

# **About Singapore Institute of Directors**

# Mission

To foster good governance and ethics in corporate leadership.

## Vision

To be the national association advancing the highest level of ethical values, governance, and professional development of directors.

ormed in 1998, the Singapore Institute of Directors (SID) is the national association of company directors. It works closely with the authorities and regulators, and its network of members and professionals to uphold and enhance the highest standards of corporate governance and ethical conduct.

SID's membership comprises mainly directors of commercial companies and nonprofit organisations, as well as lawyers, accountants, academics and other professionals in the field of corporate governance. The affairs of SID are directed by an elected Governing Council and managed by a Secretariat.

SID has a comprehensive professional education curriculum that covers the entire spectrum of a director's developmental needs. Numerous courses cater to the different groups of directors – from aspiring and new directors, to experienced directors and Chairmen of Boards, and the various Board Committees.

In particular, SID provides thought leadership on corporate governance and directorship issues. It keeps directors apprised of the latest thinking and happenings through a quarterly Directors Bulletin, boards and directorship surveys, research publications, and forums and seminars. In addition, SID has produced a comprehensive series of Corporate Governance Guides for Boards and Board Committees in Singapore.

To encourage excellence in corporate governance, SID manages the Best Managed Board Award, the Best CEO Award and the Best Investor Relations Award; these are presented at the annual Singapore Corporate Awards which it coorganises with the Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants and The Business Times. In addition, SID and NUS Centre for Governance, Institutions and Organisations (CGIO) produce the Singapore rankings for the ASEAN Corporate Governance Scorecard. SID, CGIO and CPA Australia collaborate on the Singapore Governance and Transparency Index.

SID also provides other value-added services to its members including regular networking events and socials, board appointment services, and a one-stop information service on governance related matters.



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# **MESSAGE FROM SID CHAIRMAN**



Willie Cheng
Chairman
Singapore Institute of Directors

he annual SID Golf Tournament is one of the major networking events organised by the Singapore Institute of Directors since 2001. This is our 18th edition and it continues to be well-supported by the corporate community.

We are grateful for the support of our many corporate sponsors, both repeat supporters as well as several new well-wishers. We are again blessed with a full subscription of all available flights.

We would like to specially thank our two new major sponsors: Maybank for the Team Challenge Shield and CITIC Envirotech for the Individual Championship Cup. Our thanks also to Daimler and Singapore Airlines for their Hole-in-One prizes.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank our Guest of Honour, Minister Ng Chee Meng, for sharing this particular Sunday with us on the greens.

Finally, may we wish our golfers a great golfing experience on the New Tanjong Course. And may you aim for that hole-in-one.

# **GOLF TOURNAMENT ORGANISING COMMITTEE**



Left to right: Jerry Chua, Desmond Lim, Lee Chong Kwee, Sandip Talukdar, Kevin Wong, Sue Anne Kuek

# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

The Organising Committee wishes to thank the following:

- Mr Ng Chee Meng, Minister in the Prime Minister's Office, for gracing this occasion.
- All our sponsors.
- Sentosa Golf Club for the use of its course.
- Mr Eric Teoh for being the Tournament Director.
- The SID Secretariat.
- All others who have contributed in one way or another.

#### Chairman

Lee Chong Kwee

#### Secretariat

Sue Anne Kuek Edwin Lee

#### **Members**

Jerry Chua

Philip Kwa

Robin Lee

Lim Chin Hu

**Desmond Lim** 

Sandip Talukdar

Tan Yen Yen

**Kevin Wong** 

Eric Teoh

(Tournament Director)

# **THE GAME**

#### **The Competition**

The competition shall consist of a single round of 18 holes in accordance with the Rules of Golf approved by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St Andrew and the United States Golf Association and the local rules of Sentosa Golf Club (SGC).

The format of play shall be Stableford Points based on the player's handicap calculated using the Double Peoria Handicapping System. There shall be only one division for all participating golfers. The maximum handicap for men shall be 24 and lady golfers 36.

In the event of a tie for any place, the "tied" places will be determined by the SGC count-back system. Players are requested to play without delay. If your score is more than DOUBLE PAR for the hole, please pick up your ball and proceed to the next tee box. Please record your gross score as double par for the hole, e.g. Par 3 will be 6 and so on.

In the event of inclement weather resulting in the inability of players to continue to play, the competition will be cancelled.

The decisions of the Tournament Director are final.

# The Double Peoria Handicapping System

Each player shall record his gross score for each hole, with double par minus one [1] as the maximum for any hole.

After the tournament, 12 random holes will be selected. The player's gross scores (maximum double par minus one [1]) for these 12 holes are totalled and then multiplied by 1.5. The resulting number minus 72 [par] is further multiplied by 80 per cent. This will be the player's Double Peoria System handicap for the day. This Double Peoria handicap will then be used to calculate the player's Stableford Points.

#### **Prizes**

#### **MAYBANK TEAM CHALLENGE SHIELD**

The team with the highest Stableford Points (based on first and third best score of each hole).

# CITIC ENVIROTECH INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP

The player with the highest Stableford Points.

#### **HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZES**

Holes 7 and 15 One Mercedes-Benz E 200

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Holes 4 and 17 Two Return **Business Class** 

Air Tickets to Osaka, Japan<sup>2</sup>

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Should there be more than one winner for the same prize, it shall be equally shared amongst the winners.

<sup>1</sup>Other terms and conditions are on page 8.

<sup>2</sup>SIA conditions for free travel apply.

#### **NOVELTY PRIZES**

Hole 4 Nearest to the Pin

Hole 9 Nearest to the Line

Hole 12 Longest Drive

#### **LUCKY DRAW PRIZES**

More than 80 lucky draw prizes from our many sponsors will be given away at dinner. Only those present at the dinner will receive the prizes.

# **PROGRAMME**

## Afternoon Programme

# **Golf Game**

Sentosa Golf Club, New Tanjong Course

**11.30 am** Registration

11.45 am Buffet Lunch

**1.00 pm** Golfers to gather at the putting green in front of the Clubhouse for a group photo

**1.30 pm** Shot-Gun Tee Off

Golfers to be at the Buggy Staging Point by 1.15 pm to get ready to proceed to their

respective Tee Boxes

6.00 pm End of Game

Submission of Score Cards

Shower and Change Proceed to Dinner

## **Evening Programme**

# **Dinner and Prize Presentation**

Grand Salon, Clubhouse

**6.30 pm** Cocktail Reception

**7.00 pm** Arrival of Guest of Honour

Mr Ng Chee Meng, Minister in the Prime Minister's Office

MC starts

Welcome by SID Chairman, Mr Willie Cheng

**7.10 pm** Dinner Commences

**7.20 pm** Entertainment by *Mix N Match Strollers* 

**7.45 pm** Prize Presentation

Lucky Draw

Closing Remarks by Organising Committee Chairman,

Mr Lee Chong Kwee

**8.30 pm** End of Event



Lunch

SP Group

Dinner

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Ltd

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Carlsberg Singapore

Pte Ltd

Wine

Hock Tong Bee (Private) Limited -CornerStone

# **HOLE-IN-ONE PRIZE**



#### **Conditions for Winning the Mercedes-Benz E-Class**

- 1. There will be an official Ball Marker stationed at each Par 3 hole for which there is a Hole-In-One prize. When you score a Hole-In-One, please identify yourself and provide your particulars to this official. When you have finished the game and returned to the clubhouse, please contact a member of the Organising Committee for the details of claiming the prize.
- 2. The Hole-In-One must be achieved during a complete round of 18 holes.
- 3. Players taking part should be 21 years old and above to be eligible for the Hole-In-One prize.
- 4. Players taking part must be residents/ citizens of Singapore with a registered address in Singapore to be eligible for the Hole-In-One prize.

- 5. Players taking part should be amateur golfers with capabilities ranging from USGA Handicap 0 to 24.4 for men and 0 to 36.4 for ladies. The amateur participants' official handicap during the tournament must be correctly declared before the commencement of the tournament and evidenced by current handicap cards issued by the clubs or issuing body recognised by USGA.
- 6. The players must complete all 18 holes and scorecards must be fully completed, signed by the marker and submitted to the Organising Committee.
- 7. All equipment must conform to official specifications.
- 8. If there is more than one winner for the same prize, it shall be equally shared amongst the winners.



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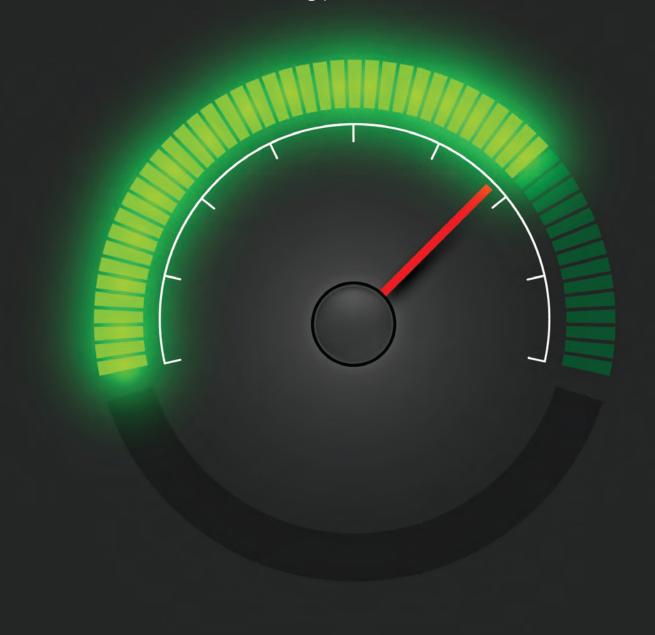


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# Bessons for risk management from golf

Lesson 1:
Tradeoff
between
risk and
return



When you're standing at the tee, do you drive over the bunker, or do you take two shots to go around it? Of course, the answer is, 'it depends' – On your skill, experience, whether you are at the beginning of the round, or at the crucial end stages of the game. Put simply – it depends on your risk appetite.

Your risk appetite allows you to navigate that narrow pathway between risks which are threats and those which are opportunities. A clearly defined risk appetite, which has been communicated and understood throughout the business empowers you and your team to make optimal decisions.

Lesson 2:
Technology
is not
the
solution

Technology is merely a tool that enhances your own performance. You can have the best wood that money can buy and an app that gives precise, GPS-calculated distances, but if you don't have a solid drive and consistent putting performance on the green, all that technology is wasted.

It's the same with data analytics. You can have sophisticated business intelligence software running daily reporting, but if you don't have a framework to identify risk areas as they arise and an established process for review and escalation of issues, then these tools are redundant.

Complacency is your worst enemy

Just because you've hit a shot a thousand times before doesn't mean you'll make it on the green this time. In risk management too, complacency can be fatal. If boards think that they already understand all the risks and do not encourage a culture of openness – it promotes a weak risk culture.

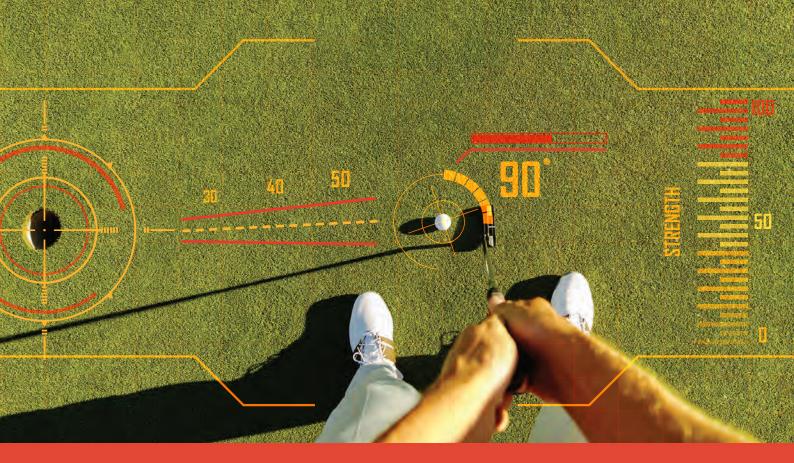
As with every shot on the golf course, critically assess yourself and see how to better promote risk awareness throughout the organizational structure. Only through this focus on continual improvement can we minimize organizational risks and lower our handicaps.



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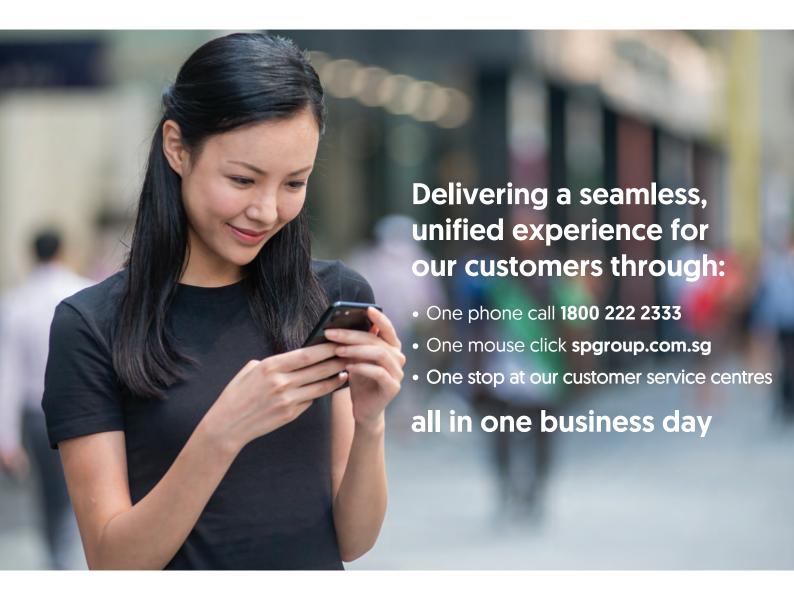
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