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President's Message

Hello El Prado members,

Another month has come and gone, and another great turn out and great competition in last month's scramble tournament. I would like to congratulate all those that won and those that participated. I would like to thank the board members for all their work and help.

I had the opportunity to speak to Tony and Rocky on a few topics in regards to set tees on tournament and skins. I would like to thank them for the conversation and ideas. This will be a topic at our next meeting. I would also like to encourage anyone else with concerns or questions that may need to be addressed to email or speak to us on the board.

Lastly, I would to give a shot out to Sahith Theegala on a great performance at the Traveler's tournament on the PGA tour!!

Have a blessed day.
Gil Vicario, President



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 9
Tournament
Signups Due

July 16
Invitational -
Member/Member or
Member/Guest
9 holes Scramble
9 holes Better Ball

July 19
Derby

August 6
Tournament
Signups Due

August 13
2 Man Pinehurst

August 16
Derby

**Tournaments
Saturday Skins**
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Tournament News

We had 124 players for the 2 Man Scramble. With big turnouts come big paydays, and we paid out almost \$5,000 to 74 players. In fact, 26 made enough to cover their entry fee.

This month there is nothing but good news from the check in table, as we had perfect attendance, with no no-shows or cancellations. Thanks to everyone who checked the roster, so that we could make any corrections early.

At 9 months in to the tournament year, we have a lot of happy golfers on the top 25 list. Ron Patterson still has a commanding lead, but several players jumped up the leaderboard in the last tournament, so it's not over yet!

The next tournament is the July 16 Invitational, a 2 Man team event. You can play this as a member/member or member/guest team. If you've got a friend with a GHIN index, this is the month to invite them out. With 9 holes of scramble and 9 holes of better ball, it's geared towards fun, so your guest shouldn't worry about the pressure. Guests play to Low Index, and need to have recent verifiable rounds posted.

Pick your partner or sign up as a single and we'll try to pair you up. Signups for a guaranteed spot close Saturday July 9, Tuesday July 12 if we have room. Remember, once we commit our tee times with the course, the rest of the tee sheet sells out, so no more adding tee times later in the week. Please sign up EARLY by emailing Doug at dbenc@ap.org. We will publish the roster of signed up players on the Wednesday before the tournament, and release pairings by Friday.

Mark Rief, Communications
Doug Benc, Tournament

50/50 Winners

Congratulations to Steve Elliott, George Moore, and James Pierce, who each won \$145 in the 50/50 drawing! And don't forget, all the tickets each month are saved for the end of the season raffle in September.

TOP 25 - 2021-2022

Rank	Name	Total
1	Patterson, Ronald	1026
2	Ortiz, Danny	860
3	Moore, George	709
4	Clark, Thomas	657
5	Delgado, Robert	628
6	Dyer, Joe	582
7	Kramer, John	574
8	Moir, James	568
9	Poh, Colby	558
10	Anthony, Michael	557
11	Yurgans, Donald	546
12	Esparza, Aaron	522
13	Cabezas, Cali	501
14	Evans, Cary	485
15	Ostergaard, Chris	460
16	Young, Troy	452
17	Barrow, Boone	445
18	Abbott, Gary	437
19	Tapia, Mike	434
20	Marquez, Alfonso	418
21	Torres, Ramiro	414
22	Anderson, David	408
23	Oshiro, David	408
24	Siakisini, Esela	397
25	Nomura, Vino	378

(Includes President's Cup)

How does that work?

FAQ #3 – Tournament Fees

If you've played in a tournament, you know that you have to pay \$70 when you check in, but where does it go? And why doesn't it include a cart? And why are payouts more than what is collected? Why can't I pay with a credit card or scrip in the golf shop? Let's find out.

Where does it go? First on the list is \$40 for green fees. After that is \$11 for the purse, \$10 for skins, and \$9 for closest. That all adds up to \$70.

But why no cart? Two reasons – First, we have many members who enjoy walking, and we're not going to charge them for a cart. Second, the course needs to keep track of the carts, so you need to pay and sign in the golf shop.

Some of you math wizards have noticed that the purse doesn't add up. For example, this month there were 30 or 32 players in each flight, contributing \$11 each, which adds up to \$330-352. But if you look at the payouts, it's actually \$660 per flight. This is because the club subsidizes the purse with the money from membership fees. Each month, the board agrees on an amount to sweeten the purse based on our financial condition. Lately, it's been around \$10 per person, but it's been as low as \$6 and as high as \$12 over the years. This subsidy also evens out the purses so that all the flights pay the same amount. Historically, this has been something that sets our club apart from many others.

The reason you can't pay in the golf shop is because the club runs the tournaments, not the golf course. We handle the tee times and scoring, and write them a big check for all the green fees, so it's a win-win.

If you have any nagging questions about how things work in the club, let me know and I'll add them to the list of future FAQ articles.

Mark Rief, Communications

Derby Results

We had relatively light turnout at the June Derby, but we still managed to have a lot of fun with 8 teams.

On the last hole, we had a team on the green in two, two in the rough in two, and one in the creek off the tee. Believe it or not, three of them panned the hole, including the "swampy". In the chip-off, Pat Bates had the velvet touch to put it close, securing a win and \$90 to split with his partner GM Kevin Knutson. Second were Brian Roberson and Jim Moir with \$60, and third were Dave Lorenz and Mark Rief with \$30.



Special thanks again to the golf course for sponsoring the carts and golf for this fun event!

Mark Rief, Communications

Tournament Results – 2 Man Scramble – June 18, 2022

Complete results are always available at <https://www.golfgenius.com/ggid/epmc>

All payouts are PER TEAM and will be split

Scramble (Scrip)

A Flight

Pos.	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
T1	Benc, Doug + McCance, Eric	-10.5	61.5	\$195
T1	Anthony, Michael + Clark, Thomas	-10.5	61.5	\$195
T3	Anderson, David + Mundy, Robert	-10	62	\$135
T3	Abbott, Gary + Dyer, Joe	-10	62	\$135

B Flight

Pos.	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
1	Johnson, Kelly + Moore, George	-12	60	\$210
T2	Boucher, Norm + Ignacz, Ken	-11	61	\$165
T2	Lira, Efren + Ozols, Kriss	-11	61	\$165
4	Patterson, Ronald + Rocovitz, Mark	-10.5	61.5	\$120

C Flight

Pos.	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
T1	Verne, Lawrence + Verne, Sean	-13	59	\$195
T1	Oshiro, David + Tapia, Mike	-13	59	\$195
3	Bruder, Thomas + Prisock, Aaron	-12.5	59.5	\$150
T4	Young, Larry + Young, Troy	-9.5	62.5	\$60
T4	Cabezas, Cali + Nichols, Wayne	-9.5	62.5	\$60

D Flight

Pos.	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
1	Reyes, Prudencio + Street, Fred	-10.5	61.5	\$210
T2	Moloney, Josh + Salazar, Justin	-10	62	\$165
T2	Ostergaard, Chris + Verne, Bryon	-10	62	\$165
T4	Barrow, Boone + Lovell, Ron	-9.5	62.5	\$60
T4	Lopez, Ramiro G + Tellez, Robert	-9.5	62.5	\$60

Total Purse Allocated: \$2,640.00

Gross Skins – (cash pots)

A Flight

Players	Skins	Purse	Details
Anthony, Michael + Clark, Thomas	1	\$320	Birdie on 18

B Flight

Players	Skins	Purse	Details
Boucher, Norm + Ignacz, Ken	2	\$106	Birdie on 8, Eagle on 13
Lira, Efren + Ozols, Kriss	1	\$52	Eagle on 17
Peniata, Oscar + Siakisini, Esela	1	\$52	Birdie on 15
Gilley, Jason + Gilley, Roger	1	\$52	Birdie on 2
Patterson, Ronald + Rocovitz, Mark	1	\$52	Birdie on 10

C Flight

Players	Skins	Purse	Details
Verne, Lawrence + Verne, Sean	2	\$84	Birdie on 10, Birdie on 15
Baker, Clarence + Baker, Robert	1	\$42	Birdie on 11
Cabezas, Cali + Nichols, Wayne	1	\$42	Birdie on 14
Bruder, Thomas + Prisock, Aaron	1	\$42	Eagle on 3
Anderson, Marc + Springer, Marc	1	\$42	Birdie on 5
DelGado, Robert + Ortiz, Danny	1	\$42	Birdie on 13

D Flight

Players	Skins	Purse	Details
Barber, Darnell + Travis, Brian	2	\$84	Birdie on 5, Birdie on 9
Brugger, Boston + Oaks, Nevan	2	\$84	Birdie on 2, Birdie on 4
Jones, Kim + Rivera, Albert	1	\$42	Birdie on 7
DeLay, Mark + Elliott, Steven	1	\$42	Birdie on 10
Wallace, Fred + Walsh, James	1	\$42	Birdie on 17

Total Purse Allocated: \$1,222.00

Closest to the pin – (cash pots)

A Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Abbott, Gary + Dyer, Joe	\$144.00	#7 4'2", #? 6'11"
	Marquez, Robert + Ortega, Mario	\$72.00	#? 12'5"
	Castillo, Tony + Marquez, Alfonso	\$72.00	#? 6'8"

Total Purse Allocated: \$288.00

B Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Alva, Luis + Becerra, Rafael	\$72.00	#7 4'3"
	Gomez, Robert + Jackson, Randy	\$72.00	#? 14'4"
	Lira, Efren + Ozols, Kriss	\$72.00	#? 4'9"
	Aguilar, Francisco + Torres, Ramiro	\$72.00	#? 5'11"

Total Purse Allocated: \$288.00

C Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Bruder, Thomas + Prisock, Aaron	\$68.00	#14 6'6"
	Graven, Tim + Harlin, Scott	\$68.00	#17 3'0"
	Hederman, Joseph + Teneriello, Louie	\$68.00	#2 6'3"
	Oshiro, David + Tapia, Mike	\$68.00	#7 6'7"

Total Purse Allocated: \$272.00

D Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Ostergaard, Chris + Verne, Bryon	\$68.00	#14 11'9"
	Johnson, Darren + Morales, Noel	\$68.00	#17 10'6"
	DeLay, Mark + Elliott, Steven	\$68.00	#2 7'7"
	Martin, Gary + Vicario, Gil	\$68.00	#7 23'11"

Total Purse Allocated: \$272.00