

WORLD GOLFERS CHAMPIONSHIP 2009 WORLD FINALS

All the world's a stage

GOLF AS A UNIFYING FORCE saw the fruition of its spirit when the World Golfers Championship 2009 World Finals was held in Marbella, Spain (www.worldchampionshipgolf.com) last October. Golfers from 23 countries around the world brought their clubs and top games to four of the Costa del Sol's best clubs to vie for the coveted title.

After four grueling rounds at the Flamingos Golf Club, Rio Real Golf Club, Santa Clara Golf Club, and Marbella Golf Club, the team from Indonesia emerged victorious with a 1187 total score for the five golfers in the team. Each team representing their countries is made up of one player from each of the five handicap division – 0-5, 6-10, 11-15, 16-20 and 21-25. In addition to the WGC teams, the World Golfers Invitational offered two-person teams of casual golfers making the trip a chance for top prizes as well. The team of Roksalana comprising Boyko Veronika and Movchan Olena came up tops in that division.

Singapore, the defending champions, was represented by Goh Ken Soon (0-5), Goh Thai Heong (6-10), Leong Kong Yon (11-15), Chen Yew Huat (16-20) and Yeo Yong Yan. Their 1249 total could only help them to a 17th place this year out of the 23 WGC teams that participated. ■

WORLD GOLFERS CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM FINAL RESULTS (total score for four rounds for five golfers)

1. Indonesia	1187
2. Portugal	1188
3. Hungary	1192
4. Russia	1196
5. Spain	1210
6. Qatar	1211
7. South Africa	1213
8. Malaysia	1221
9. Poland	1222
10. India	1233

1/ The Flamingos Golf Club was one of four high-end resorts playing host to this year's multi-round World Finals.



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2/ HRH Princess Birgitta of Sweden tees off at the Marbella Golf Club.



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3/ (From left) HRH Princess Birgitta of Sweden, WGC Founder Sven Turnba, HRH Princess Marie Louise of Prussia, and Mayoress Angéles Muñoz of Spain.

4/ The victorious Indonesian team pipped Portugal by one stroke to win this year.

5/ Team Singapore had the experience but not the luck at the World Finals in 2009.



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11. Ukraine	1233
12. Netherlands	1235
13. Czech Rep.	1239
14. Germany	1241
15. Slovakia	1242
16. Norway	1243
17. Singapore	1249
18. Austria	1250
19. Finland	1250
20. Sweden	1258
21. Nigeria	1263
22. USA	1284
23. Switzerland	1313