

EMIRATES GOLF FEDERATION



Winners pictured at the prize presentation with EGF Secretary General Khalid Mubarak Al Shamsi (left) and other officials.

HARRADINE SEALS ORDER OF MERIT CHAMPIONSHIP

MICHAEL Harrdine enhanced his credentials as one of the leading amateurs in the region by winning the Men's Division in the EGF's Order of Merit Championship at The Els Club recently.

Harradine followed a 72 with a 73 to win by three strokes from Rayhan Thomas with Eoin Cunniffe taking third place with a 150 total. Thomas had held the lead after shooting a 70 on day one, but the 14 year old could only manage a 76 on day two to open the door for the experienced Harradine. Cunniffe opened up with a 78 but shot the best score of day two - a 72 - to take the last place on the podium.

Cecelia Krefting won the Ladies Division thanks

to back-to-back rounds of one over par 73 for a 146 total, two clear of Sana Tufail. Youngster Tufail had opened with a 77 but shot the low round of 71 on day two to move up to second place while coming in third was Kim Chiang after she shot rounds of 77 and 76.

The Junior Division was combined for boys and girls and taking the honours was the talented Eric Hartzuiker after he carded scores of 81 and 70 to win by two from Matthew Baxter. Hartzuiker also won day two's low round prize while third place in the Division went to Mikhail Pinto after rounds of 75 and 79.

There were also a number of miscellaneous

awards that were handed out for superb play during the 2013-2014 season. Rayhan Thomas won the Junior of the Year Award and Erik Hartzuiker won the Most Improved Junior of the Year. Reema Al Heloo won the Most Improved Emirati Junior of the Year, after winning two NJPL Events and finishing in the top-3 in three others. Alison Muirhead won the Best Junior Performance of the Year for her win at the Faldo Series Girls U-16 with rounds of 73-76. Lastly, Saeed Al Blooshi, Mahmood Skaik, and Mohammed Abudulla won the Best Emirati Junior Performance of the Year Award with their team win at the GCC U-15 Championship in Oman.