



12th Annual Bayanihan Cup

An interclub team competition open to all Filipino-American golf associations

Rules and Scoring Format

1. USGA Rules govern ALL plays including tie breakers.
2. The Bayanihan Cup is a “Team Competition” event. All individuals unaffiliated with teams are welcome to play but are only eligible to win certain prizes as indicated in Section 16 below.
3. The tournament will have three (3) divisions on Team event & will be based on total number of participants & corresponding handicaps with the goal to “equalize” the total number of teams/players on each division.

- **Katipunan** (example only, 0 – 10.0 Handicap Index)
- **Samahan** (example only, 10.01 – 17.0 Handicap Index)
- **Damayán** (example only, 17.01 – above Handicap Index)

Composition of the Divisions: Per entries submitted by **May 19 deadline**, valid handicap index from each player and from each team is verified & confirmed by the Bayanihan Cup Committee. The sum of handicap indexes of the 6 players is averaged (total divided by 6) to determine the division of which the team competes in (as classified above). Players on each team can only have a maximum of 10 strokes differential. To illustrate, see worksheet calculation below (if you have any question, the Bayanihan Cup Committee will be glad to explain):

	Handicap index as of June 1	Adjusted Handicap Index for Bayanihan Cup	Remarks
Player A	11.2	11.2	Lowest handicap
Player B	19.1	19.1	
Player C	14.3	14.3	
Player D	11.7	11.7	
Player E	20.4	20.4	
Player F	35.3	21.2	Highest handicap adjusted to lowest handicap 11.2 + 10 = 21.2



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Average:	18.67	16.32	Samahan Division instead of Damayan
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NOTE: Bayanihan Cup Committee reserves the right to place your team to the appropriate

division. 4. Each team is composed of six (6) players competing for the Bayanihan Cup

Championships. 5. Format is Medal (Stroke) Play.

6. Each team MUST have a designated Team Captain who shall ensure that his/her team members are familiar with the rules of golf, tournament rules and other rules applicable to the competition. The Team Captain is responsible for verifying, authenticating and submitting copies of the handicap indexes of his team members.

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7. On Team scoring, **all 6 players count.** Teams who declare a full team by May 19 but play less than 6, but no less than 5, will be assigned maximum score of:

- Katipunan – take the highest gross score among the players without applying handicap (+0)
- Samahan – take the highest gross score among the players without applying handicap (+0)
- Damayan – take the highest gross score among the players without applying handicap (+0)

Example: All six (6) players

	Hdcp	Gross Score	Net Score	Remarks
Player 1	18	89	71	
Player 2	15	86	71	
Player 3	11	83	72	
Player 4	17	98	81	
Player 5	16	97	81	
Player 6	13	83	70	



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Team Average	15		Team Net Score: 446	Samahan Division
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Example: Only five (5) players

	Hdcp	Gross Score	Net Score	Remarks
Player 1	18	89	71	
Player 2	15	86	71	
Player 3	11	83	72	
Player 4	17	98	81	
Player 5	16	97	81	
Fill-in Player (dummy)	0	98 – score of the highest gross	98	Net Score = Gross Score for Fill-in Player
Team Average	15.4 – avg of Player 1-5		Team Net Score: 474	Samahan Division

8. Team and Individual Event will have three (3) flights based on their division (Katipunan, Samahan, Damayan), please see Section 15 and 16 for details.

9. The tournament event shall be held at Coyote Creek Golf Club (Valley Course) – Morgan Hill, CA

Par 72

- **WHITE TEES, 6487 Yards (71.6/128) – Men’s**
- **GOLD TEES, 6118 Yards (69.6/124) - 70 years old and above**
- **RED TEES, 5174 Yards (70.0/118) - Ladies**



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10. One hundred (100) percent of Course Handicap based on GHIN index as of **June 1, 2025**, will be counted to determine how many extra strokes a player will be assigned based on the handicap holes. For example, a player with a Course Handicap of 10 will have extra strokes for the top 10 handicap holes.

11. Players with NO CURRENT HANDICAP indexes from USGA will have ZERO strokes added. Handicap Indexes must be verifiable. A player who does not submit the proper documentation (index) and can't be verified shall be given a handicap of zero (0).

12. No pickups on scoring. Strokes must be counted until they're holed. Gross Total of actual strokes must be entered on the scorecard for the hole played (not -1, 0, +1, +3, etc.)

13. Tie Breakers: Net Team Total Score & Individual Net Score – USGA stroke play tie breaker. Last 9 holes score minus CH/2. If still tie, last 6 holes minus CH/3; if still tie, last 3 holes minus CH/6; if still tie, 18th hole minus current CH/18.

14. SCORING: Two (2) official scorecards will be provided for manual scoring. Both scorecards must be reconciled, SIGNED and ATTESTED. Submit one (1) scorecard to Coyote Creek GC Pro Shop or to the Tournament Committee at the end of the round. Once submitted, the scores are considered FINAL and OFFICIAL. Gross Total strokes must be entered for each player of the group for the hole played. Final score verifications will be done by the Tournament Committee. Scoring will be done jointly by Bayanihan Cup Committee, volunteers from participating Clubs and Coyote Creek GC.

15. TEAM AWARDS

a. Bayanihan Cup Trophy will be awarded to the Team Champion in each division; each member is also awarded medals.

b. A runner up Team in each division is also awarded medals for each member.

TEAM CHAMPION	TEAM RUNNER UP
Trophy & Medals - Katipunan Division	Medals - Katipunan Division
Trophy & Medals - Samahan Division	Medals - Samahan Division
Trophy & Medals - Damayan Division	Medals - Damayan Division

16. INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

a. See below

Division	Trophy
Katipunan	Low Net Individual Champion



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Samahan	Low Net Individual Champion
Damayan	Low Net Individual Champion

Overall Low Gross Champion	Trophy
Overall Low Net Champion	Trophy

NOTE: Only one (1) trophy will be awarded to individual champion, the most prestigious award will be used to determine the trophy.

Example: If same player is the Overall Low Gross Champion and Overall Low Net Champion, he/she will get the Overall Low Gross Champion trophy and the second place of the Overall Low Net player will be the Overall Low Net Champion

b. As part of Bayanihan Cup tradition, “Las Vegas” event will be held on Par 3’s. \$5 fee (1 ticket) will get you into raffle. Additionally, on tee shot if ball stays on the “green” (GIR) another ticket(s) equivalent to what was purchased will go into raffle. Players can purchase up to \$20 equivalent to 5 tickets. Half of the pot will be raffled to three winners, with the first receiving 50%, the second 30%, and the third 20%. The remaining half will go to Mango Tours Foundation.

Las Vegas holes: Number 13 and 17

c. Gift Prizes will be awarded to the Closest to the Pin on 3of the Par 3s. All individual players are eligible for these prizes.

Closest to the Pin hole: Number 11

d. Hole-in-One Awards are subject to the discretion of the Tournament Committee. **Hole-in-One hole: Number 7**

e. Can’t have the same individual as winner for Individual Events.

17. Tournament Fees for Team Entry – deadline on **May 26, 2025.**

Tournament fee is **\$175**

Payments can be made by:

- For Checks – Payable to “Mango Tours Foundation”
- For ease of registration, Team Captains are encouraged to be responsible in collecting fees from each team player and submit to Mango Tours Foundation

18. Team Roster – deadline on May 19. Fill up BAYANIHAN CUP TEAM ROSTER Form on item #22 and e-mail back to any member of the Bayanihan Cup Tournament Committee. THE FINAL NUMBER OF



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PLAYERS MUST BE COMMITTED TO Coyote Creek GC BY MAY 24, 2025.

19. PACE OF PLAY

Pace of Play is Ready Golf.

20. PENALTIES IN COMPETITION

If a competitor is in breach of a Rule for which there is a maximum penalty per round, he/she must report the facts to the Committee before returning his/her score card; if he/she fails to do so, he/she may be disqualified.


NOTE: ALL DECISIONS MADE BY THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE WILL BE FINAL AND

BINDING. 21. Refer to local rules governing Coyote Creek Golf Club (Valley Course)

22. RULES DECISIONS

- a. Questions regarding Rules of Golf shall be referred ONLY to the Rules Committee. i. The Rules Committee will be headed by – Johnny Francisco of Mango Tours Foundation, and Tournament Director of Coyote Creek GC.
- b. Any protest must be submitted immediately in writing, signed by the TEAM CAPTAIN, no later than 3:00 pm on the day of the tournament. Any other requests will not be considered.
- c. Decisions of the Rules Committee affecting play shall be final.

23. TEAM ROSTER ENTRY FORM

 <p>2025 BAYANIHAN CUP – TEAM ENTRY ROSTER Coyote Creek Golf Club (Valley Course) - Morgan Hill, CA InstrucKon: Fill in all cells as all informaKon is very important. GHIN INDEX (official tournament index will be based on June 1, 2025) TEAM ROSTER SUBMISSION DEADLINE is May 19, 2025 NOTE: Players 70 years and older, put a check mark on “70 yrs and older column”</p>	
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Golf OrganizaKon:						
Team Name:						
Team Captain:						
	First Name	Last Name	Email Address / Cellphone#	GHIN Number	Index	70 yrs and older
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2						
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