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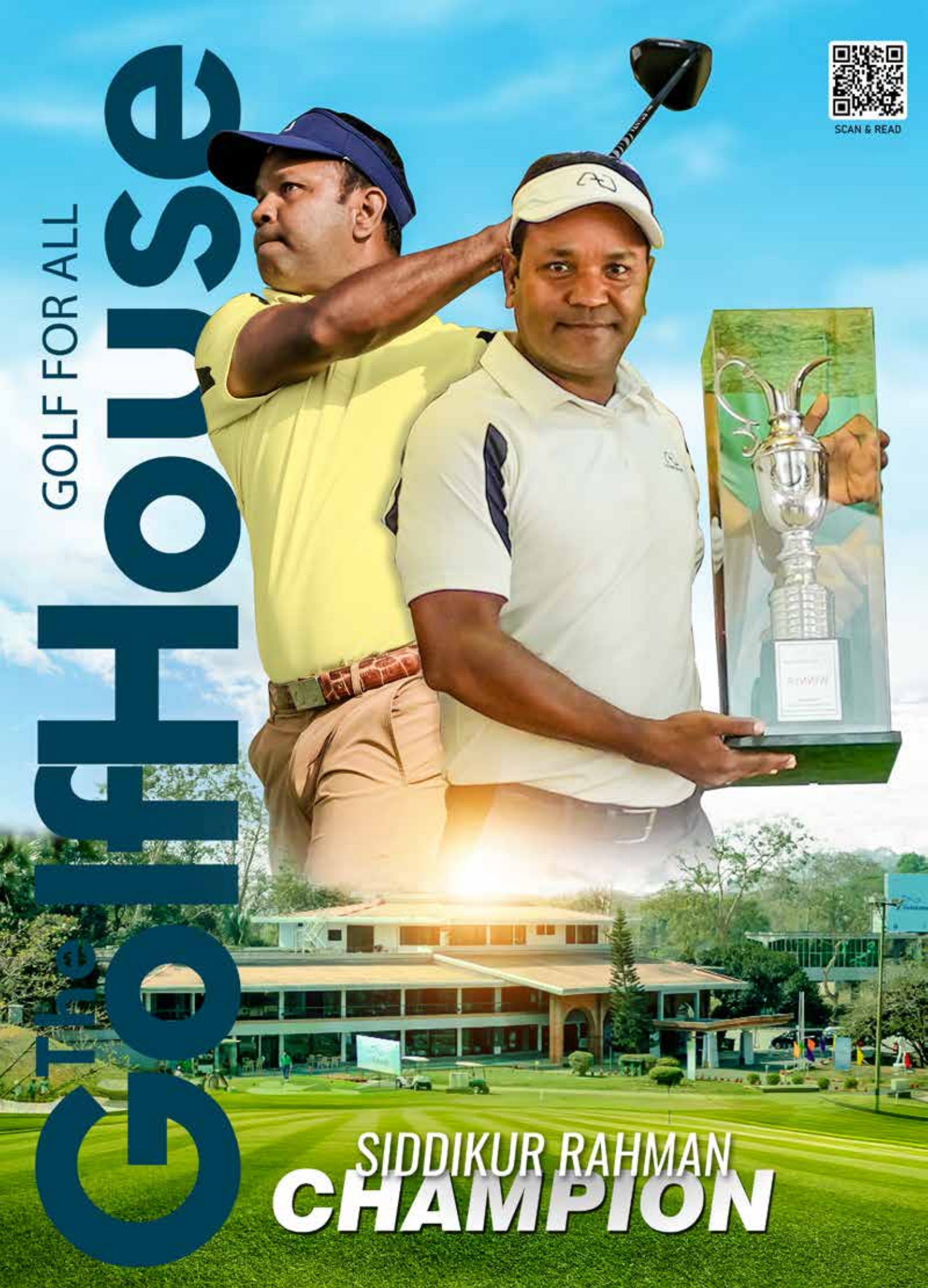

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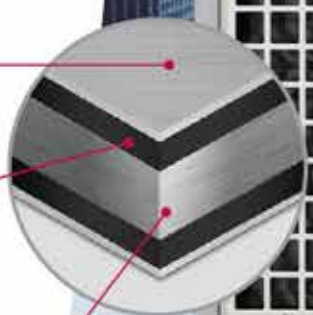

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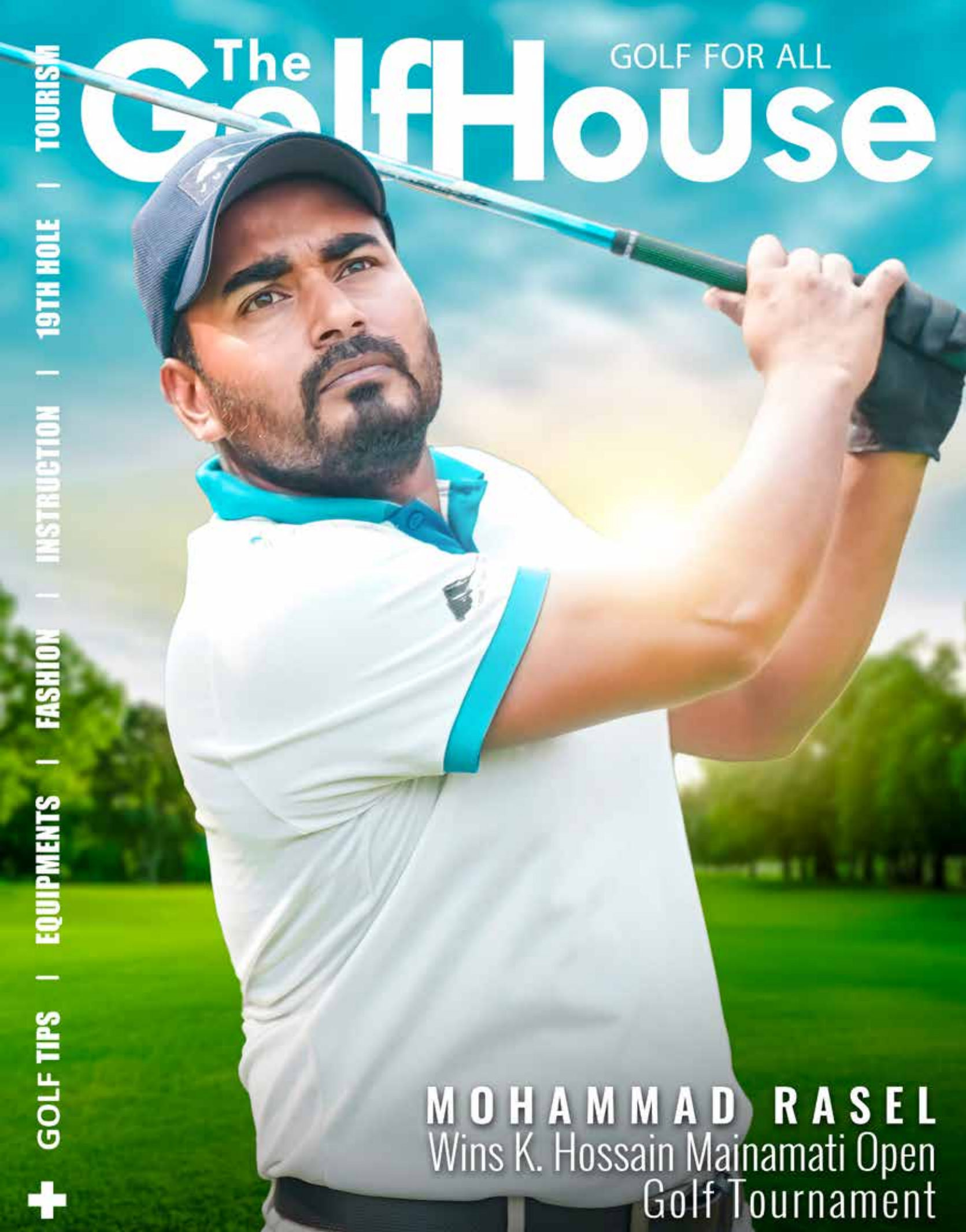

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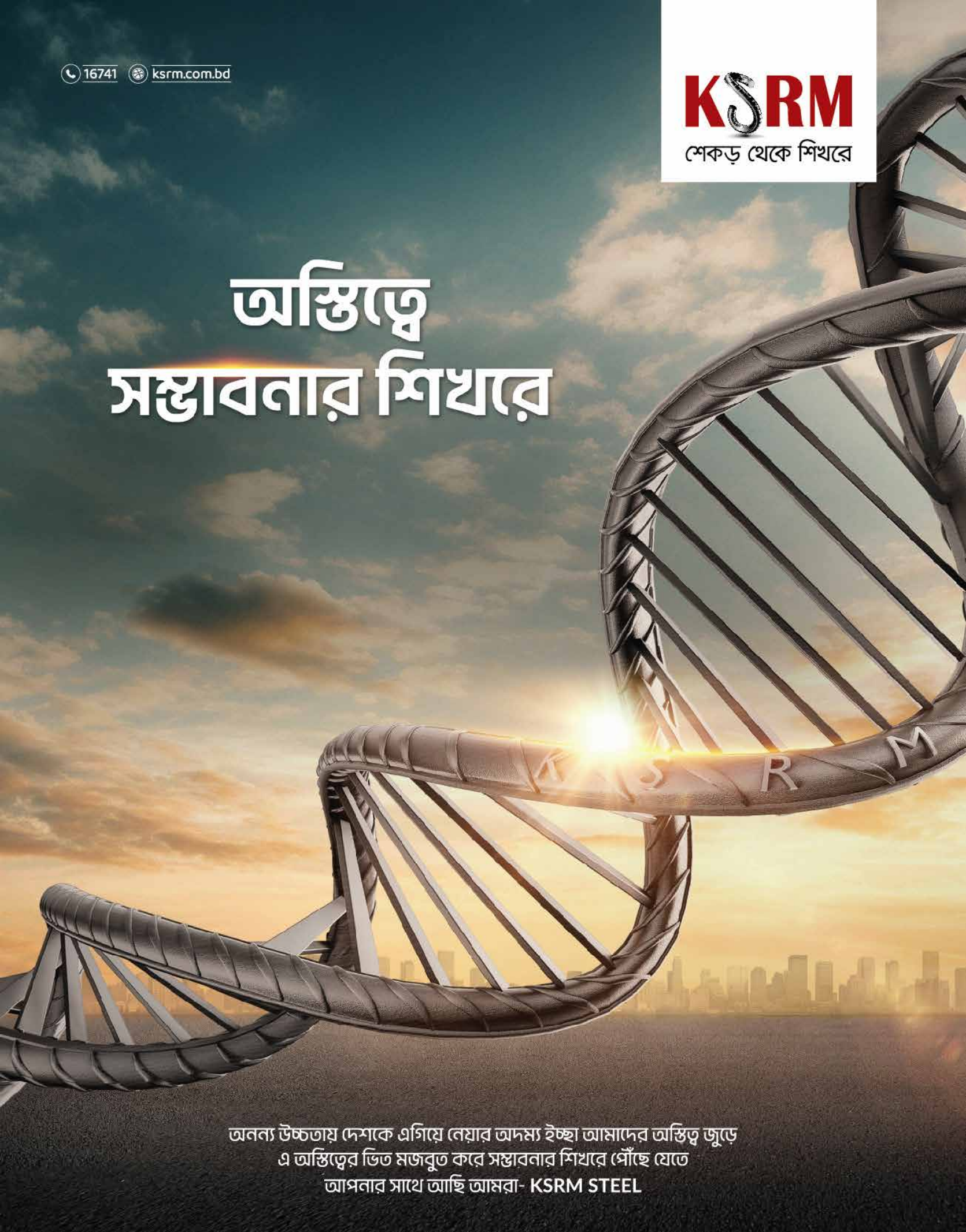

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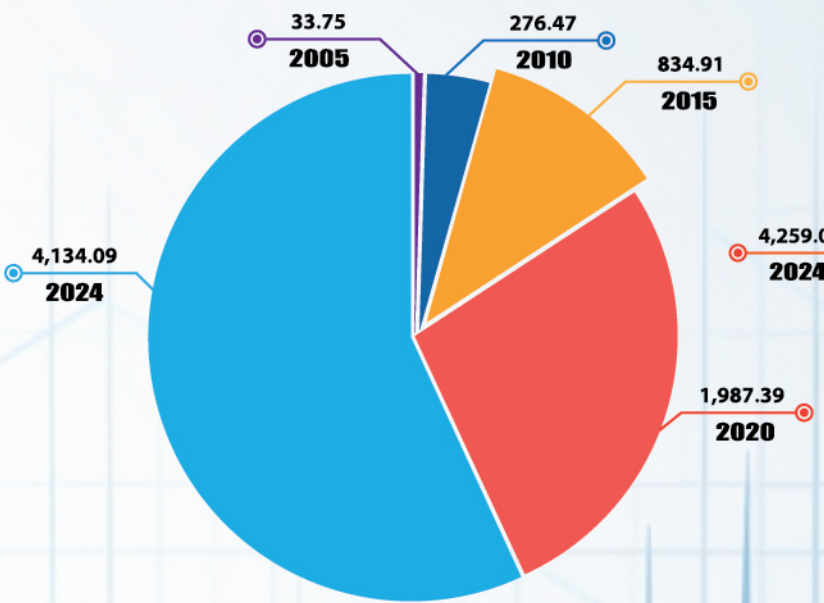

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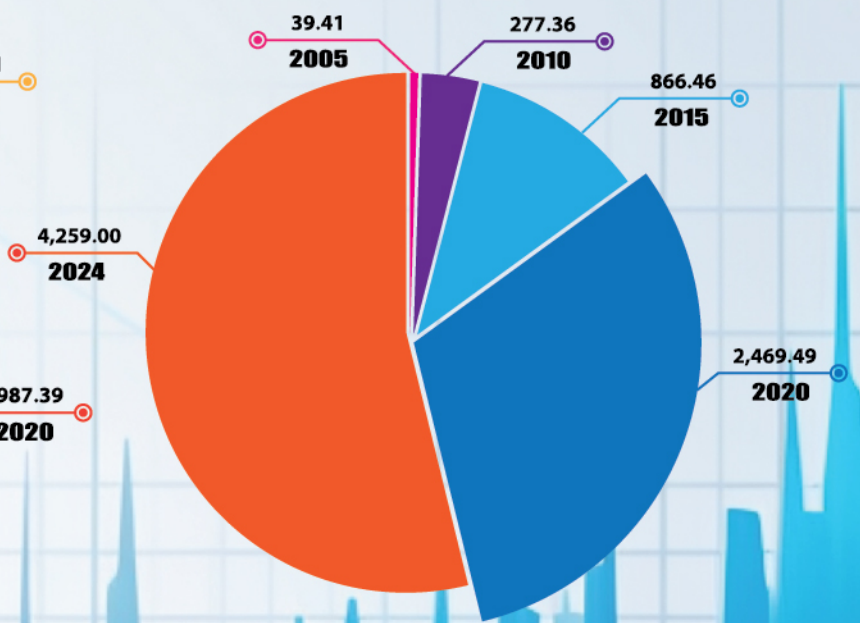

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EDITOR'S CHOICE



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Editor's Note

Dear readers,

March has been an exciting month for golf in Bangladesh, with prestigious tournaments showcasing remarkable talent and the sport's growing prominence. The 1st Radiant Invitational 2025 concluded with an exhilarating finale at Bhatiary Golf & Country Club, where Mohammad Siddikur Rahman demonstrated his experience and resilience to claim victory. The tournament reinforced Bangladesh's rising stature in professional golf. Meanwhile, the 1st CA Bangladesh Cup Golf Tournament 2025 at Cox's Bazar Golf & Country Club brought together professionals and enthusiasts, highlighting the increasing corporate engagement in the sport.

This edition also features an exclusive interview with Gazi Sanaul Hasan, a Supply & Demand Planner at Callaway Golf Europe. His journey from supply chain management to the fairways reflects a unique synergy between business strategy and golf precision. With deep insights into the global golf market, he shares his vision for expanding golf's reach in Bangladesh, emphasizing the importance of accessibility and corporate sponsorship.

Beyond these highlights, the month has been filled with thrilling competitions, including the 51st Aga Khan Gold Cup, the 10th Shah Cement-AKS Cup, and the NotreDamians' 1st Golf Tournament 2025. Each event contributes to the sport's evolution, fostering talent and strengthening the community around golf.

As Ramadan begins, the pace of golf naturally slows, offering a brief pause before the season resumes with renewed energy. Post-Ramadan, tournaments and events will once again take center stage, continuing the momentum built over the past months.

At TheGolfHouse, we remain committed to capturing the essence of the game, bringing exclusive stories, event coverage, and expert insights to our readers. March has set the tone for an exciting year, and we look forward to witnessing more milestones in Bangladesh's golfing journey.

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Condition & Maintenance
The club is known for its flawless upkeep. The fairways are lush and well-maintained, while the greens are fast and true, demanding precision from golfers. The club's commitment to top-tier maintenance ensures a premium playing experience year-round.

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Facilities & Amenities
Black Mountain is more than just a golf course—it's a full-fledged golf resort. The clubhouse is modern and well-equipped, featuring a pro shop stocked with premium gear. Golfers can enjoy multiple dining options with a mix of local and international cuisine. A state-of-the-art driving range and practice areas provide a great warm-up space before a round.

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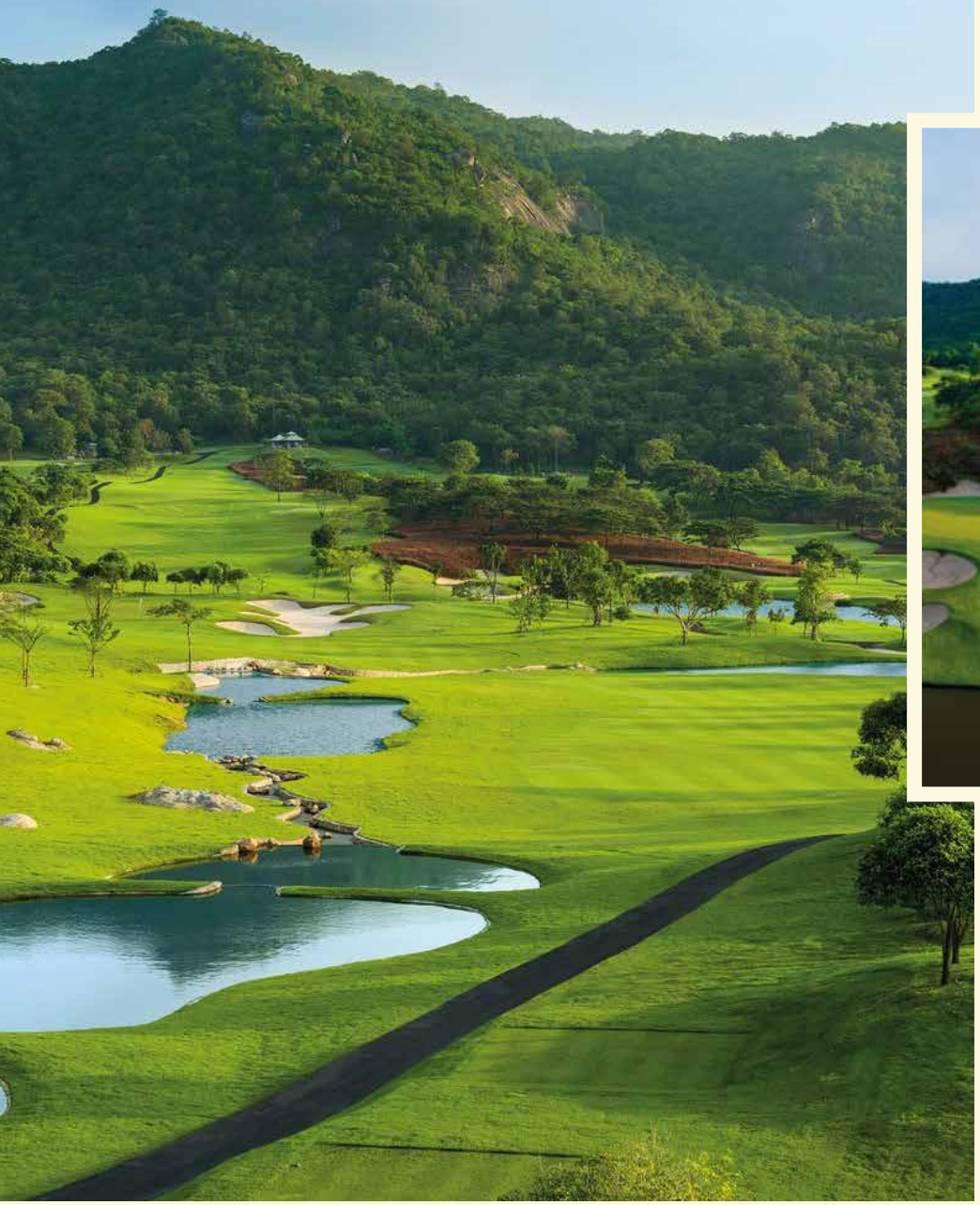



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One of the highlights of playing at Black Mountain is the exceptional caddie service. The caddies are experienced, professional, and knowledgeable, offering crucial advice on course strategy and green reading, enhancing the overall gameplay experience.

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Black Mountain has hosted several major professional tournaments, including events co-sanctioned by the Asian Tour and European Tour. It also holds the distinction of being the first Thai golf course included in Golf Digest's Top 100 Courses Outside the U.S.—a testament to its world-class quality.

Final Verdict
Black Mountain Golf Club delivers a perfect blend of challenge, luxury, and breathtaking scenery. Whether you're a professional, an amateur, or a golf tourist, this course offers an unforgettable experience. It stands as one of the best golf destinations in Asia, making it a must-play for any serious golfer visiting Thailand.

At a Glance

Location:
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Course Features:
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Caddie Services:
Experienced caddies providing valuable course insights

Tournaments & Recognition:
Hosted Asian & European Tour events; named in Golf Digest's Top 100 Courses Outside the U.S.

Overall Experience:
challenge, luxury, and natural beauty



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Siddikur secured the title with a total score of 212 (-4), delivering a brilliant final round of 68 to finish four strokes ahead of the competition. MdNooruzzaman finished second with 216 (Even Par), while MdRazu secured third place at 217 (+1). Other notable performances included MdFarhad at 219





> This tournament is a testament to the growing strength of professional golf in Bangladesh. We are committed to creating more opportunities for our golfers to compete and excel at the highest level.-President, BPGA

(+3) and MdRasel at 220 (+4).
After his victory, Siddikur Rahman shared his excitement, saying, "Winning this tournament means a lot to me.

The competition was intense, and I had to stay focused till the very end. I am grateful for the support from BPGA and Radiant Pharmaceuticals for organizing such a fantastic event. This victory will motivate me to push myself further and prepare for future challenges."
At the prize-giving ceremony, Major General MdMashudRazzaq (Retd.), President of BPGA, handed over the trophy to the champion. During his speech, he expressed his gratitude

> This tournament has once again showcased the incredible talent of our professional golfers.

to MusawathZahedee Avro, a Board Member of Radiant Pharmaceuticals Ltd., for organizing this tournament and supporting professional golf in Bangladesh.

"I thank Avro for organizing this plan. His contribution has been instrumental in making this tournament a success and in promoting professional golf in Bangladesh," he said.

He also mentioned his future plans for





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> The energy and excitement of this event show how much golf has grown in Bangladesh.

pro golfers, stating, “We have many plans to support our professional golfers beyond just organizing tournaments, and we are committed to their development.” MusawathZahedee, who was also present at the ceremony, played a key role in making the event a success. His efforts were widely appreciated as an important step in the growth of professional golf in Bangladesh.

The Bhatiary Golf & Country Club (BGCC) once again proved to be a fantastic venue, offering a challenging course that tested the players′ skills. The Radiant Invitational 2025 not only showcased top-tier performances but also reinforced the growing potential of professional golf in the country. With this successful edition, golf enthusiasts are eagerly looking forward to the next major tournament.





THE FUTURE OF BANGLADESHI GOLF:

MORE TOURNAMENTS MORE CHAMPIONS

Mohammad Siddikur Rahman has once again cemented his legacy as Bangladesh's most accomplished golfer. Displaying remarkable resilience, composure, and technical brilliance, he overcame a slow start to claim victory at the inaugural Radiant Invitational 2025. In this exclusive interview, Siddikur shares the mental strategies that powered his comeback, the defining shots that turned the game in his favor, and why he believes Bangladesh needs more golf tournaments to nurture future champions.

How does it feel to win the first-ever Radiant Invitational 2025?

First and foremost, I am grateful to the Almighty for this victory. At the start, it didn't seem likely that I would win, as my first round was far from ideal. However, I remained patient, improved my game over the next two rounds, and ultimately secured the championship. It was a fantastic experience—well-organized, highly competitive, and a true test of skill.

What were the biggest challenges you faced during the tournament?

The competition was fierce. The players behind me were performing exceptionally well, and my shaky first round put me at a disadvantage. I knew that if I didn't turn things around quickly, the road to victory would be even tougher.

At that point, self-talk became my greatest tool. I reminded myself of my strengths, focused on staying positive, and gradually built my momentum. This shift in mindset played a crucial role in regaining my confidence and getting back into contention.

What aspects of your game do you believe aspiring golfers can learn from?

One of my strongest assets is my ability to recover under pressure. For instance, on the final hole today, my second shot landed in the water. Many players would have let that affect their confidence, but I stayed calm. I knew my skill set and trusted my ability to make an up-and-down from 85 yards using my 60-degree wedge.

Executing that shot successfully reinforced an important lesson: believing in your strengths is crucial. Golf is as much a mental game as it is a technical one. If you stay confident in your abilities, you can overcome even the toughest situations.

How do you feel about the Radiant Invitational? Would you like to see more events like this?

Absolutely! Tournaments like this are essential for the growth of golf in Bangladesh. More competitions mean more opportunities for players to gain experience, refine their skills, and prepare for international events.

> The best way to support professional golfers isn't through grand plans—it's through action. More tournaments mean more opportunities, and that's exactly what Bangladeshi golf needs right now.
>
> – Siddikur Rahman

If we want to see Bangladeshi golfers succeed on the global stage, we need to create a stronger domestic circuit. The best way to do that is by organizing more tournaments. Exposure, financial backing, and competitive development will naturally follow. Thanks to Radiant and its management for taking this initiative and supporting professional golf in Bangladesh.

Were there any standout moments in your final round?
Yes! As I mentioned earlier, my second shot on the final hole ended up in

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the water, but I didn't let it rattle me. I remained composed, assessed the situation, and executed a perfectly controlled up-and-down from 85 yards using my 60-degree wedge.

That shot was a turning point and played a major role in securing my victory. It was a reminder that preparation and mental resilience go hand in hand in golf.

The BPGA President mentioned plans for the development of professional golfers through more tournaments. What are your thoughts?
If you ask me, the best way to support professional golfers isn't through grand plans—it's through action. Increasing the number of tournaments is the single most effective way to develop talent.

When players compete regularly, they gain experience, financial stability, and exposure. Everything else—sponsorships, international opportunities, and career growth—will naturally follow. If we want to take Bangladeshi golf to the next level, we simply need more tournaments.

Siddikur Rahman's victory at the Radiant Invitational 2025 is yet another testament to his skill, experience, and unwavering mindset. As Bangladesh's most decorated golfer, his insights offer a roadmap for aspiring players and a strong case for expanding professional golf tournaments in the country.

With more opportunities, Bangladesh has the potential to produce even more world-class golfers. Radiant Group's initiative is a crucial step in the right direction, and more such efforts will pave the way for the next generation of golf champions.







MOHAMMAD RASEL

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His closest competitor, Akbar Hossain, put up a spirited challenge but had to settle for second place with a total of 283 (-5), following rounds of 69-73-71-70. Meanwhile, MdDulal Hossain, who set the course alight with a stunning



> The event highlighted the growing competitiveness of Bangladeshi golfers, setting the stage for a brighter future in the sport.

opening round of 64, struggled to maintain momentum and finished third with 288 (E) after subsequent rounds of 76-70-78.

The tournament concluded with a grand prize-giving ceremony, where Major General AbulHasnat Mohammad Tariq, President of Mainamati Golf & Country Club, attended as the chief guest and presented the awards to the winners. Also present was Major General MdMashudRazzaq (Retd), President of BPGA, whose presence added to the significance of the event.

Expressing his joy after the victory, Mohammad Rasel acknowledged the growing competitiveness in Bangladeshi golf. "This victory means a lot to me, and I am grateful for the opportunity to compete at such a high level," he said.

The K. Hossain Mainamati Open 2025 once again highlighted the remarkable talent pool in Bangladesh's golfing scene, with players delivering impressive performances across all rounds. The tournament ended on a celebratory note, reinforcing the sport's increasing popularity and competitive spirit in the country.

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Displaying remarkable consistency and skill, Dil Mohammad dominated the competition, delivering an exceptional performance in the final round to secure the title. His ability to stay composed under pressure and execute strategic shots set him apart from the field, solidifying his reputation as one of the region's finest golfers.

> The course conditions were challenging, but that's what makes a great tournament—pushing players to bring out their best.

The three-day tournament challenged participants with tough course conditions and fierce competition, but Mohammad's unwavering determination ensured he maintained his lead until the very end. This win adds another prestigious title to his growing list of achievements.




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> This tournament was a true test of skill, patience, and perseverance. Competing against such talented golfers made the victory even more special.

In second place was [insert name], who put up a strong fight but couldn't surpass Mohammad's pace. [Insert name] secured the third position, rounding out the podium.

Following his victory, Dil Mohammad expressed gratitude to the organizers, fellow competitors, and sponsors, particularly SHARIF METAL, for their support in making the tournament a success.

"It's been an incredible experience competing at such a beautiful venue with so many talented golfers. I'm honored to take home the win," said Mohammad.

The BPGA commended the participants for their sportsmanship and praised Jolshiri Golf Club for its excellent hospitality, ensuring the event's success. The SHARIF METAL PROFESSIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT has firmly established itself as a key event in the regional golfing calendar and is expected to return with even greater enthusiasm in the coming years.

> Events like this elevate the sport, bringing together top talents and providing a platform to showcase golfing excellence.




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BRIDGING BUSINESS AND GOLF: GAZI SANAUL HASAN'S JOURNEY FROM SUPPLY CHAIN TO THE FAIRWAYS



Golf is more than just a game—it's a blend of precision, strategy, and discipline, much like the world of supply chain management. Gazi Sanaul Hasan, a Supply & Demand Planner at Callaway Golf Europe, has mastered the art of balancing both. With an in-depth understanding of global golf markets and an ever-growing passion for the sport, he has carved a unique space for himself in the industry. In this exclusive interview, Hasan shares insights into his career, his journey into golf, and his aspirations for the game's growth—especially in Bangladesh, his home country. From optimizing supply chains for top golf products to refining his swing on the course, his story is a testament to the power of dedication and adaptability.

Can you introduce yourself and your role at Callaway Golf Europe?
I'm Gazi Sanaul Hasan, currently serving as a Supply & Demand Planner at Callaway Golf Europe. My role involves managing SKU-level forecasting accuracy, ensuring alignment with revenue and margin objectives, and contributing to Sales & Operations Planning (S&OP) initiatives. I work closely with cross-functional teams across global markets to optimize supply chain efficiency and enhance market operations. I oversee supply and demand planning for key product categories, including Putters, Golf Balls, Packaging Sets, and Footwear across Europe. Some of the notable products I have worked on include the Ai One, Square to Square, DFX, Chipper, and Chrome Soft, ensuring their seamless availability in the market.

How did you first get into golf, and what inspired you to pursue it alongside your corporate career?
My introduction to golf happened through Callaway Golf Europe. Being part of a brand so deeply rooted in the sport naturally sparked my curiosity. Initially, it was just professional exposure, but over time, I became truly fascinated by the game's intricacies and strategic depth.

Golf embodies focus, patience, and precision—qualities that resonate with my corporate career. The lessons I learn on the course directly translate into my professional life, helping me stay composed under pressure, think strategically, and constantly improve. This synergy between my career and my passion for golf has fueled my deep admiration for the game.

> My professional journey with Callaway sparked a deep personal passion for golf— a sport that embodies focus, patience, and strategy.

What do you enjoy most about golf?
For me, golf is the perfect intersection of personal and professional growth. The sport challenges resilience, fosters adaptability, and provides a peaceful escape amidst nature. Whether it's perfecting a challenging shot or engaging in valuable networking on the course, golf always offers something meaningful.

What is your proudest golf accomplishment so far?
One of my proudest achievements was significantly improving my handicap in a short period. This milestone reflects my dedication, patience, and countless hours of practice. It was a rewarding experience that reinforced the importance of hard work, strategic thinking, and continuous improvement—values that golf and my corporate career share.

Has a lesson from golf ever helped you overcome a professional challenge?
Absolutely. Golf teaches adaptability and composure under pressure. There have been moments on the course where I had to adjust my strategy mid-game, whether due to weather conditions or unexpected shot outcomes.

This mindset has helped me in my professional role—when challenges arise in supply chain management, staying calm, assessing the situation, and making calculated adjustments is crucial. Golf has strengthened my ability to think strategically and embrace resilience in high-pressure situations.

How has working at Callaway Golf Europe shaped your perspective on the global golf industry?
Working at Callaway Golf Europe has given me an insider's view of how innovation, technology, and branding shape the golf industry. Beyond just being a sport, golf is a dynamic global business that fosters community engagement and market evolution.

From advancements in golf technology to analyzing market trends across different regions, I've gained a deep appreciation for how the sport inspires, connects, and grows. Being part of a brand committed to excellence has reinforced my belief in the transformative power of golf worldwide.

Balancing a corporate role with golf can be challenging. How do you manage your time?
Time management is key. I maintain a structured schedule, ensuring I balance my responsibilities at Callaway while making time for golf. Instead of just focusing on quantity, I emphasize quality practice sessions. Golf also serves as a mental refresh, helping me stay motivated and productive in my professional life.

"Golf bridges personal and professional growth, building resilience, adaptability, and offering a peaceful escape in nature."

As a Bangladeshi working abroad, how do you stay connected to the golfing community back home?
I stay engaged through social media, networking, and supporting golfing initiatives in Bangladesh. I follow local tournaments, connect with fellow Bangladeshi golf enthusiasts, and keep up with developments in the sport. Even from abroad, I remain committed to contributing to the growth and recognition of Bangladeshi golf.

> Improving my handicap quickly reinforced the power of hard work, strategy, and continuous learning.

How do you see golf evolving in Bangladesh? What steps can be taken to accelerate its growth?
Golf in Bangladesh is steadily growing, especially at the junior and amateur levels. However, for the sport to reach its full potential, accessibility must improve. Affordable infrastructure, grassroots programs in schools, and increased corporate sponsorships can play a vital role in making golf more inclusive and widespread.

Do you have any plans to contribute to the development of golf in Bangladesh?
Yes, absolutely. I aim to mentor aspiring golfers, sharing insights from both my corporate and golfing experiences. I also plan to collaborate with local golf clubs and organizations to introduce training programs and knowledge-sharing initiatives.

What advice would you give to aspiring Bangladeshi golfers who want to balance the sport with their careers?
See golf as a complement to your professional growth. Dedicate time to practice, leverage networking opportunities the game offers, and apply the lessons learned on the course to tackle challenges in your career. The discipline and strategy you develop through golf will benefit you in all areas of life.

What is your vision for Bangladeshi golf on a global stage, and how do you see yourself contributing?
I envision Bangladesh emerging as a competitive force in global golf, with talented players competing in international tournaments. My role in this vision is to mentor, advocate, and support initiatives that promote golf at a larger scale. By being an ambassador for the sport, I hope to help position Bangladesh as an emerging hub for passionate golfers.

Finally, what message would you like to share with the global golfing community about Bangladesh?
Bangladesh is a country filled with untapped golfing talent and immense potential. The passion for golf is growing, and with global collaboration, investment, and development, Bangladesh has the ability to make a significant mark on the sport. To the international golfing community, I say: keep an eye on Bangladesh—there's great talent on the rise!

STEPS TO HIT A FINESSE WEDGE SHOT

Pitch shots are essential for lowering your scores and making up and down around the greens, finesse wedge shots in particular give you an extra edge on spin, contact, loft and precision. It's a vital part of your game and with the right steps you can save par from anywhere!



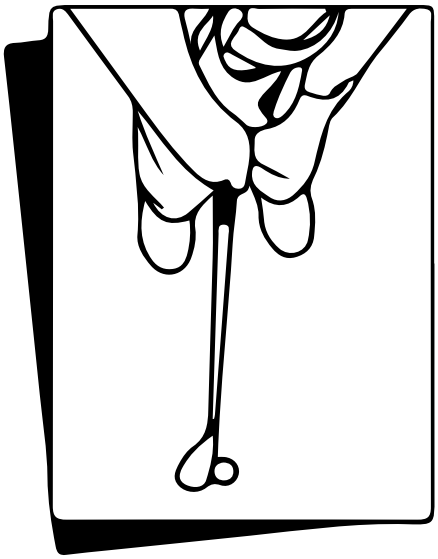
STEP 1: SETUP FOR SUCCESS

- Stance : Feet slightly narrower than shoulder-width apart minimal knee flex, you want to comfortable and balanced throughout the shot.
- Weight Distribution: 60% on the lead foot with our sternum forward to encourage a more downward strike and maintain our low-point in front of the ball.



STEP 1: SETUP FOR SUCCESS

- Left heel would be ideal, this will influence the strike and create a steeper angle of attack. Ball position plays a key role in the setup as it will aid you to create the ideal wedge shot.



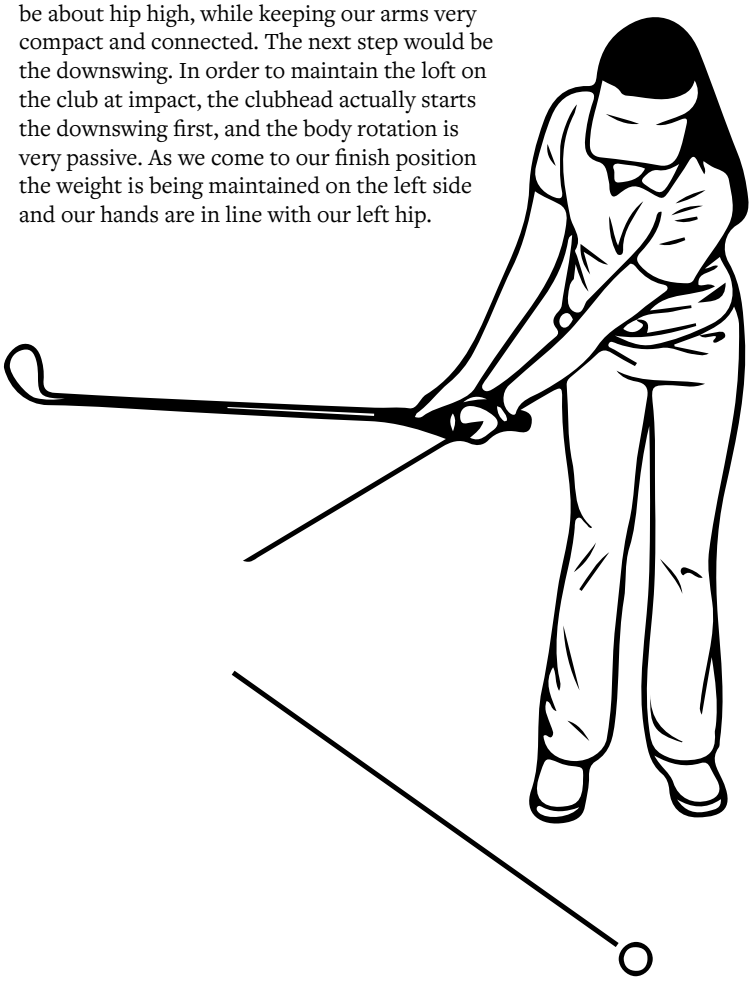
STEP 4: CLUBFACE AND HAND POSITION

- Clubface slightly open at address to create a higher launch and a steeper landing angle. The primary factor for this finesse shot to work is positioning the hands more to the trail side/trail leg and gaining loft at setup.



STEP 4: SWING

- Very minimal use of the wrist during the backswing, the goal is for our swing length to be about hip high, while keeping our arms very compact and connected. The next step would be the downswing. In order to maintain the loft on the club at impact, the clubhead actually starts the downswing first, and the body rotation is very passive. As we come to our finish position the weight is being maintained on the left side and our hands are in line with our left hip.



One thing I strongly believe is that clubhead speed is not the most important factor to create spin around the greens. The focus should be on a consistent setup and solid contact which will create reliable spin and trajectory on your wedge shots. A great way to test your contact is to hit wedge shots off a downhill lie!

TURKISH LAMB PILAU

Ingredients

- 1/4 cup pine nuts
- 1lb lamb neck fillet, 1″ cubes
- 1 yellow onion, halved and sliced
- 2 cloves garlic, crushed
- 2 tbsp olive oil
- 1 tsp ground cinnamon
- 2 cups basmati rice
- 500ml vegetable stock
- 1 cup dried apricots, chopped
- Salt and pepper
- 1/2 cup chopped fresh mint

DIRECTIONS

1. Toast the pine nuts in a small pan over low heat until lightly browned. Set them aside.

2. Heat the olive oil in a large pan over medium heat and add the onions and cook down until softened and lightly browned. Add the garlic and cinnamon and cook for one minute. (Note: add more oil if the pan is too dry)

3. Add the lamb pieces to the pan and brown on all sides.

4. Add the rice to the pan and stir to coat the grains of rice with oil. Stir in the stock, apricots, season with salt and pepper and bring to a boil. Cover and simmer for 15-20 minutes or until rice is cooked through and stock is absorbed.

5. Taste and season again with salt and pepper as needed.

6. Stir in toasted pine nuts and fresh chopped mint.

7. Garnish with extra chopped mint and enjoy!

*This dish is available at Renaissance Dhaka Gulshan Hotel.







"Success in golf depends less on strength of body than upon strength of mind and character."

– Arnold Palmer

GOLF SHOTS
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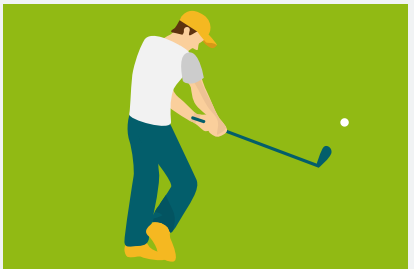
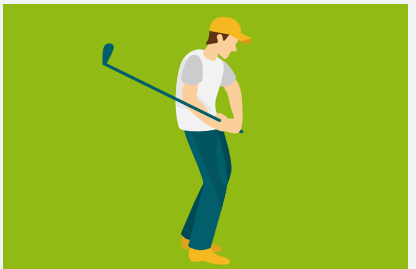


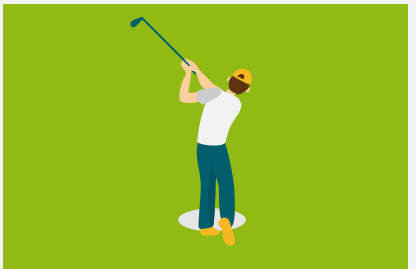
HIT UP ON THE BALL

You can gain more yardage when you tee the ball high enough as this reduces the backspin. Keep your hips centered over your feet and your torso slightly tilted away from the target. The angle will help you achieve the upper attack angle with your shoulders.



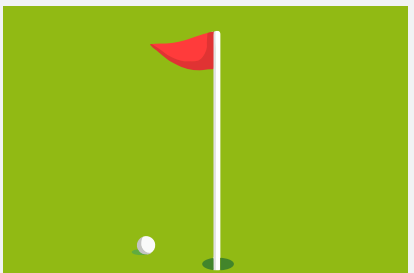
INCREASE YOUR SPEED

The driving distance is determined by your speed. Once you develop your physical strength and skills with the help of a golf fitness expert, learn the right moves to maximize your speed without losing too much control from a PGA professional.



FIX CLUB PATH

With some changes in your delivery technique, you can hit the ball farther. You don't need to change the swing speed of the club to gain more distance off the tee. For example, add more yardage by altering the steep and fade delivery technique to shallow and draw.



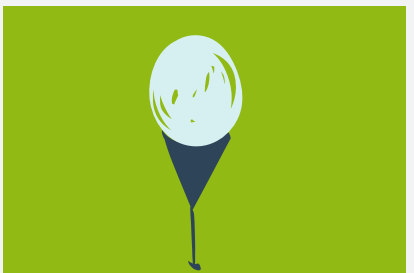
INCREASE LOFT

An appropriate driver loft can help you get more distance. An amateur golfer can benefit by using a 12-degree loft or more. Depending on your delivery techniques and swing speed skills, your coach can help you determine the correct driver loft.



REPLACE OLD GRIPS

When you have old worn-out grips on the club, you'll need to hold it tighter. This can reduce your swing speed, swing length, and control when hitting the ball. Replacing the grips with new ones can give you instant improvement in your driving distance.



CHANGE YOUR BALL

Premium golf balls are excellent choices when you want all-around performance. But when it comes to gaining more distance off the tee, get a golf ball with a bigger core or switch down to a low compression ball instead to gain extra yardage



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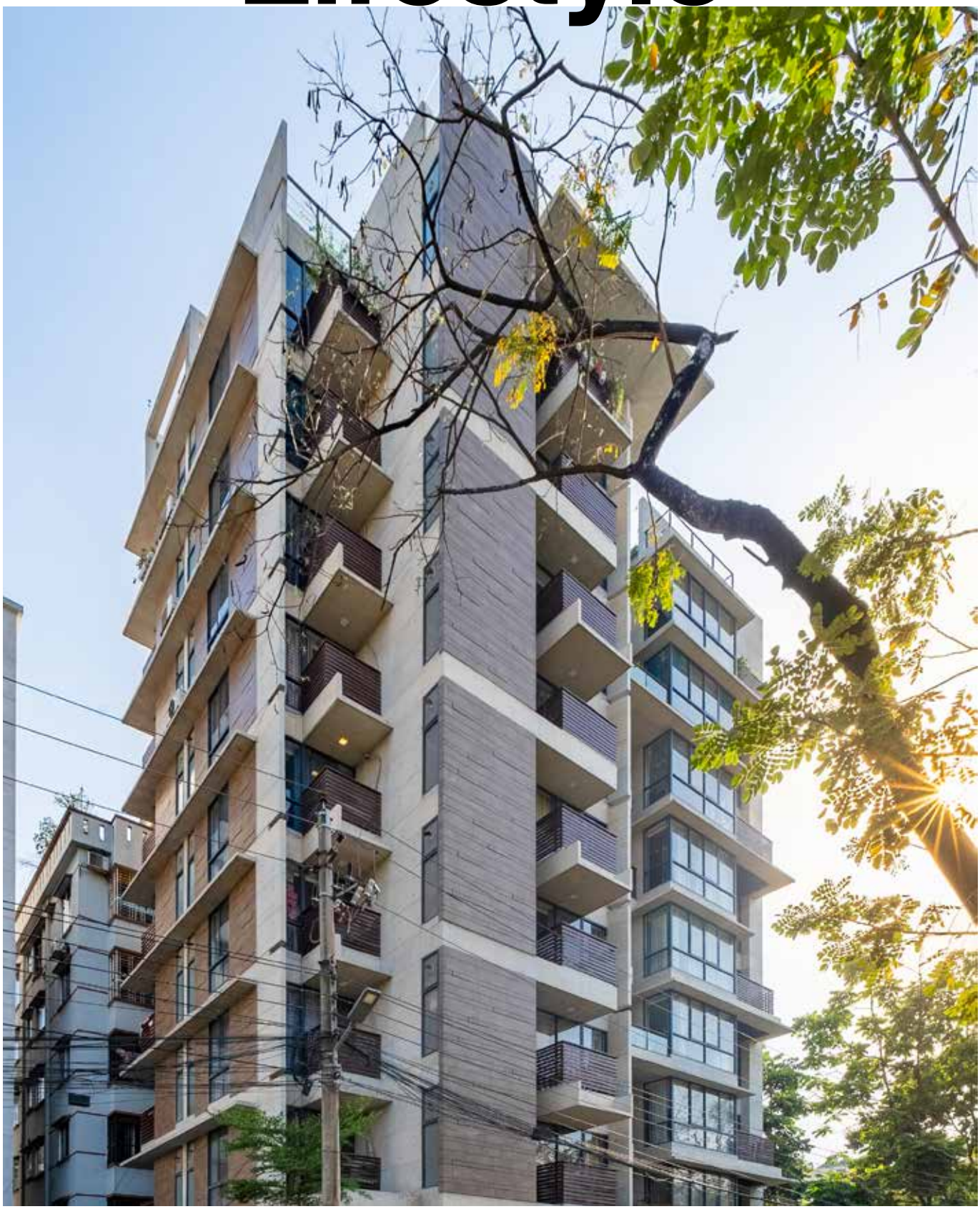

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COUNTRY HOUSE: A STATEMENT OF ELEGANCE, COMFORT, AND CONTEMPORARY LIVING

Amidst the ever-expanding urban fabric of Dhaka, where space is a luxury and architectural character is often overshadowed by sheer functionality, Country House stands as an embodiment of modern elegance and refined living. Nestled in the serene setting of Afroza Begum Road, Bashundhara Residential Area, Dhaka, this striking residential development seamlessly integrates architectural sophistication with the comforts of a well-designed home. It is a project that exudes a distinct character, where each architectural detail has been thoughtfully curated to blend harmoniously with its surroundings.

Designed by Maverick Eye Architects, Country House reflects an ethos of timeless modernism, where functionality meets artistic expression. The building, resting on a 6 Katha (4,320 sq. ft.) plot, overcomes spatial constraints through a masterfully crafted layout that enhances openness and fluidity. Its north-facing orientation not only ensures uninterrupted vistas of the surrounding landscape but also allows for an abundance of natural light to permeate through expansive glass windows. The interplay of openness and privacy has been meticulously balanced, creating an ambiance that is both inviting and energy-efficient.

One of the most remarkable aspects of Country House is its relationship with its environment. While Dhaka's dense urban sprawl often restricts residential views and air circulation, this project successfully preserves







a sense of openness. Large glass windows and thoughtfully designed terraces extend the visual connection between the interior spaces and the external surroundings, offering a living experience that feels expansive rather than confined. The architectural form embraces a clean, modernist aesthetic, defined by sleek lines, well-balanced proportions, and a refined material palette that exudes warmth and sophistication.

The exterior of Country House presents an exemplary display of contemporary material selection and meticulous detailing. A striking combination of exposed concrete, textured wood-toned ceramic tiles and railings as well as expansive glass surfaces defines the building's character, achieving a balance between robustness and elegance. The honest, raw aesthetic of fair-faced concrete lends the building a sense of modern timelessness, while the textured ceramic tiles& rails, reminiscent of natural wood, introduce warmth without compromising durability. These materials, carefully juxtaposed, create a dynamic interplay of light and shadow, making the façade visually captivating throughout the day.

Adding to its sculptural presence, the building features a series of cantilevered balconies that punctuate its façade with depth and dimension. These recessed balconies, adorned with horizontal wooden louvers, serve as both aesthetic and functional elements, providing privacy while facilitating natural ventilation. The extended roof slab at the top further enhances the building's distinctive silhouette, acting as both an architectural statement and a shading device for the terraces below. These design features come together to create a sense of fluidity, allowing the structure to breathe within its urban setting.

Originally conceptualized as a premium residential building for upper-middle-class buyers, Country House was envisioned as a distinguished address for those seeking a modern living experience in the heart of the city. However, as the project progressed, the developer, Country House BD Ltd., became so captivated by its final outcome that a bold decision was made—to retain the building for personal use instead of putting the apartments on the market. This shift underscores the exceptional quality, architectural integrity, and livability of the design. Now, what was once a commercially driven project has transformed into an exclusive private residence, where the developer has chosen to live while leasing out the remaining apartments. This decision is a testament to the project's success—not just as a piece of architecture, but as a home that fosters comfort and a deep sense of belonging.

Beyond its striking façade, the interiors of Country House are a study in thoughtful luxury. Open-plan living spaces, high ceilings, and strategically placed openings create an atmosphere of lightness and fluidity. The terraces and balconies seamlessly extend from the indoor areas, providing much-needed green pockets in Dhaka's fast-paced urban environment. Each apartment is designed to foster a sense of privacy while remaining interconnected within the larger architectural narrative. Unlike many high-density residential developments that prioritize sheer volume, Country House places a greater emphasis on quality over quantity,





ensuring that each residence is a sanctuary rather than just another unit in a vertical stack.
Sustainability has been a key consideration in the design process, with features such as passive cooling techniques, energy-efficient glazing, and rainwater harvesting systems incorporated into the project. These elements ensure that the building remains environmentally responsible while also offering long-term cost benefits to its residents. In an era where urban developments are often dictated by commercial gains, Country House sets itself apart by embracing a more human-centric approach—where comfort, design, and sustainability come together seamlessly.

Luxury, in its truest sense, is defined by details, and Country House epitomizes this philosophy through its understated yet highly refined material selection and craftsmanship. From the moment one steps into the entryway, there is an immediate sense of exclusivity and warmth. The common areas are designed to be both welcoming and sophisticated, setting the tone for the living experience within. The rooftop garden, a rare feature in residential buildings of



this scale, offers a tranquil retreat where residents can unwind, entertain guests, or simply take in the panoramic cityscape. A small yet elegantly designed guest lounge at the entrance ensures that visitors feel a sense of hospitality from the very first interaction.

As Dhaka's urban landscape continues to evolve, developments like Country House redefine what it means to live in a modern metropolis. This is not just another high-rise—it is a carefully conceived architectural statement that harmonizes with its surroundings while elevating the lives of its residents. At a time when real estate projects are often reduced to numbers and timelines, Country House is a rare example of a project born from passion, vision, and an unwavering commitment to quality. Architecture, at its best, is not merely about constructing buildings—it is about creating spaces that enhance the way people live. Country House embodies this philosophy, standing as a beacon of refined urban living. It is a residence that transcends its physical form, offering an experience that is both intimate and grand, modern yet timeless. For those who appreciate architecture that speaks to the soul, Country House is not just a home—it is a statement of sophisticated living in the heart of Dhaka.

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A Spectacular Inauguration
The grand opening on February 22, 2025, was a testament to Oppein's global stature, featuring an elegant ribbon-cutting ceremony and a showcase of its design excellence. The event was graced by distinguished guests, including Managing Director Mr. Mohsin Khan, Directors Mr. Humayun Khan, Mr. Mohibullah, and Mr. Mohtasim Al Rafid (Design Director), along with Mr. Mohammed Omar Faruq (Studio Director) and Mr. Vincent, Oppein's Asia Manager.

Global Legacy, Local Presence
Founded in 1994, Oppein has become a leader in home décor, offering high-quality kitchen cabinets, wardrobes, bathroom vanities, interior doors, and furniture across 118+ countries. Its 5,000 sq. ft. showroom in Dhaka provides an immersive experience for homeowners and designers, showcasing the latest trends in home interiors.

Commitment to Quality & Sustainability
Oppein's entry is not just about expansion but a promise of superior craftsmanship and sustainability. The brand prioritizes eco-friendly materials and sustainable manufacturing, ensuring that its products enhance aesthetics while contributing to a greener future.

Blending Global Excellence with Local Culture
Understanding Bangladesh's unique design preferences, Oppein tailors its offerings to align with local tastes, creating a fusion of international expertise and indigenous creativity. This approach ensures that Bangladeshi homeowners get world-class interior solutions suited to their lifestyles.

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BLENDING GLOBAL INNOVATION WITH LOCAL ELEGANCE, OPPEIN REDEFINES HOME INTERIORS IN BANGLADESH.

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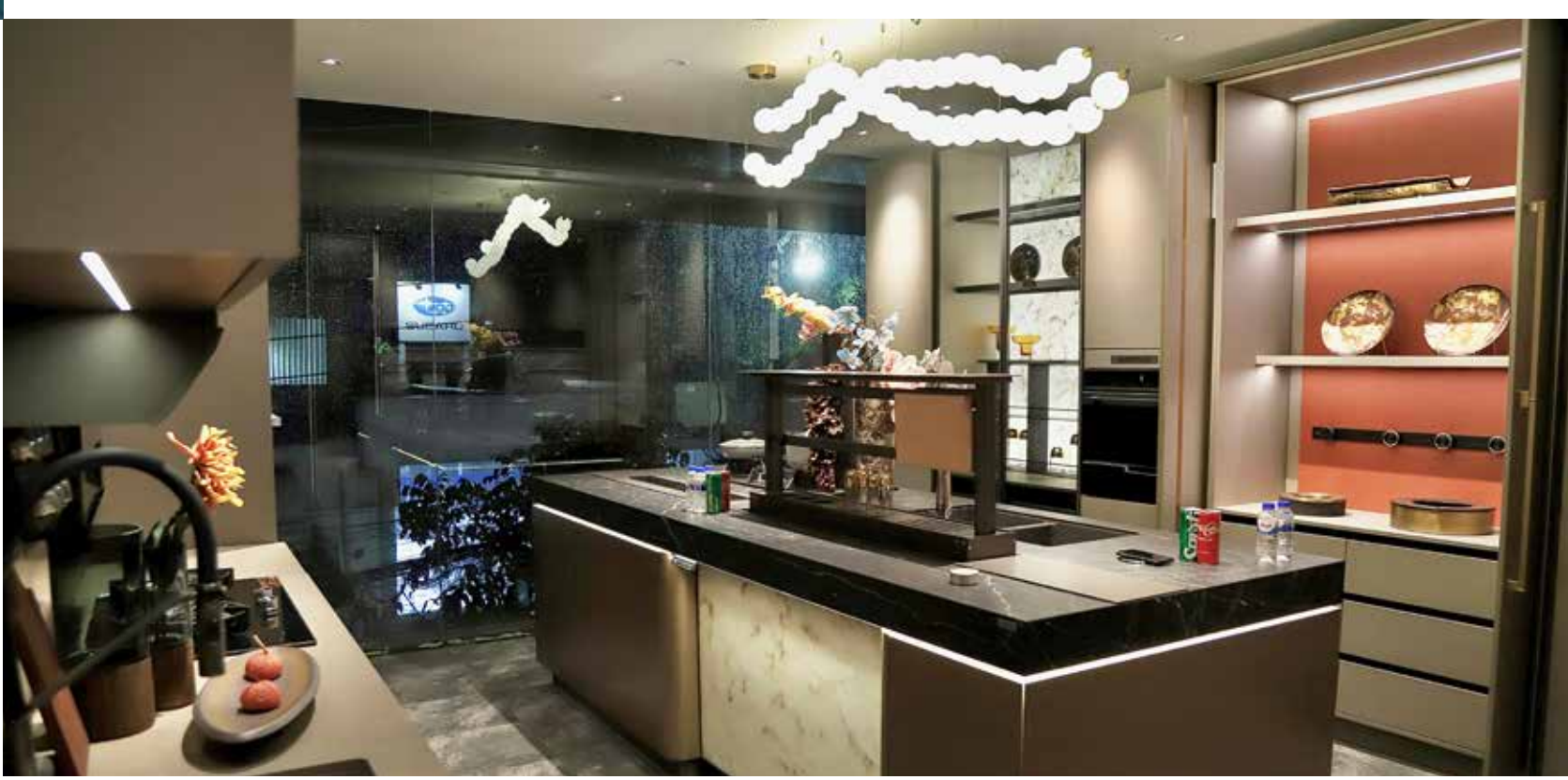
With plans to expand nationwide, Oppein aims to collaborate with local designers and architects, fostering innovation in the home décor industry. This initiative will make premium interior solutions more accessible, setting a new benchmark for quality and design in Bangladesh.

Oppein's arrival marks the beginning of a new era in home interiors, offering unparalleled sophistication, functionality, and sustainability to Bangladeshi homes.



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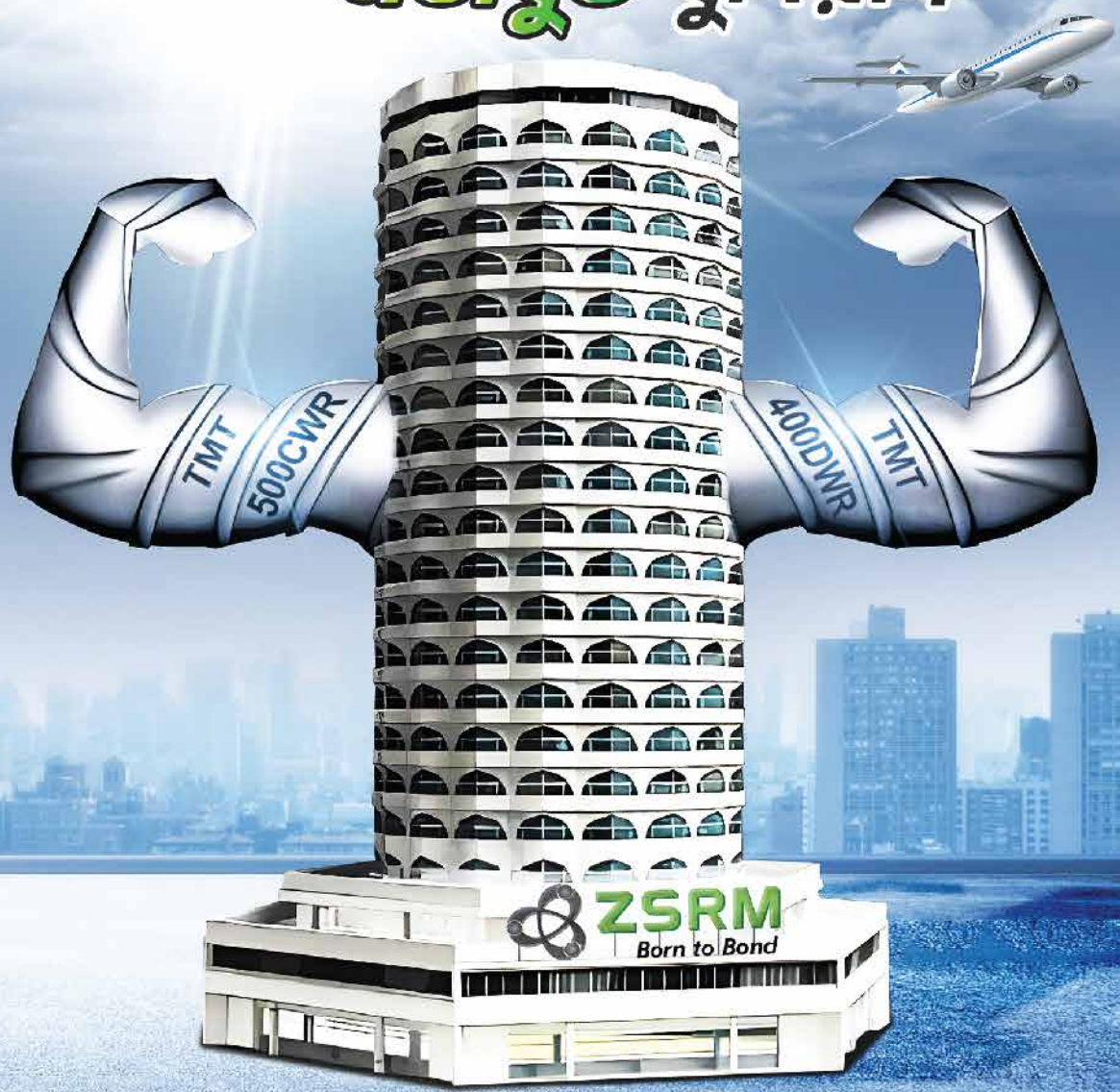

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Why the BAIC BJ40 is Perfect for Bangladesh:

Superior Off-Road Performance

The BJ40 is built with an advanced four-wheel-drive (4WD) system, high ground clearance, and a strong suspension setup, making it perfect for flooded streets, muddy rural roads, and hilly areas like Chattogram and Sylhet. It features:

- High ground clearance (215mm+): Ensures smooth driving over speed bumps, potholes, and waterlogged roads.
- Locking differentials & 4WD system: Provides superior grip and control on uneven and slippery surfaces.
- Approach & Departure Angles: Optimized for steep inclines and rough terrains.

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The BJ40 comes with a turbocharged engine that delivers ample power for both city and highway driving. The engine options typically include:

- The 2.0L Petrol Turbo GDI Engine equipped with ZG 8 speed transmission kicks out 160kW@5500r/min with 380 Nm Torque producing around 225 hp.

These engines offer excellent performance for long-distance travel, highway overtaking, and off-road adventures while maintaining good fuel efficiency.

Built to Last: Rugged and Durable

The BJ40 is inspired by military vehicles, ensuring rugged durability. With its reinforced steel body, roll cage, and robust chassis, it is built to withstand Bangladesh's challenging roads and unpredictable weather conditions.

- Water-resistant body: Handles monsoon seasons effectively.
- Rust-proof underbody protection: Ideal for flood-prone areas.
- Removable Roof Panels: Adds a fun and adventurous element for leisure driving.

4. Comfortable & Feature-Packed Interior

Despite its ruggedness, the BAIC BJ40 offers a comfortable and modern cabin. Features include:

- Touchscreen infotainment system with Apple CarPlay& Android Auto.
- Premium leather seats & spacious interior.
- Climate control & rear AC vents for comfort in hot and humid weather.
- Smart safety features: Anti-lock Braking System-ABS, Electrnoic Brake



Force Distribution- EBD, Electronic Parking Brake-EPB, Electronic Stability Program-
ESP, Emergency Brake Assist- EBA, Traction Control System- TCS, Hill Descent Control, and multiple airbags.

5. Affordability & Value for Money

Compared to other off-road SUVs like the Toyota Land Cruiser Prado or Jeep Wrangler, the BJ40 offers similar off-road capabilities at a much more affordable price. This makes it a great value for customers looking for a tough, stylish, and capable SUV without breaking the bank.

Exterior Styling:
The styling on the BJ40 Plus is bold & unapologetic. This SUV knows how to command attention wherever it goes & is made for those who don't accept the norm.

The dynamic design is complemented by aggressive bumpers, wheel arches & stylish 17 inch alloy wheels. The bold 5-slot grill is unmistakable which seeks audience wherever the BJ40 Plus finds itself.



> The BAIC BJ40 Plus, a powerful off-road SUV, is an ideal choice for the country's roads. Combining military-grade durability, modern features, and excellent off-road capabilities.



The removable roof & panels mean that you can go topless when the mood strikes. The large windows & the wind screen make for great visibility whatever the landscape.

Interior, Comfort & Convenience:
As amazing as the BJ40 Plus is on the outside, the style continues inside this SUV.Far from functional, the style is simple & bold with a host of features to make you feel as good on the inside as you look on the outside. Dual zone air conditioner, adjustable seats, front & rear with 6 speaker entertainment system with AM/FM/MP5 and so on functionality, Bluetooth & USD port means that you feel and look cool weather you are rocking the city streets rock-climbing in the great outdoors.

Conclusion:
With its off-road capability, durable build, powerful engine, and modern features, the BAIC BJ40 is a perfect fit for Bangladesh. Whether you need a reliable SUV for daily commuting, exploring rural areas, or embarking on off-road adventures, the BJ40 delivers power, performance, and comfort.

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NOTREDAMIANS' 1ST GOLF TOURNAMENT 2025
CONCLUDES SUCCESSFULLY AT KURMITOLA GOLF CLUB

The much-anticipated NotreDamians' 1st Golf Tournament 2025 successfully concluded today at Kurmitola Golf Club (KGC), Dhaka, with a day of thrilling competition and remarkable displays of sportsmanship. The tournament brought together enthusiastic golfers across different categories, showcasing their exceptional skills on the green.

The Prize Giving Ceremony was graced by Air Chief Marshal Hasan Mahmood Khan, Chief of Air Staff, who attended the event as the Chief Guest. He presented the awards to the tournament winners and commended



NotreDamians' 1st Golf Tournament 2025 Unites Golf Enthusiasts for a Day of Sportsmanship and Competition



the participants for their outstanding performances.

The tournament was organized to celebrate the power of education and wisdom with ethical values, reflecting the core philosophy of NotreDamians. The event was made possible through the support of esteemed sponsors. City Bank was the Lead Sponsor, while Western Group, Accfintax, Nagar Design, Intercontinental, Long Beach Hotel, IDLC, and ATN Bangla joined as Co-Sponsors.





Speaking at the event, Air Chief Marshal Hasan Mahmood Khan praised the initiative, emphasizing the significance of such tournaments in fostering camaraderie, discipline, and a passion for golf among enthusiasts. He congratulated the winners and appreciated the organizers for their efforts in making the event a grand success.

The tournament concluded with a celebratory gathering, where players, sponsors, and dignitaries shared their experiences and expressed their enthusiasm for the next edition of the NotreDamians' Golf Tournament. The success of this inaugural event has set the stage for future tournaments, further strengthening the golfing community in Bangladesh.

Exceptional Talent on Display as Golfers Secure Victories Across Various Competitive Categories





NotreDamians' Golf Tournament Concludes with Enthusiasm, Setting the Stage for Future Sporting Excellence

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Lt Gen Abdul Hafiz (34)
Runner-up (Senior)
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Maj Golam Sakir (45)
2nd Runner-up (Regular)
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Best Gross (Regular)
Maj NazmulHaqueMadal (42)
Winner (Regular)
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Grand Prize Giving Ceremony Marks the Conclusion of NotreDamians' 1st Golf Tournament 2025



























Air Chief Marshal Hasan Mahmood Khan Honors Winners at the Prestigious Prize Giving Ceremony

A Moment of Celebration as Golfers Receive Awards for Their Remarkable Performances













15TH MOBIL CUP GOLF TOURNAMENT HELD AT KURMITOLA GOLF CLUB

The 15th Mobil Cup Golf Tournament has successfully concluded at Kurmitola Golf Club (KGC), bringing together approximately 650 golfers from across the country and beyond. The prestigious event witnessed participation from both local and international players, adding to the tournament's competitive spirit and grandeur.

The grand prize distribution ceremony took place at the poolside of KGC, where General Waker-Uz-Zaman, SBP, OSP, SGP, psc, Chief of Army Staff, Bangladesh Army, and President of Kurmitola Golf Club, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. He presented awards to the winners and commended the players for



> Golf Enthusiasts Gather as the Mobil Cup Showcases Skill, Precision, and Sportsmanship

Mobil Cup Golf Tournament Witnesses Intense Competition and Enthusiastic Participation

their dedication to the sport.

Among the distinguished guests were Lieutenant General Mohammad ShaheenulHaque, OSP, BSP, ndc, hdmc, psc, Commandant of the National Defence College and Vice President of KGC, and Mr. Azam J. Chowdhury, Managing Director of Mobil Jamuna Lubricants (MJL) Bangladesh PLC. Several high-ranking civil and military





officials, including Brigadier General MdTowhid Hossain, SGP, ndc, psc, Club Captain of KGC, Brigadier General Abidur Reza Khan (Retd), Tournament Director, Colonel MdShahidulHaque (Retd), Chief Executive Officer, and Colonel S M Sazzad Hossain, BSP, SPP, PPM, afwc, psc, Club Secretary, were also present at the event.

The tournament featured intense competition, with Brigadier General MdAmirul Islam Sikder emerging as the overall winner, while Air Commodore Munim Khan Majlish secured the

Mobil Cup Concludes with Exciting Matches and a Prestigious Award Ceremony





runner-up position. In the ladies' category, Mrs. Jin Sook Yoon claimed the top prize.

A large number of golf enthusiasts, high-ranking civil and military officials, and their spouses attended the tournament, making it a grand success. The Mobil Cup Golf Tournament continues to strengthen the golfing community in Bangladesh, reaffirming Kurmitola Golf Club's role in promoting the sport at the highest level.

Top Golfers Compete for Glory at the Mobil Cup, Highlighting Bangladesh's Growing Golf Scene



23RD SQUARE CUP GOLF TOURNAMENT

CULMINATES AT KURMITOLA

The 23rd Square Cup Golf Tournament 2025 concluded at Kurmitola Golf Club (KGC) with a grand prize-giving ceremony, marking the successful completion of the prestigious three-day event. The tournament, which saw the participation of approximately 650 golfers from various clubs across the country, including international players, was inaugurated by Lieutenant General Mizanur Rahman Shameem, BP, SBP, OSP, BAM, ndc, psc, Chief of General Staff, Bangladesh Army, who attended as the Chief Guest. The opening ceremony was held in the morning at KGC, where the tee-off was witnessed by esteemed dignitaries, including Lieutenant General Mohammad ShaheenulHaque, OSP, BSP, ndc, hdmc, psc, Commandant of the National Defence College and Vice President of Kurmitola Golf Club, Mr.



> The 23rd Square Cup Golf Tournament celebrated excellence, camaraderie, and the enduring spirit of the game at Kurmitola Golf Club.

Mizanur Rahman, Executive Director of Square Pharmaceuticals Ltd., Brigadier General MdTowhid Hossain, SGP, ndc, psc, Club Captain of KGC, Brigadier General Abidur Reza Khan (Retd.), Tournament Director of KGC, Colonel MdShahidulHaque (Retd.), Chief Executive Officer of KGC, and Colonel S M Sazzad Hossain, BSP, SPP, PPM, afwc, psc, Club Secretary of KGC. Also present were Prof. ShahinMahbubaHaque, Lady Captain of KGC, executive committee members, representatives from Square Group, high-ranking civil and military officials, and other distinguished guests. The tournament concluded with a grand awards ceremony, where Lieutenant General Mizanur Rahman Shameem once again graced the occasion as the Chief Guest, distributing prizes to the winners. The championship witnessed outstanding performances, with Mr. Sajidul Islam emerging as the Champion, Mr. Asif Sagir securing the Runner-up position, and Mrs. Jin Sook Yoon claiming the Ladies' Winner title.
The 23rd Square Cup Golf Tournament 2025 not only showcased competitive golfing excellence but also fostered camaraderie among participants, reinforcing Kurmitola Golf Club's reputation as a premier golfing destination in Bangladesh.



8TH RUNNER PRESIDENT CUP GOLF TOURNAMENT 2025

A Celebration of Skill and Unity

The 8th Runner President Cup Golf Tournament 2025 concluded on February 21 at the prestigious Kurmitola Golf Club in Dhaka Cantonment. Over the course of three action-packed days—from February 19 to 21—approximately 650 golfers, including both local and international participants, converged on the course to compete in one of the country's most anticipated golfing events.

The tournament's inauguration was marked by Lieutenant General Mohammad ShaheenulHaque, Commandant of the National Defence College and Vice President of the Kurmitola Golf Club, presided over the opening ceremony. His dignified presence, alongside a host of senior officials, underscored the event's



national significance and commitment to fostering sporting excellence.

The tournament attracted an impressive array of high-ranking officials whose contributions elevated the event's profile. Key figures such as Mr. Hafizur Rahman Khan, Chairman of the Runner Group; Brigadier General MdTowhid Hossain, serving as Club Captain; and Brigadier General Abidur Reza Khan (Retd), the Tournament Director, lent their expertise and support. Esteemed veterans from the Kurmitola Golf Club, including Colonel MdShahidulHaque (Retd) and Colonel S M Sazzad Hossain, played pivotal roles in ensuring the smooth conduct of the proceedings.

Throughout the three-day competition, the spirit of the game shone brightly as participants navigated challenging fairways and demanding courses. Each round of play was a testament to the players' dedication, strategy, and







The 8th Runner President Cup Golf Tournament was a grand celebration of skill, unity, and the unwavering passion for the sport.

passion for the sport. The event not only showcased emerging talents but also celebrated the rich tradition of golf, bringing together a diverse community united by a shared love for the game. The grand prize distribution held at the Banquet Hall of the Kurmitola Golf Club on the evening of February 21. General Waker-Uz-Zaman, Chief of Army Staff of the Bangladesh Army and President of the Kurmitola Golf Club, presided over the ceremony with an inspiring address that highlighted the tournament's competitive spirit and the collective pride of the nation.



In an atmosphere of jubilant celebration, the champions were honored for their exceptional performances:

Winner:
Mr. Sadekul Islam, whose commanding play set him apart as the undisputed champion.

Runner-Up:
Maj Gen A K M Sazedul Islam, recognized for his tactical prowess and resilience on the course.

Ladies Winner:
Mrs. Fatama Islam Lima, whose triumph resonated as a beacon of inspiration for aspiring female golfers.

Success of the 8th Runner President Cup Golf Tournament 2025 was evident not only in the quality of play but also in the sense of community and camaraderie that permeated the event. With its blend of competitive spirit, distinguished leadership, and a welcoming atmosphere for families and supporters, the tournament set a high benchmark for future editions.

As the curtains fell on this memorable event, organizers and participants alike looked forward to building on this legacy of excellence ensuring that the sport of golf continues to flourish in Bangladesh, both as a competitive arena and a unifying cultural celebration.

> Kurmitola Golf Club witnessed an extraordinary showcase of talent and camaraderie, as golfers competed with precision, perseverance, and sportsmanship.





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The 10th KSRM Golf Tournament was held in a colorful and festive atmosphere at the Bhatiari Golf and Country Club in Chattogram. A total of 158 golfers, including women, participated in this prestigious tournament, which was inaugurated on Friday morning.

For the occasion, the golf club was beautifully decorated. The opening ceremony was graced by Brigadier General Rezaul Karim, the Station Commander of Chattogram Cantonment and Vice President (Administration & Finance) of Bhatiari Golf and Country



10th Edition of KSRM Golf Tournament Celebrates Sportsmanship and Excellence

Club, as the chief guest.
Among the distinguished guests were Md. Jasim Uddin, Director (Sales & Marketing) of KSRM, Colonel (Retd.) Md. Ashfaqul Islam, General Manager of the Business Research & Development Wing, Major (Retd.) Md. Mokaddes Hossain, Executive Officer of Bhatiari Golf and Country Club, Mizanul Islam, Media Advisor of KSRM, and Saiful Alam Chowdhury, Legal Advisor of KSRM.

The closing ceremony was also presided over by Brigadier General Rezaul Karim, who remarked,

"Every year, we organize this tournament with the support of KSRM. This continued collaboration is a source of great joy. We sincerely thank KSRM, and we hope that our partnership will remain strong in the future."

He further emphasized that such regional golf tournaments play a crucial role in preparing players for national-level competitions.

Speaking at the event, Colonel (Retd.) Md. Ashfaqul Islam, General Manager of KSRM's Business Research & Development Wing, expressed pride in KSRM's contribution to major national infrastructure projects.

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Also present at the event were Lieutenant Colonel (Retd.) Nurul Momen, Deputy General Manager of KSRM, Taj Uddin, Senior Manager, Moniruzzaman Riyad, Deputy Manager, and senior officials Mizan Ul Haque, Mithun Barua, and Ashraful Islam, among others.

The tournament concluded with the distribution of prizes to the winners, followed by a raffle draw, marking a grand and successful closing to the event.



RANGPUR

Rangpur is a historic city in northern Bangladesh, known for its rich cultural heritage, colonial-era landmarks, and scenic beauty. Rangpur is located in the Rangpur Division, approximately 300 km northwest of Dhaka,



FACT

Rangpur, a major city in northern Bangladesh, is known for its rich cultural heritage, historical landmarks, and lush greenery.

Best time to visit
From November to February.

Currency
Bangladeshi Taka

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MUST VISIT



A traveler to Rangpur can explore the majestic Tajhat Palace, visit the historic Carmichael College, and experience the rural charm of Mithapukur's ancient mosques. The Rangpur Zoo is a great family-friendly attraction, while a boat ride on the Teesta River offers scenic relaxation.

MUST TRY



Rangpur is known for its traditional foods like Sholka, a unique local dish made from rice flour, and Shidol, a fermented fish delicacy that is a staple in northern Bangladeshi cuisine. These dishes reflect the region's rich culinary heritage and are a must-try for food lovers visiting Rangpur.

NEAREST GOLF COURSE



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