be conducted in compliance with the regulations laid down by the International University Sports Federation (FISU) and under the WADA.

Deadlines for Entries

General Entries (Engagement of participation)	January 16, 2018
Quantitative Entries (Number of participation)	February 16, 2018
Payment of Deposit (25%)	February 16, 2018
Nominative Entries (names of participants)	March 16, 2018

All entries must be registered via online system provided by FISU as of www.wuc.in-1.it. Any assistance or query the participating delegations may have, it is advised to contact the system provider via support@in-1.it.

Financial Conditions

- a. FISU Registration Fee:
 - Effective member-associations of FISU: **20 Euros** per competitor and official;
 - Other association: **40 Euros** per competitor and official
- b. Participation Fee:
70 Euros per person per day paid to the Organizing Committee by each participating country.



Deposit

All participating countries are requested to pay the deposit of 25% of participation fees for each athlete and official by **February 16, 2018 to the following account of O.C.** , and upon their arrival, pay to the Organizing Committee the remaining balance:

Beneficiary : Federation of School Sports Association of the Philippines Inc. (FESSAP Inc.)

Name of the Bank : Asia United Bank (AUB)

Address of the Bank : 615-617 Elcano Street, Binondo, Manila, Philippines

Dollar Account No. : 041-19-000011-7

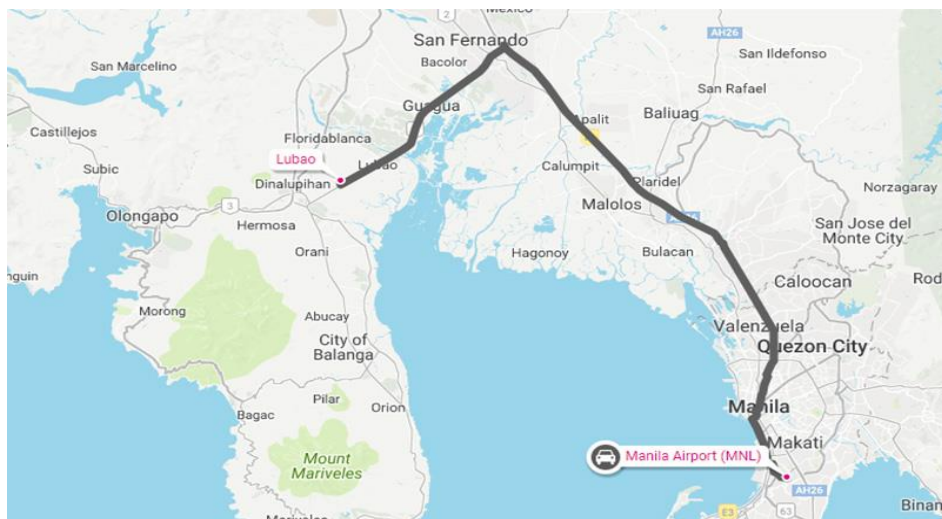
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AIRPORT

Entry to the country can be made through two international airports.

NINOY AQUINO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – NAIA

Manila Ninoy Aquino International Airport or NAIA (IATA: MNL, ICAO: RPLL), also known as Manila Airport is one of the two international airports serving the Metro Manila Area and is the main international gateway to the Philippines.

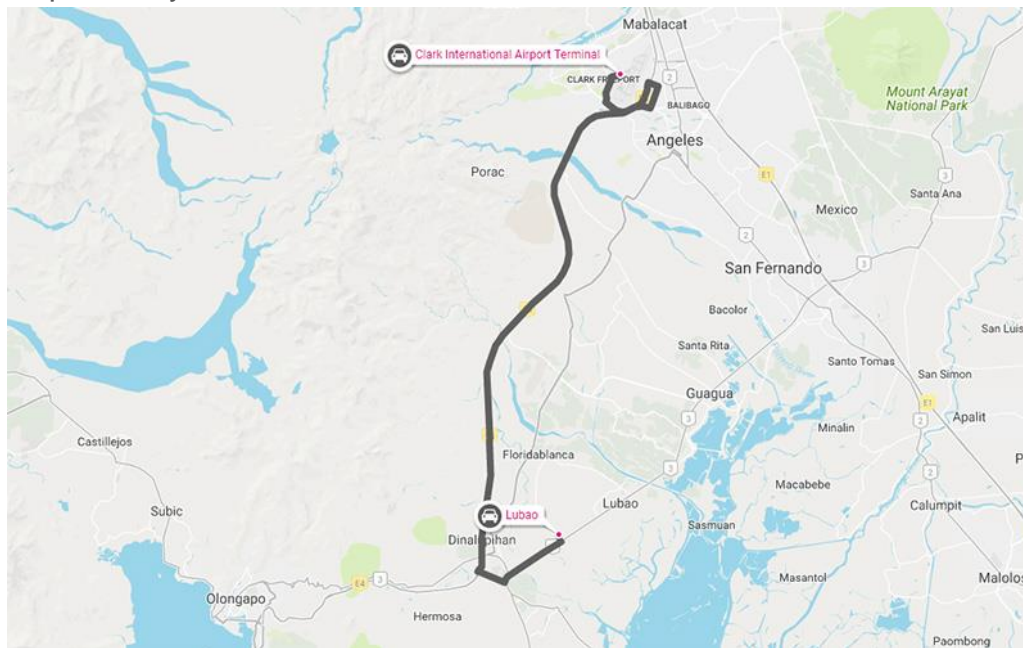


Distance : 103.4 km

Travel time: est. 3 hrs. via E1/R8

CLARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Clark International Airport, formerly known as the Diosdado Macapagal International Airport (IATA: CRK, ICAO: RPLC), is an airport that is an international gateway to the Philippines within Clark Freeport Zone, Mabalacat City located 43.2 NM (80.0 km; 49.7 mi) northwest of Manila. The airport is located in the province of Pampanga and is accessible through the Subic-Clark-Tarlac Expressway, which is connected to the North Luzon Expressway.



Distance : 59.1 km
Travel time: est. 1 hr.

Accommodations and Transportation

Pradera Verde Wake Villas
Prado Siongco, Lubao, Pampanga, Philippines
Tel. no. 0917 447 1214
Email : www.praderaverde.com.ph



As to the transportation, the organizing committee will take care of the local transportation between Manila Airport/ Ninoy Aquino International Airport / Clark International Airport. For training and competitions, shuttle bus service is provided between hotel and the competition venue.

Visa

Countries eligible for Visa-exempt entry

1. The nationals of the following countries are eligible for the visa exemption programme, which permits a duration of stay up to 90 days:

Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, U.K. and Vatican City State.

2. The nationals of the following countries are eligible for the visa exemption programme, which permits a duration of stay up to 30 days:

Australia, Republic of Korea, Malaysia, Singapore and USA

Requirements: Those who are eligible for visa exemption programme must have his/her passport with validity of at least six months upon entry, except for Japanese passport holders with validity of more than 3 months who are eligible for visa-exempt entry. In addition, confirmed return air ticket is also necessary when checked in immigration.

Please refer to website of Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) for the latest information of visa-exempt entry.

Those who are not listed above, please follow the application procedure for the entry visa as soon as possible. For details of where to submit the application and what documents are required, please refer to the website of Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) as of www.dfa.gov.ph

We strongly advise you to submit the visa application as soon as possible as some applications requires more time. Should you have any query or need any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact the O.C.

Most countries around the world are eligible for visa-exempt entry to Philippines, however, if there is any query as to visa, you may approach our representative office in your country, which will provide you with as much information and assistance as possible in this regard.

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Pradera Golf and Country Club



See you in Philippines ...

