

With five birdies, Ravi finishes at the top

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Young Rahul Ravi came up with a good show knocking in five birdies, to card a one-under 69 to finish atop Category 'A' Boys (15-18 years) in Round 1 of the 1st Indian Qualifiers for the Hank Haney 'International Junior Golf Tour' Asian circuit, hosted by the Albatross Junior Tour, at the Bangalore Golf Club on Thursday.

Yashas Chandra MS finished second with a four over-par 74 with a double bogey and four bogeys to just two birdies.

In the girls section, Millie Saroha finished a five-over par

75, through a birdie, four bogeys and one double-bogey. Millie's nearest challenger is Tvesa Malik, who finished 12 over-par 82.

In category 'B' for boys (11-14 yrs), Viraj Madappa and K Siddarth finished first and second, the former carding a four over-par 74 and K Siddarth a 12 over-par 82.

Ankita Kedlaya being the only contestant in this category amongst girls came in with a eight over-par 78, with two birdies.

The top 12 golfers from Category 'A' & 'B' will qualify for the Hank Haney IJGT Asian Tournament of Champions, to

be held in Thailand in December 2011, and the Tournament of Champions, scheduled for May 2012, in Orlando, USA.

RESULTS

Category 'C' Boys: Aryan Chordia 81; Jai Bhalla 83.

Girls: Shruthi Shenoy 91; Hamemat Kaur 22 over-par 92.

Category 'D' Boys: Devansh Chadha 82; Kanishka Lunkad 96.

Girls: Tiya Chaudary 94; Jasmine Sachdev 98.

Category 'E' Boys (35 par): Anajan Kaushik 44, Ayaan Jung 53.