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AMCHAM's Inaugural Open Golf Tournament scheduled for June 15, 2019 at the Lusignan Golf Club

AMCHAM Guyana does not do things the traditional way – when they host an event, it is something unlike any other! This inaugural golf tournament is a preview of things to come from AMCHAM Guyana as the tournament will be one of a kind, on a scale never seen before in Guyana. The tournament will feature:

- Four Categories of Players - Championship 0-10, First Flight 11-20, Second Flight 21-32 (Stableford System) and Ladies Open 0-32 all competing for the title of the AMCHAM Best Gross Player and Best Net Player Championship Cup.
- Longest Drive and Nearest to Pin contests for the players
- Special Putting Contest for young players under the age of 12 with over 20 Medals to be Won!
- Chip & Putt contest open for all ages and abilities with Big Prizes and Bragging Rights!
- Long Drive Championship where any person can compete against AMCHAM Sponsored Golf Pro, Richard Hanif. Winner gets a \$50,000 Prize!

Entry fees for players include:

- Snacks and drinks on the course for players
- Complimentary lunch will be provided
- Players Gift Bag
- Music and entertainment after play concludes, for all ages
- Trophies and Prizes for ALL levels of players
- Complimentary cocktail hour from 4-5pm with wines from The Wine Cellar

Golfing Members: US\$50/G\$10,000

Golfing Invitees: US\$75/G\$15,000

Non-Golf Guest Passes: US\$40/G\$8,000

*Lunch and non-alcoholic beverages included for Guest Passes. Alcoholic beverages will be on sale.

*Rental clubs and caddies are available for the event.

The President of the Lusignan Golf Club (LGC), Aleem Hussain, and Chairman of AMCHAM Guyana, Zulfikar Ally, along with Board Member Paul James are confident that this will be the first of many activities that the entities will host together as their philosophies and goals are very similar.

Mr. Hussain stated that the commitment by AMCHAM Guyana to make this an annual event that will grow tremendously in the years ahead makes it a must for every business person to come out this year and partake in the event. He emphasized that “it is the best opportunity for networking and social mingling that has come along and it is not just for golfers. However, if you are a golfer who misses the opportunity to have your name placed first on the AMCHAM Cup, you will definitely regret it!”



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In August 2018, AMCHAM Guyana was created to promote and create US-Guyana trade and business opportunities and partnerships. To date, both American and Guyanese companies have benefitted from the organization as more than 50 companies have become members.

“We all know that foreign investment will only increase in the coming years and the potential is enormous with the real job creation in Guyana coming not directly from oil, but rather in the sectors that support that industry, and AMCHAM Guyana, which was just an idea less than a year ago, demonstrates how quickly we must move. According to Former US Ambassador Perry Holloway, “this idea has reached fruition well before expectation”.

With AMCHAM existing in 28 countries in Latin America and the Caribbean, Chairman Zulfikar Ally said, “AMCHAM offers businesses and entrepreneurs the opportunity to network, make new contacts and transfer knowledge. We are using this event as a medium for community involvement and social corporate responsibility”.

AMCHAM Guyana is open to both foreign and local companies with business activities in Guyana. The board comprises a representative from each of the following 16 companies: ExxonMobil Guyana, Hess Guyana Exploration Ltd., Guyana Marriott Hotel, Queens Atlantic Investment Inc., Corum Group Guyana, GTT, Sol Guyana, Nabi and Sons Ltd., RED Entertainment, London House Chambers, Baker Hughes, Republic Bank, the National Milling Company of Guyana Inc. (NAMILCO), RAMPS Logistics, Massy Guyana Inc., and Machinery Corporation of Guyana (MACORP).

To join AMCHAM Guyana, interested companies and entrepreneurs can contact AMCHAM Guyana at info@amchamguyana.com for application forms. Tickets and entry forms for the event will be available at all AMCHAM member companies, the Lusignan Golf Club or by calling the AMCHAM Guyana Office at 231-2524.

