

Golf Zone

All things golf



This week's winners circle



Guest of Honour, IPEC board chairperson, Mr Albert Nduna unveiling the Tournament Floating Trophy.



IPEC board member, Mr Godwin Nyengedza (left) handing over the Longest Drive Ladies Prize to T Satuku



IPEC board member, Mr Godwin Nyengedza (left) handing over the Nearest the Pin Men Prize to P Murumbi



IPEC board chairperson, Mr Albert Nduna (left) handing over 2nd position prize to L Masangudza.



ICAZ golf tourney raises money for Vimbiso Scholarship Trust Fund

BY MUNYARADZI MADZOKERE

Institute of Chartered Accountants of Zimbabwe (ICAZ) managed to raise in excess of US\$6 000 for their Vimbiso Scholarship Trust Fund initiative following the successful staging of their fundraising tournament at Chapman Golf Club last week.

The Vimbiso Scholarship Trust Fund was established in 2015 as a result of collaboration between the ICAZ and its students' body, the Chartered Accountants Students Society (CASS), with the objective of providing educational assistance to academically gifted students from disadvantaged backgrounds wishing to pursue careers as Chartered Accountants.

At least 48 students are currently benefiting from this initiative and ICAZ has expressed the desire to see the fund increasing the number of beneficiaries.

"Golf is a good way of raising funds and it was not necessarily to raise money, we wanted to bring the scholarship fund to business leaders, so that they know this thing exists. This year we got a good response from our sponsors and I believe we still have a long way to go to be able to convince our business community of this initiative," ICAZ chief executive officer William Mandisodza said in an exclusive interview with *GolfZone*.

At least 23 teams registered to take part in the tournament which raised a little over US\$6000 which is enough to take care of only six students currently enrolled in university.

"We want to see this golf event grow and improve on the revenue going forward but the main thing I picked is that we haven't done enough to create the trust in people's knowledge. I feel this is a very good cause and it can achieve a lot if it is sold properly. We would like to have 200 students benefiting compared to the current figure," Mandisodza said.

In his speech on the golf day, guest of honour and patron of the Vimbiso Scholarship Trust Fund Ngoni Kudenga highlighted the milestones that the initiative has achieved.

"Vimbiso Scholarship Trust beneficiaries study at the top local universities in Zimbabwe. This exposure gives students the best education possible and helps ensure they are prepared for their Chartered Accountant qualification examinations.

"To date we have taken on board 33 students on full or partial scholarships. One student, Tafadzwa Schvonne Mwakamure, was recently admitted as a member of the Institute, our very first Vimbiso beneficiary to attain the CA(Z) designation.

"The rest of our beneficiaries are either still pursuing their degree studies at various levels at the University of Zimbabwe, Midlands State University and National University of Science and Technology or are now pursuing their articles at the different ICAZ training offices.

"We would like to thank all the firms that have opened up their doors and taken on board our students — allowing us to achieve our vision as Vimbiso. We are not able to realise our dream without the support we get from our different partners including our golfers.

"We also introduced a new category in 2021, the Vimbiso Silver Category. Students in this category are not assisted financially, but receive mentorship from Vimbiso and are also assisted with articles and attachment placements. We have 20 students who fall in this category.

"Our beneficiaries are also prepared for employment and leadership prospects by education and mentoring from qualified Chartered Accountants from various diaspora Chapters and in Zimbabwe. We would like to thank the UK Chapter for spearheading the Vimbiso Mentorship program which started in December 2021," he said.

BY MAGRETH RUZVIDZO

The Hockey Association of Zimbabwe (HAZ) is set to host a golf tournament to raise funds for the women's Under-21 national side which is set to take part at the Women's FIH Hockey Junior World Cup in Chile later this year.

The golf event is scheduled for October 1 at the Borrowdale Brooke Golf Club in Harare.

Zimbabwe will be taking part in a third consecutive Junior Womens' Hockey World Cup after making appearances at the 2016 and 2022 editions.

Pencilled for Santiago, Chile, the 10th edition of the global event will run from November 29 to December 10.

HAZ has come up with a number of initiatives to raise funds for the traveling team including a golf event.

The Zimbabwe Under-21 women's hockey team coach Brad Heuer confirmed the development.

"Yes, we are trying to raise some funds to go towards the very expensive tour. We are



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HAZ fundraises for Junior Women World Cup team



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hoping a few companies will come on board and sponsor a hole or a team or two to help us get to our goal. We're also hoping that Zimbabwe sports fanatics will enter teams into our golf day to show their support in person as well as financially," Heuer said.

HAZ also made the announcement on the social media platform.

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Apart from the golf tournament HAZ has introduced the sponsor a player or sponsor a team initiative as well as a raffle as ways of raising more funds.

It will be the fifth time that the Under-21 women's hockey team will be taking part in the World and their best performance has been a 12th place finish.

A total of 16 teams qualified for the event and Zimbabwe has been drawn in Pool B along with Argentina, Korea and Spain.

The team:

Ella Allardice, Tanyaradzwa Changa, Bethel Chidzwondo (goalkeeper), Hayley Clark, Tinodiwanashe Elijah, Tyla Falkenberg, Chelsea Hares, Jorja Jones (captain), Nicole Lowe, Tatenda Maswera, Nakai Mujaranji (vice-captain), Athina Mujiba, Tanatswa Mutaramutswa (goalkeeper), Khanyisile Mzizi, Emma Reilly, Kaylee Sithole, Amber Tozana, Rumbidzaishe Zimuto.

ICAZ Golf Day in pictures



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Ipec’s charity golf day for the elderly



IPEC Commissioner Dr Grace Muradzikwa speaking at the Prize Giving ceremony.



Guest of honour, IPEC board chairperson, Mr Albert Nduna speaking during the prize giving ceremony.

BY DR GRACE MURADZIKWA, IPEC COMMISSIONER

The 15th of September is Pensions Awareness Day, which is a day set aside to sensitise the public about the importance of retirement planning.

It is for that reason that IPEC came up with this Charity Golf Day to coincide with Pensions Awareness Day, with the proceeds going towards IPEC’s corporate social responsibility, particularly the elderly who are one of our key stakeholders as a Commission.

Some of the high impact corporate social responsibility initiatives that IPEC has implemented in the last three years include the following:

- i. The sinking and installation of solar-powered boreholes at Jairos Jiri Silobela Old People’s Home in Midlands and Chengetanai Old People’s Home in Chinohoi,
- ii. The installation of a solar-lighting system at Macheke Old People’s Home in Masvingo, and
- iii. Medical outreach programmes targeting the elderly in Harare and Matabeleland South provinces in collaboration with some industry players.

By extending our activities beyond the core business through initiatives that benefit and develop communities in which we operate, we demonstrate our commitment to our stakeholders.

This event is not only a testament to the spirit of passion for the game of golf but also giving back to the community.

In this respect, my gratitude to each and every one of you. Your support and participation have made this tournament a resounding success.



Ipec team



Ipec Board Member, Mr Godwin Nyengedza (left) handing over the Nearest the Pin Ladies Prize to P Nyakuwanikwa



IPEC Board Chairperson, Mr Albert Nduna (left) handing over 3rd position prize to O Shumba

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GOLF
EVENTS
CALENDAR

Mount Pleasant & Harare Inner-city of the United Methodist Church Fundraising Golf Tournament
Date: September 22, 2023
Venue: Chapman Golf Club
NB: Church Stand Fundraising

Hospitality Association of Zimbabwe
Date: 22 September, 2023
Venue: ZRP Golf Club, Harare

Victoria Falls Anti-Poaching Unit Fundraising Golf Day
Date: September 15, 2023
Venue: Borrowdale Brooke Golf Course, Harare
Format: 4 Ball Alliance
NB: Victoria Falls Anti-Poaching Unit (VFAPU) is a non-profit organisation which depends on donations in order to continue its work of protecting the local wildlife and natural resources in the Victoria Falls region

Round Table Harare 1 Charity Golf Day
Date : 22 September, 2023
Venue : Borrowdale Brooke Golf Course
NB: Hole-in-One Prize up for grabs is a Suzuki Celerio AT Sponsored by CFAO and HRIB

The Jacaranda Challenge Trophy
Date: September 16 – 17, 2023
Venue: Royal Harare

CBZ Corporate Golf day
Date: September 29, 2023
Venue: Chapman Golf Club

Think Pink Breast Cancer Awareness and Fundraising Golf Day
Date: October 5
Venue: N/A

Archbishop E H Guti Legacy Golf Tournament
Date: October 6, 2023
Venue: Wingate Sports Club, Harare
NB: Proceeds will go towards the preaching of the Gospel

Enactus Zimbabwe Alumni Golf day
Date: October 7, 2023
Venue: Newlands Country Club
NB: Fundraising for Enactus national champions Lupane State University to represent Zimbabwe at the World Cup

FBC - Elephant Hills Open 2023
Date: October 7 – 8, 2023
Venue: Elephant Hills Golf Club

Methodist Church in Zimbabwe
Date: September 23, 2023
Venue: ZRP Golf Course

Royal Harare Club holds dinner to celebrate its 125th anniversary



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- In support of under privileged members of society (CSR).
- An opportunity for participants to network.
- An opportunity for participants to market themselves by hosting banners and other promotional materials on the golf course.

Conveners: Gee & Jay Sports.

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