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Sports news

His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid in the spotlight at the Hassan II Golf Trophy Pro-Ams. Time for professional competition.

Rabat, February 21, 2024 - The pro-ams for the 48th edition of the Hassan II Trophy and the 27th edition of the Lalla Meryem Cup are drawing to a close. As tradition would have it, the start of this golfing week is a true celebration of golf for all enthusiasts. Professionals from the PGA Tour Champions and Ladies European Tour teamed up with amateur players, both adults and juniors, in a competition which, as usual, took place in a sporting atmosphere marked by fair play.

The PGA Tour Champions pro-am got the ball rolling on Tuesday February 20 on the Red course, while the second day saw the Lalla Meryem Cup take place on the blue course. **His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid's** team, comprising Mr. Karim Guessous and Mr. Omar Lahjomri, accompanied by German champion Alex Cejka and Mexican champion Maria Fassi, performed brilliantly, taking 2nd place in both the PGA Tour Champions pro-am and the Hassan II Trophy pro-am.

2 other pro-ams took place on Wednesday February 21st. The "PGA Tour Champions Friendship Cup" pro-am was held on the Red course, and the "Hassan II Kids Cup by First Tee" pro-am saw the participation of 9 teams, made up of children from the national First Tee program and professional players from the two circuits present this week.

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All the courses and facilities at Royal Golf Dar Es Salam were successfully mobilized for this celebration of golf.

This Thursday, it's time for the professional competition. To follow all the highlights of the 48th edition of the Hassan II Trophy and the 27th edition of the Lalla Meryem Cup, as well as for more information on the full program of these events, please visit the official website: www.hassan2golftrophy.com

About the Royal Moroccan Golf Federation "FRMG":

Chaired by **His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid** since January 2018, The Royal Moroccan Golf Federation "RMGF", founded on March 12, 1960, is a sports association whose purpose is to provide access for all to the practice of golf, in all its forms. It ensures compliance with the rules of ethics laid down by the international sports movement, particularly the International Golf Federation and the African Golf Confederation.

Its missions are:

- Promoting and developing the game of golf
- Organization and management of competitions
- Golf regulations
- Training and professionalization of the golf profession
- Support for professional players
- Management of high-level golfers

About the Hassan II Golf Trophy Association "ATH":

The Association of Trophy Hassan II (ATH) is a non-profit sports association created on September 4, 2002, and chaired by **His Royal Highness Prince Moulay Rachid**, who is also President of the Royal Moroccan Golf Federation (RMGF).

The ATH's mission is to organize national and international golf competitions on behalf of the Royal Moroccan Golf Federation, and to promote golf in Morocco by



positioning the Kingdom as an essential golfing destination on an international scale.

Respecting what has already been achieved and innovating without distorting are the values that form part of the ATH's approach to progress towards excellence.

About the PGA Tour Champions

The PGA Tour Champions, also known as the Senior PGA Tour, is a series of professional golf tournaments reserved for players aged 50 and over.

The Tour brings together players who have made golf history and continue to captivate fans with their refined play and unparalleled experience. Fairways and greens become the stage for unforgettable moments as these golfing legends compete for coveted titles.

The Hassan II Trophy continues its prestigious tradition through the PGA Tour Champions. The tournament offers a unique opportunity for golf fans of all generations to see their favorite heroes in action, create lasting memories and be inspired by their perseverance.

Each PGA Tour Champions tournament is imbued with a warm and respectful atmosphere, where fierce competition is matched by deep camaraderie between players.

It's a reminder to all that talent and determination know no age limits, and that the legends of the past continue to write their history on the course, to the delight of golf fans the world over.