



# EL PRADO MEN'S GOLF CLUB

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## Tournament signup deadline: Saturday August 6

### President's Message

After 40 years of existence, there are obviously some noteworthy occurrences for our men's club. Here are a few that you may recall.

Popular member Tom Nicolai, who will be departing for St. George, Utah shortly, pulled off the rarest of golf shots on January 14, 2004. Tom hit his drive on the par 5 third hole on Butterfield Stage some 330 yards down the fairway. A perfect 5 iron that found the bottom of the cup resulted in the extraordinary double eagle that most of us can only read about.



Around 1990 the upper tee was built on the par 3 seventh hole of Chino Creek. Shortly after its construction, former member Paul Dayton, in a Saturday Skins Game, knocked it in the cup with a perfect 3 iron. It was Paul's second hole in one. This feat is not likely to be duplicated by a member as this tee is rarely used in men's club events. Paul was never a long hitter and ultimately never carried a wood in his bag, satisfied to tee off with an iron on every hole. In later years when play from this tee, Paul would lay up with a wedge to the ladies tees to help insure he could carry the pond.

Tom Clark is still listed in the SCGA's "Directory of Golf" as the owner of the course record on Butterfield Stage with a sizzling 62. The directory doesn't identify a course record on Chino Creek but a couple of El Prado members may also lay claim to that accomplishment. Former member Billy Mouw was the first to shoot a 63 in the early 2000's and that score was later tied on February 7, 2004 by Rick Kerian.

Come join us in our Tuesday and Saturday skins games or our monthly tournaments and perhaps the game may reward you with a memorable moment.

Fred Street  
President

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### August 6

Tournament Signups Due

#### August 13

2 Man – 4 Club – Red Tees – Better Ball

#### August 16

Derby?  
4:00 check in  
4:30 tee off

#### Sept 10

Tournament Signups Due

#### Sept 17-18

Club Championship

#### Sept 20

Derby?  
4:00 check in  
4:30 tee off

### INFORMATION

**Saturday Skins**  
**909-988-0012**

Signup by  
Wed 3 pm

**Monthly Tournaments**

## Tournament News

We had a total of 90 players tee it up in two man teams better ball. It was gratifying to get such a nice turn out.

However, I did get several **late** sign ups which causes quite a bit of problems setting up the tournament. **Please sign up on time.** Please be aware that there are only two options with late sign ups: 1) I can just add the players into the flight which is limited to just one or two. 2) if there are too many player additions, the entire field is skewed, and then I have to reset the entire field. This can create a quite lot of work on everyone; changes in the course reservations, resetting people to new flights, resetting new tee times, redoing labels, redoing the scoreboard, redoing the sign in sheets, re-posting and notifying everyone of all the changes, and then we have to hope that everything works out and errors do not occur.

### We have to improve in two areas:

1. Get your entries in on time. The Saturday one week before the tournament.
2. No matter what your tee time is, check in at the tournament table no later than one hour before the last tee time. People who continue to violate this policy will not be given late tee times.

Congratulations to all the winners. Winners were Mike Cole/Brian King 57 to take the top spot on A flight, Ron Bowles/Jim Moir B flight with 63, Bob Johns/ Tom Canfield with 58 C flight, and Steve Pope/Jim Brown 58 D flight. Please check the entire results in the newsletter. Please check your script balances in the golf shop.

Thanks to Kevin and Greg for their continued support with our tournaments and Kevin for manning the scoreboard and help with the results. When you see them please let them know how much we appreciate the help and support they give to the club.

Remember, we are the members of El Prado Mens Club and this is our home course. Take care of your divots, repair ball marks, fix pitch marks, drive your carts through the rough instead of the fairways. Play quickly and keep up with the group in front of you.

On August 13<sup>th</sup>, our next tournament will be the ever popular 2 Man 4 Club Red Tees Better Ball Tournament. We usually get a large field for this event so make sure you find your partner and get your entry in early. Entries are due by August 6<sup>th</sup>. This is a one course tournament which will be held on Chino Creek due to the course punching and aerification on the Butterfield side. This mean there will be more late times than usual.

Please sign up early and no later than Saturday August 6th through e-mail to [dcox181@hotmail.com](mailto:dcox181@hotmail.com) or by filling out a Sign-Up form located in the golf shop. As always you can also sign up on the EPMC web site.

Dave Cox  
Tournament Director

## Top 25 - 2015-2016

	Name	Skins	Close	Script	Total
1	Kramer, John	92	82	383	557
2	Young, Troy	182	99	225	506
3	Lizarraga, Richard	93	146	210	449
4	Anthony, Michael	106	125	210	441
5	Baker, Robert	91	126	210	427
6	Yurgans, Donald	26	117	272	415
7	McKee, Jerry	98	133	180	411
8	Young, Larry	113	38	255	406
9	Mercurio, Ronald G	84	150	160	394
9	Nomura, Vino	91	68	235	394
9	Rief, Mark	153	161	80	394
12	Dancses, Kirk	83	72	236	391
13	Cabezas, Calixto	95	173	107	375
14	Barrow, Boone	80	128	165	373
15	King, Brian	66	67	235	368
16	Agan, John	59	146	160	365
17	Cole, Mike	48	81	235	364
18	Oshiro, David	56	66	240	362
19	Hagelberg, Eric	106	135	120	361
19	Wilson, Darrell L	126	0	235	361
21	Thune II, John	123	20	205	348
22	Walsh, James M	107	0	235	342
23	Pope, Stephen	66	78	197	341
24	Baker, Clarence	59	45	233	337
25	Becerra, Rafael	150	118	67	335

## Tournament Results – 2 Man Scramble – June 11, 2016

<b>A</b>	<b>Flight</b>	<b>Chino Creek</b>	
<b>Script</b>			
1	57	Cole, Mike	\$100
		King, Brian	\$100
2	63	Benc, Doug	\$80
		Baker, Curtis	\$80
3	64	Anthony, Michael	\$60
		Bach, Richard	\$60

<b>Closest</b>			
#5	7' 1"	Cole, Mike	\$31
		King, Brian	\$31
#8	7' 4"	Lovell, Jim	\$31
#11	9' 11"	Gray, Paul -V2	\$31
		Collins, Kerry	\$31
#16	17' 9"	Gray, Paul -V2	\$31
		Collins, Kerry	\$31

<b>Skins</b>			
#5		Cole, Mike	\$48
		King, Brian	\$48
#16		Forslund, Mike	\$48
		Hederman, Joseph P	\$48
#17		Lovell, Jim	\$48

<b>B</b>	<b>Flight</b>	<b>Chino Creek</b>	
<b>Script</b>			
1	63	Bowles Ron	\$100
		Moir, James	\$100
T2	64	Young, Larry	\$60
		Young, Troy	\$60
T2	64	Baker, Clarence	\$60
		Baker, Robert	\$60

<b>Closest</b>			
#5	26' 11"	Kaplan, Chris	\$25
		Moore, George	\$25
#8	13' 2.5"	Krick, Jerrod	\$25
		McKee, Jerry	\$25
#11	6' 9.5"	McArdle, Pat	\$25
		Johnson, Kelly	\$25
#16	3' 1.75"	Baker, Clarence	\$25
		Baker, Robert	\$25

<b>Skins</b>			
#2		Gilley, Jason	\$14
		Gilley, Roger	\$14
#3		Kaplan, Chris	\$14
		Moore, George	\$14
#4		Gilley, Jason	\$14
		Gilley, Roger	\$14
#12		Young, Larry	\$14
		Young, Troy	\$14
#13		Young, Larry	\$14
		Young, Troy	\$14
#15		Gilley, Jason	\$14
		Gilley, Roger	\$14
#17		Oshiro, David	\$14
		Esparza, Aaron A	\$14
#18		Sleeper, Tim	\$14
		Feeney, Tim	\$14

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<b>C</b>	<b>Flight</b>	<b>Butterfield Stage</b>	
<b>Script</b>			
T1	58	Johns, Robert	\$90
		Canfield, Tom	\$90
T1	58	Roehrig, Gary	\$90
		Fekin, Melvin	\$90
3	60	Fanning, James	\$60
		Robinson, Dennis	\$60

\*Tied

<b>Closest</b>			
#4	10' 8"	Johns, Robert	\$22
		Canfield, Tom	\$22
#7	5' 6"	Granger, Paul	\$22
		Mercurio, Ronald G	\$22
#14	18' 6"	Granger, Paul	\$22
		Mercurio, Ronald G	\$22
#16	4' 1.5"	Lovett, Gary W	\$22
		Barreto, Marty	\$22
#16	4' 1.5"	Fanning, James	\$22
		Robinson, Dennis	\$22

<b>Skins</b>			
#2		Lovett, Gary W	\$17
		Barreto, Marty	\$17
#5		Hooper, Tim	\$17
		Reardon, Donald	\$17
#6		Johns, Robert	\$17
		Canfield, Tom	\$17
#8		Rief, Mark	\$17
		Rief, Brian	\$17
#14		Granger, Paul	\$17
		Mercurio, Ronald G	\$17
#16		Fanning, James	\$17
		Robinson, Dennis	\$17
#18		Rief, Mark	\$17
		Rief, Brian	\$17

<b>D</b>	<b>Flight</b>	<b>Butterfield Stage</b>	
<b>Script</b>			
1	58	Pope, Stephen	\$90
		Brown Sr, Jim	\$90
2	60	Maddox, Randy	\$70
		Gienger, Jerry	\$70
3	61*	Ortiz, Danny	\$40
		Agan, John	\$40

\*Tied

<b>Closest</b>			
#4	2' 8"	Maddox, Randy	\$30
		Gienger, Jerry	\$30
#7	8' 6"	Ortiz, Danny	\$30
		Agan, John	\$30
#14	14' 6.5"	Pope, Stephen	\$30
		Brown Sr, Jim	\$30
#16		no winner	

<b>Skins</b>			
#4		Maddox, Randy	\$25
		Gienger, Jerry	\$25
#6		Champan, Cordy	\$25
		McLaren, Don	\$25
#8	Par	McLaren, David	\$25
		Brown, DK	\$25
#12	Par	Ortiz, Danny	\$25
		Agan, John	\$25

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## Social News

Well, I hope everyone enjoyed our July tournament and Skills Challenge?! Good times were had by all those that came out to try their hand at chipping and putting. Congratulations to Jason Gilley, Ron Mercurio, Troy Young and Cordy Champan, as the winners in the A, B, C and D flight respectively. Closely followed, in second place in each flight was, Dave Randall, Steve Elliott, Dave Cox/Mark Rief (tied) and Danny Ortiz.

Also congratulations to the 50/50 winners. Pat McArdle, Dave Devries and Kerry Collins were all winners, before their round even started. Please let us know how you enjoyed the Skills Challenge and if there is anything else you would like to try next time, we are open for suggestions.

We would also like to have a derby after the next few tournaments. Please send along any suggestions or thoughts on how we can ensure we have enough people to compete in the derby?

Doug Benc  
Social



## Tournament Signup

### 2 Man - 4 Club – Red Tees Better Ball

Saturday August 13, 2016  
*Please Print!*

The tournament is **\$70** per player. This includes \$51 entry fee, optional \$10 skins, optional \$9 closest to the pin.

Member Name \_\_\_\_\_ Member Name \_\_\_\_\_  
GHIN Number \_\_\_\_\_ GHIN Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Request: \_\_\_\_\_

Make Checks payable to El Prado Men's Club El Prado Men's Club

Entry forms and e-mail due due: **Saturday August 6<sup>th</sup>**.  
Send to: [dcox181@hotmail.com](mailto:dcox181@hotmail.com)

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**Do Not Send Cash or Checks - Please pay at the sign in table. Pick a Partner – 8 stroke differential**