



Secretary's Report

Dear members,

Greetings from the Committee.

I am pleased to share this edition of our Newsletter, highlighting activities at TNGF.

The tournament season for the year got off to a flying start. The entries for the tournaments have been overwhelming. The tournament committee has decided to conduct tournaments in the morning and afternoon sessions. I am confident the response for the remaining tournaments will continue to be good with your active participation.

In September 2025, we conducted: the 29th AGM of TNGF, the PGTI Tournament and the Tamil Nadu Expat Golf Cup 2025. **(A brief synopsis of these events is mentioned below)**

On the entertainment front,

Quiz Night was conducted on 21st August by Abhishek Baharat. The format and questions from various topics made it interesting. DJ music before and after the quiz made it a very enjoyable evening.

Onam, the festival of flowers was celebrated on 15th September. Over 130 members were treated to a sumptuous Onam Sadhya lunch specially curated by our own Rakesh Raghunathan and to mellifluous Malayalam melodies by Akhila and Raaj.

The Pub nite on 29th September saw a large turnout of members and their families enjoying foot tapping music and top of the chart's favourites performed by the very popular Marc and Marcia. Special offers from F&B were also well received by members. The Club looks forward to hosting more such events in the future.

Best wishes to you and your family for a very colourful and sparkling Deepavali.

Happy golfing and swing easy!

R.K. Jhaver

Honorary Secretary



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 26th SEPTEMBER

The 29th Annual General Meeting was held on 26th September 2025 with active participation from members. Our Vice President Mr. V. Srikanth chaired the meeting.

A minute's silence was observed in memory of our departed members, honouring their contributions to the Federation.

All resolutions introduced by the Executive Committee were passed unanimously by members present.

No extra nominations were received for elections this year, and as a result, the existing Office Bearers and Executive Committee members continue in their respective roles.

A special thanks to the Office Bearers, Executive Committee, the various Sub- Committees, the General Manager and the staff for their contribution and dedication for the smooth conduct of all activities at TNGF.

Prizes were handed over to the Winners of the annual tournaments. The Golfer of the Year and Rookie of the Year awards was also presented. Special awards were presented to Ms. Ananthi Siva and Master Aarav Mammem, for their outstanding achievements in the Junior Circuit.



PROFESSIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT OF INDIA (PGTI), 16th – 19th SEPTEMBER

The lush green fairways of the Tamil Nadu Golf course welcomed the best available talent in the country for the annual professional event the Chennai Open 2025 powered by CPCL.

The golf course was in immaculate condition, despite the heavy rains. Well positioned bunkers, penalty areas and out of bounds makes the short course a real challenge to play on and the golfer must play with the head to win. Green speed were running at an average of 10 on the stimp meter.

There were excellent rounds 63 by the ever-smiling Akshay Sharma in Round 1, a 65 by Shaurya Bhattacharya in Round 2, a 63 by N Thangaraja in Round 3 and a score of 66 by Amardeep Malik, Yuvraj Singh and Manjot Singh in round 4. The winning score was by N Thangaraja of Sri Lanka with a total score of 271 (-17).

The popular PGTI tour has many foreign entries on the tour with players from Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, USA, CZE, Italy, Nepal and Uganda taking part in the event.



"The best news about the TNGF course is that despite the limited space that they have, it has been put to the best use by the management and facilities off the course like the club house, changing rooms, practice areas were on par with the best in the country.

The extremely popular South Indian cuisine at the club was a massive hit just as the PRO- Am party which was at the rooftop of the club house.

The well-manicured golf course has been maintained in ship shape condition and members of the club must be thanked for the support that they gave with the course and club staff."

Sampath Chari, Tournament Director

TAMIL NADU EXPAT GOLF CUP 2025, 27TH SEPTEMBER

The first edition of the Tamil Nadu Expat Golf Cup 2025 In partnership with the Tamil Nadu Golf Federation, was hosted by Guidance Tamil Nadu on Saturday, 27th September 2025 at the TNGF course. This one-day tournament drew over 200 players from UK, Korea, Japan, France, Germany, Australia and Taiwan. The immaculate course conditions, exciting day of golf, camaraderie and the hospitality was well appreciated by all the participants.

In his speech, Mr. R.K. Jhaver, Honorary Secretary requested the Chief Guest, Dr. TRB Rajaa. Hon'ble Minister for Industries, Investment Promotion & Commerce, Govt. of Tamil Nadu to make Tamil Nadu Expat Golf Cup an annual tournament.

In his address, the **Chief Guest, Dr. TRB Rajaa, Hon'ble Minister for Industries, Investment Promotion & Commerce thanked TNGF for their partnership in hosting this tournament.** The Minister acknowledged our secretary's request and immediately announced, that henceforth Tamil Nadu Expat Golf Cup will be an annual tournament. He also thanked all the participants, distinguished members of the diplomatic community, trade bodies and the business fraternity for their continued support. The Minister distributed the prizes to the winners.

The Prize Distribution was followed by Fellowship and Networking Dinner.

