



EL PRADO MEN'S GOLF CLUB

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President's Message

Another President's Cup is in the books for El Prado Men's Club. Always a popular format for our members who enjoy the hole by hole matches against some foes that you might not normally get to compete. For two of the last three years, A Flight winner Michael Anthony found himself in the final after defeating B Flight winner John Thune. D Flight winner Luis Alva had to fight through C Flight winner Rafael Brecerra before taking down Anthony for title. Congratulations Luis and the other flight winners!

Thanks to Boone Barrow for a very successful Laughlin Get-a-Way! With Boone taking over the planning and execution for the first time from a successful run by Gary Roehrig, things could not have gone much better. The weather was great, course conditions were fantastic and Darrell Wilson found his second hole-in-one on Saturday, on Los Lagos on a 169-yard Par 3. As Darrell and his group approached the green, looking for the ball, the group ahead was laughing. Apparently they couldn't understand why Darrell and his group weren't celebrating?! After looking for the ball, it was pointed out that it was in the hole, and the celebration ensued and both groups shared one of the rarest moments in golf. The course gave him a flag and all those in attendance signed it. This is the second hole-in-one we have had in the past 6 months, so please be sure and check your insurance in the book!

I know quite a few members are competing in the El Prado Summer League. It's important to note that you must post your 9-hole scores on each Wednesday that you play. The GHIN system will combine them as you play through the season.

You will notice a few changes in the Saturday Skins Game coming soon. For various reasons, the board has voted to simplify things just a bit and give it, to try and make it easy for John Kramer and our members. The flights will no longer be floating each week in the attempt to even them out. Moving forward, your course handicap will dictate your flight. In the previous format, a 10 handicap could be an in the A Flight one day and the B Flight the next and similar between the B and C Flight. Now, the flights will determined strictly by your handicap that day, which will ensure that you are only playing against those that you should be.

After we have some time in this format, please let us know what you think? We are always trying to make improvements for the good of our membership!

Doug Benc
President

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 8

Tournament
Signups Due

June 15

2 Man Scramble

July 13

Tournament
Signups Due

July 20

Invitational
2 Man Team -
Member/Member
or Member/Guest

Saturday Skins Call/Text

(909) 260-1717

*Signup by
Wed 3 pm*

Tournaments Call

909-984-8220

Tournament News

May – 2 Man Modified Pinehurst / Chapman

Most of us enjoyed another fine tournament with lots of challenges to keep us working on our skills. Other teams showed they are more consistent and did a lot better job of playing the game. The courses are getting better every time we play. I noticed several of the cart paths were filled in this week. The fairways are filling in and both the fairways and rough are being mowed to very reasonable cut. The greens are still a little rough from the aeration process but they are coming on strong and should be excellent in the coming weeks. The bunkers have also been improved. Kudo's to Nick and his staff for all the improvements.

Congratulations to all the winners; Placing 1st in A flight were Brian Dances/Arron Jara at 66. Placing 1st in B Flight Luis Alva/Rafael Becerra at 58 . Check out all the finish on the results page.

The top 25 page is now up to date and includes the script winning from the Presidents cup match play.

Skins and Close to pin checks will be sent out to you by Richard Lizarraga. You can pick up your check on Saturday at the next skins game or wait for the snail mail and It takes two or three weeks to get your check in the mail so be patient.

Please check the entire results in the newsletter. At any time you can check your script balances in the golf shop by asking one of the staff.

Thanks again to Kevin for manning the scoreboard and helping with all the scoreboard results. Thanks to everyone for keeping better scorecards and checking them before you turn them in. The audit showed exactly 0 errors this time around! I think that is a first.

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 June 15th, our next tournament will be a 2 Man Scramble Tournament. We usually get a large field for this event so make sure you find your partner and get your entry in early.

Please sign up early and no later than Saturday June 8th. through e-mail to 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. (yes, I take singles and try to pair you with someone of equal skills and compatibility).

Dave Cox
Tournament Director

Tournament Handicap Adjustments

Current ETS Adjustments:

(includes Getaway Saturday and May Tournament)

Stan Laszczyk	5
Mike Tapia	3
Rich Rudell	2
Robert Delgado	2
Boone Barrow	1

Removed
 Danny Ortiz
 Chris Kaplan
 Greg Randall
 Jim Walsh
 Fred Street

Top 25 - 2018-2019

	Name	Skins	Close	Script	Total
1	Alva, Luis	96	180	585	861
2	Kramer, John	137	296	295	728
3	Hughes, Daniel	298	183	165	646
4	Earhart, Tom	117	146	340	603
5	Fitch, Chris	299	60	165	524
6	Street, Fred	78	113	330	521
7	Weber, Bart	90	40	348	478
8	Nomura, Vino	108	106	230	444
9	Anthony, Michael	237	0	206	443
9	Elliott, Steven	127	61	255	443
11	Dances, Kirk	15	74	320	409
12	Kaplan, Chris	79	24	268	371
13	Hederman, Joseph P	65	65	215	345
14	Teneriello, Louie	30	114	200	344
15	Masanovich, Mark	15	74	230	319
16	Moore, George	95	0	215	310
17	Meoli, Rudy	110	40	155	305
18	Becerra, Rafael	60	32	202	294
19	Ortiz, Danny	97	0	195	292
20	Cox, David	38	77	170	285
21	Briggle, Thomas	38	94	130	262
22	Walsh, James M	20	32	208	260
23	Rief, Mark	19	157	80	256
24	Muscara, Michael	75	92	70	237
25	Randall, Greg	59	92	85	236

Includes President's Cup payouts

Tournament Results –2 Man Modified Pinehurst / Chapman - May 2019

A Flight	Chino Creek		
Script			
1	66	Jara, Aaron	\$105
		Dancses, Brian	\$105
T2	68	Dancses, Kirk	\$70
		Masanovich, Mark	\$70
T2	68	Fitch, Chris	\$70
		Anthony, Michael	\$70
T2	68	Earhart, Tom	\$70
		Freeman, Craig	\$70

Closest			
#4	3' 3"	Tharp, Richard	\$34
		Saulet, Darrel	\$34
#7	5' 0"	Dancses, Kirk	\$34
		Masanovich, Mark	\$34
#14	7' 6.25"	Lizarraga, Richard	\$34
		Fanning, James	\$34
#16	8' 2"	Earhart, Tom	\$34
		Freeman, Craig	\$34

Skins			
#1		Fitch, Chris	\$38
		Anthony, Michael	\$38
#2		Fitch, Chris	\$38
		Anthony, Michael	\$38
#3		Fitch, Chris	\$38
		Anthony, Michael	\$38
#6		Fitch, Chris	\$38
		Anthony, Michael	\$38

B Flight	Butterfield Stage		
Script			
1	58	Becerra, Rafael	\$100
		Alva, Luis	\$100
T2	61	Street, Fred	\$75
		Sherman, Lee	\$75
T2	61	Washington, Louis	\$75
		Kramer, John	\$75
4	63	Baker, Clarence	\$45
		Baker, Robert	\$45

Closest			
#2	8' 2"	Cox, David	\$32
		Walsh, James	\$32
#7	9' 3"	Braucht, Jeff	\$32
		Randall, Greg	\$32
#14	3' 9"	Elliott, Steven	\$32
		Nomura, Vino	\$32
#17	7' 3"	Becerra, Rafael	\$32
		Alva, Luis	\$32

Skins			
#8		Becerra, Rafael	\$35
		Alva, Luis	\$35
#9		Baker, Clarence	\$35
		Baker, Robert	\$35
#12		Elliott, Steven	\$35
		Nomura, Vino	\$35
#14		Elliott, Steven	\$35
		Nomura, Vino	\$35

President's Cup Results



Place	Name	Flight	Wins	Script
1	Alva, Luis	D	6	120
2	Anthony, Michael	A	5	96
T3	Thune, John	B	4	72
T3	Becerra, Rafael	C	4	72
T5	Weber, Bart	A	3	48
T5	Kaplan, Chris	B	3	48
T5	Tapia, Mike	C	3	48
T5	Walsh, James M	D	3	48
T9	Clark, Thomas	A	2	30
T9	Benc, Doug	A	2	30
T9	Masanovich, Mark	B	2	30
T9	Saulet, Darrel	B	2	30
T9	Meoli, Rudy	C	2	30
T9	Mercurio, Ronald	C	2	30
T9	Ortiz, Danny	D	2	30
T9	Baker, Robert	D	2	30

Getaway News

I would like to say it is my hope that everyone who traveled to Laughlin had a great time. I as the new Laughlin commissioner for my first year experienced only what Gary has experienced for many years and it was a good experience. I now know what to do to make it a very pleasant time for all. I want to thank all of you who did attend the 2019 Getaway, I also want to thank all who helped with the score sheets, Tony Checchin, Tim Sleeper, Rich Lizaragga, Mike Tapia, Robert Delgado, Tim Finney, and a special thanks to my wife Charlotte who was instrumental in making all of this happen. She helped from the beginning, but most of you will appreciate each morning she stuffed money in the envelopes with your winnings for you. There was also a raffle this year that everyone won something, but the main prizes 2 TaylorMade card golf bags, Portable Bar, Poker table, and a 50" color TV made the raffle. Thank you for your generosity Rudy Meoli, Dave Cox, Kevin Knutson, Rick Hunter, Taylor Krick, and Georgeann McKee.

We had 64 players this year an increase from last year but for 2020 I would like to see 80 players. I need some old faces and new faces to meet this threshold, but it can be done. Please remember guests are welcome and this year most all did very well. For the members that brought their wives I say thank you and next year we will be looking into doing something special for them.

This year the weather was superb with temperatures in the 90s and lite winds for the weekend which made our pot of over \$10,000.00 even better. Please see the following results and see you in Laughlin next year.

Boone Barrow
boonegetaway@mail.com



Darrell Wilson and his Hole-In-One flag

Local Rules Changes

There are some areas of the course that are intended to be playable, but are not due to water damage. To clarify this, the board agreed to the following addition to our local rules:

Abnormal Ground Conditions - The dips in the general areas of Butterfield Stage #1, #5, and #10 that are a mess from flooding and/or roped off are *abnormal ground conditions*, and you may take free relief under Rule 16.1b. The creek crossing in front of the tee on Butterfield Stage #4 is a *penalty area*.

Mark Rief
Communications

Membership

We have 153 regular members and 103 associates. We're about even with last year, and still growing. The best way to get a new member is for YOU to invite one. Bring him out to a skins game, the 19th hole, or the Invitational (if they have a GHIN handicap) and show him what the club is about. Be sure your new member puts your name on his application, so that both of you receive your free round of golf!

As some of you have discovered, when your membership expires, you can no longer post your scores. If this happens, and you renew online, your GHIN number is reactivated and all is good. If you renew at the course by putting a check in the box or giving your renewal to a board member, please let me know so that I can reactivate your GHIN number as soon as possible.

Danny Ortiz
Membership

Handicap News

For those of you playing in the Summer Golf League at El Prado, remember to post your 9 hole scores each week! Be sure to select the correct course, and the correct front of back 9. You may not see the first score show on your history, but as you post more, they are combined in to 18 hole scores.

Fred Wallace
Handicap Chairman

Getaway Results – Thursday at Mojave Resort

Gross Skins

Tim Sleeper	#2	\$140
Tom Earhart	#6	\$140
Kelly Johnson	#10	\$140
Brian Law	#13	\$140

Net Skins

Tim Sleeper	#2	\$70
Pat McArdle	#3	\$70
Tom Earhart	#6	\$70
John Pacheco	#7	\$70
Kelly Johnson	#11	\$70
Brian Law	#13	\$70
Tim Sleeper	#15	\$70
Steve Laszczyk	#18	\$70

Closest

Steve Elliott	#5	\$46
Mark Riel	#8	\$46
John Thune	#14	\$46
George Moore	#17	\$46

Low Gross

Tim Sleeper	81	\$23
Tom Earhart	81	\$23

Low Net

Brian Law	71	\$23
Gary Roehrig	71	\$23

Total **\$1,396**

Getaway Results – Friday at Laughlin Ranch

A Flight Gross Skin

Brian Law	#4	\$100
Jarrold Krick	#8	\$100
Oscar Peniata	#11	\$100
Taylor Krick	#13	\$100
Tim Sleeper	#18	\$100

A Flight Net Skins

Brian Law	#5	\$90
Jarrold Krick	#8	\$90
Brian Law	#9	\$90
Oscar Pentiatia	#11	\$90
Tim Slerger	#18	\$90

B Flight Gross Skins

Lyle Ferguson	#4	\$80
Mike Tapia	#6	\$80
Wayne Nicholos	#9	\$80
Jim Fanning	#12	\$80
Lyle Ferguson	#13	\$80
Gary Roehrig	#18	\$80

B Flight Net Skins

Don Yurgans	#6	\$50
Wayne Nicholos	#8	\$50
Jose Saucedo	#9	\$50
Boone Barrow	#10	\$50
Robert Delgado	#11	\$50
Jim Fanning	#12	\$50
Lyle Ferguson	#13	\$50
Lee Sherman	#14	\$50

Total **\$2,230**

Getaway Results – Saturday at Los Lagos

A Flight Winners

1	Francisco Aguilar	71	\$225
2	Tony Checchin	72	\$175
T3	Rich Bach	73	\$140
T3	Jason Gilley	73	\$140
5	John Thune	75	\$100
6	Darrell Wilson	76	\$90

B Flight Winners

1	Mike Tapia	63	\$220
2	Wayne Nichols	72	\$170
T3	Marc Anderson	73	\$110
T3	Joe Hederman	73	\$110
T3	Pat McArdle	73	\$110
T3	Oscar Peniata	73	\$110

C Flight Winners

1	Stan Laszczyk	59	\$225
2	Robert Delgado	65	\$175
3	Boone Barrow	66	\$150
T4	Lyle Ferguson	69	\$110
T4	Evan Goepfert	69	\$110
T6	Roger Gilley	70	\$45
T6	Lee Sherman	70	\$45

A Flight Gross Skins

Taylor Krick	#1	\$50
Brian Law	#2	\$50
Rich Bach	#3	\$50
Darrell Wilson	#4	\$50
Darrell Wilson	#8	\$50
#10 Taylor Krick	#10	\$50
Francisco Aguilar	#16	\$50
Rich Bach	#17	\$50

B Flight Gross Skins

Oscar Peniata	#1	\$100
Luis Alva	#3	\$100
Doug Gurganus	#13	\$100
Mike Tapia	#14	\$100

A Flight Closest

Brian Law	#2	3'9"	\$50
Darrell Wilson	#8	Hole in one	\$50
Tony Checchin	#12	20'4"	\$50
Darrell Wilson	#16	7'6"	\$50

B Flight Closest

Joe Hederman	#2	34'6-1/2"	\$50
Rafael Becerra	#8	15'3"	\$50
Terry Hove	#12	11'2"	\$50
Marc Anderson	#16	6'9"	\$50

C Flight Closest

Lyle Ferguson	#2	32'10"	\$50
Boone Barrow	#8	22'	\$50
Lyle Ferguson	#12	35'8"	\$50
Boone Barrow	#16	3'1-1/2"	\$50

C Flight Gross Skins

Roger Gilley	#1	\$40
Stan Laszczyk	#3	\$40
Robert Delgado	#4	\$40
Steve Laszczyk	#5	\$40
Stan Laszczyk	#6	\$40
Robert Delgado	#7	\$40
Steve Laszczyk	#10	\$40
Evan Goepfert	#11	\$40
Stan Laszczyk	#13	\$40
Boone Barrow	#16	\$40
Gary Roehrig	#18	\$40

Total **\$4,415**

President's Cup Brackets - FINAL



Tournament Signup

2 Man Scramble

Saturday Jun 15, 2019

Please Print!

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

Member Name _____ GHIN # _____
 Member Name _____ GHIN # _____
 Home phone _____
 Special Request: _____

Entry Forms are due in the EPMC mailbox or email by: Saturday June 12th

Send email to: dcox181@hotmail.com

Do Not Send Cash or Checks - Please pay at the sign in table

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