

# NSRCC Junior Golf Development Programme (JGDP) 2009

## **Objective**

Each year, a maximum of eight (8) junior golfers will be selected to participate in JGDP. They will undergo a JGDP training sponsored by NSRCC (the Club). Upon graduation, junior golfers who have achieved a golf handicap of 8 or lower will be recommended to SGA for its National Team selection.

The sponsorship package includes 800 range balls and 2x18 holes golf games per week at the Club. Parents are expected to contribute 20% towards the total lesson fees. JGDP players may enroll in Club approved golf tournaments. The Club will reimburse 80% of Club approved expenses if they enroll in these events.

## **Eligibility**

JGDP is open to NSRCC Junior Members, aged 16 years old and below as of 1<sup>st</sup> Jan. The age eligibility is pegged at two years below the age ceiling for National Youth Squad Trials. Junior members must possess a valid golf handicap index issued by NSRCC or SGA's affiliated clubs (24 and below for boys; 32 and below for girls). A junior can take part in JGDP for a maximum of 2 years. His/her 3<sup>rd</sup> year inclusion will be subjected to approval of the Club. Students of Singapore sports School and Golf Academy are not eligible to take part in JGDP.

## **Selection of JGDP Players**

JGDP **order of merit** for junior members will be computed based on a minimum of 6 monthly medals and/or Club competitions scores. Each year, the Club will compute the order of merit in December. Top eight (8) players in the order of merit will qualify for initial selection. In subsequent years, the number in the **order of merit** will be selected based on vacancies in JGDP. A junior golfer can take part in JGDP for a maximum of two years. His/her 3<sup>rd</sup> year inclusion will be subject to approval of the Club. The Club is the sole authority on selection and its decision is final. It is not obliged to explain or discuss with members on its final decision.

## **Training Programme (Jan – Dec)**

Teaching Pros appointed by the Club will develop the JGDP training for acceptance by the Club. Training will start upon acceptance and there will be no extension of the JGDP training at the end of the year.

## **Maintenance of Sponsorship**

JGDP members who fail to abide by the following terms will be disqualified and his/her sponsorship will be withdrawn automatically:

### **Performance**

- JGDP members must maintain a top 10 or better position in the order of merit. They must also achieve a handicap index of 8 or lower to be eligible for SGA National Junior Squad trials. A JGDP member who failed to maintain the above-mentioned for 2 years consecutively will be disqualified.
- The Club with recommendations from coaches/committee member reserved the right to disqualify any junior from JGDP based on bad behavior, misconduct and dishonesty.

### **Absenteeism**

- Any JGDP member who is absent for three or more training lessons consecutively without notice or valid reason will be disqualified.

### **Default on 20% of Lesson Fees**

- Parent's contribution is 20% per year.

Any JGDP player who is not able to abide by the above terms will lose the club's sponsorship automatically. His or her entitlement to the sponsorship will cease from the day of his/her disqualification from JGDP. There will be no refund of lesson fees or expenses. The Club reserves the right to change the above terms and conditions without prior notice. Changes, if any, will be posted on our website @ [nsrcc.com.sg/golf](http://nsrcc.com.sg/golf).

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Please read more about JGDP @ [nsrcc.com.sg/golf](http://nsrcc.com.sg/golf). You may also wish to contact Mr Derrick Tay, Executive (Golf) at 6540 8546 or email [Derrick@nsrcc.com.sg](mailto:Derrick@nsrcc.com.sg) for more details.