



Centaur-Rain Bird Expand Irrigation Partnership

Singapore: Centaur Asia Pacific (CAP) and Rain Bird have expanded their golf irrigation partnership from Singapore into Malaysia and Brunei, extending a proven manufacturer–distributor model focused on performance, service depth, and long-term asset value for golf facilities.

Since 2022, CAP and Rain Bird have worked in close partnership in Singapore to deliver advanced irrigation systems, commissioning, and superintendent enablement.

A recent example is Sembawang Country Club, where the joint CAP-Rain Bird team supported system optimisation and field execution – demonstrating the impact of pairing Rain Bird’s technology leadership with CAP’s on-the-ground service and technical delivery.



A joint Centaur Asia Pacific-Rain Bird team supported system optimisation and field execution at Singapore’s Sembawang Country Club.

The expansion brings Rain Bird’s full golf portfolio – including IC rotors and IC System architecture, CirrusPRO mobile-enabled central control, and pump station solutions – to Malaysia and Brunei with local commissioning, diagnostics, training, and lifecycle support delivered by CAP. The focus is on measurable outcomes: improved uptime, reduced water use, lower labour intensity, and consistent playing conditions.

Danny Potter, Managing Director, Centaur Asia Pacific, said: “We’ve proven in Singapore that performance comes from combining Rain Bird’s technology leadership with disciplined field execution and service. Extending this partnership into Malaysia and Brunei allows us to replicate that operating model – strong commissioning, faster response times, and superintendent enablement – at scale.”

Mark Donohue, Regional Director, Southeast Asia, Rain Bird International, added: “Centaur Asia Pacific has demonstrated the operational discipline and technical capability Rain Bird expects of a strategic partner. Our collaboration at Sembawang reflects how manufacturer expertise and local execution combine to deliver performance, reliability, and total cost of ownership benefits. Expanding this model into Malaysia and Brunei supports our long-term growth strategy in ASEAN.”

Rain Bird’s IC and CirrusPRO platforms enable pin-level control, rapid fault isolation, and mobile operations – supporting sustainability objectives without compromising playability. CAP complements this with field commissioning, system audits, and operator training – positioning the joint offering around performance-led outcomes rather than bundled equipment models.

To activate the expansion, CAP and Rain Bird will jointly deliver site audits, demo days, and superintendent workshops in Malaysia and Brunei in 2026 to support feasibility assessments and phased upgrade roadmaps.

***Centaur Asia Pacific and Rain Bird are members of the Asian Golf Industry Federation.**