



EL PRADO MEN'S GOLF CLUB

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President's Message

Hello El Prado members,

Wow what a great month for El Prado Men's Club. We had our gateway trip and a great 4 club tournament. Thank you for all that had the opportunity to go and congratulations to all those winners. I would like also like to thank Boone for all his work on getting everything set up for Laughlin. Would also like to thank Mark and Gary for entering the scores after each round.

Remember that in just 2 weeks we have our 2 man scramble June 18th, find a partner or sign up alone - can't wait to see you all out there.

Have a blessed day.
Gil Vicario, President



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 11
Tournament
Signups Due

June 18
2 Man Scramble

June 21
Derby

July 9
Tournament
Signups Due

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

July 19
Derby

Tournaments
Saturday Skins
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Handicap News

If you are playing in the El Prado Summer Golf League, remember to post your scores as 9 hole home scores. If your match is closed out and you stop playing, remaining holes are to be posted par-plus (net par). If you "play in", post your actual scores up to net double bogey.



50/50 Winners

Congratulations to Al Marquez, Scott Harlin, and Cali Cabezas, who each started the tournament off with an extra \$115! And don't forget, all the tickets each month are saved for the end of the season raffle in September.

Tournament News

105 members teed it up in the May tournament, with 2 man teams playing better ball with 4 clubs from the red tees. Shorter hitters always like the shorter distance, and many did well. But the big question, as always, was "Did you choose the right four clubs?"

We had some no shows this time, so we had uneven flights and had to do some blind draw partners. When we send out the tournament signup confirmation email, PLEASE check it whether you are playing or not. If you see your name and you are not playing, let us know so that we can adjust flights, teams, and tee times. Nobody likes showing up for a team event, only to be told they are playing alone.

So far this year, 182 players have taken home \$35,753 in tournament winnings, not including the Getaway! 105 have already made enough to pay their membership dues. Remember, this is where most of your membership dues go – to subsidize tournaments.

The next tournament is June 18 - a 2 man scramble, always a lot of fun. Pick your partner or sign up as a single and we'll try to pair you up. Signups for a guaranteed spot close Saturday June 11, Tuesday June 14 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

How does that work?

FAQ #2 – Closest to the pin payouts

In our second article, let's talk about closest to the pin payouts in monthly tournaments. This is a cash pot, where every participant puts money in, and all the money is paid out. In tournaments, \$9 of your entry fee goes in to the pot for your flight. For example, if there are 25 players in your flight, the pot is $25 \times 9 = \$225$. If there are 4 closests, they are each worth $225/4 = \$56$. Because all of the money is kept in the flight, the payouts often vary a little because the flights usually end up slightly different sizes.

Of course, there are some situations we run in to.

What if nobody hits one of the green on a hole? The pot is still split evenly among the winners, in this example, the remaining 3, so each gets $225/3 = \$75$.

What if somebody writes their name in the wrong flight, so we DQ the hole? Same thing – pay the other three.

This month had another unusual case in two flights – a blind draw. When a single player gets a blind draw partner in a team event, the blind draw does not get any winnings. If the closest on a hole is a single player, he does not get both halves of the team payout, since he only paid in one share. So, in this case, the pot is split 7 ways – a double share for each of the 3 teams, and a single share for the single.

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

TOP 25 - 2021-2022

Rank	Name	Total
1	Patterson, Ronald	940
2	Ortiz, Danny	839
3	Delgado, Robert	607
4	Moore, George	604
5	Kramer, John	574
6	Moir, James	568
7	Poh, Colby	558
8	Yurgans, Donald	546
9	Esparza, Aaron	522
10	Evans, Cary	485
11	Cabezas, Cali	450
12	Dyer, Joe	443
13	Young, Troy	422
14	Barrow, Boone	415
15	Clark, Thomas	399
16	Marquez, Alfonso	382
17	Torres, Ramiro	378
18	Nomura, Vito	378
19	Siakisini, Esela	371
20	Sullivan, Mike	363
21	Lovell, Jim	356
22	Tamashiro, Wes	351
23	Agan, John	346
24	Ostergaard, Chris	343
25	Anderson, David	341

(Includes President's Cup)

Derby Results



Our May Derby was a little light with only 9 teams, but we had a great time. Once again we ended up with a chip off out of the bunker to break the tie on the last hole, but this time the players hit the green on the first round. First place went to Tom Clark and Jim Moir with \$96, Second were Dave Lorenz and Rafael Becerra with \$56, and third were Lance and John Ford with \$38.



For new members, this is a 5 hole horse race on the Tuesday afternoon following each monthly tournament. It is alternate shot with a blind draw partner, focused on fun. It's a great opportunity to play with somebody new, from places you may have never played from. We play the holes as a group, so if you've never seen 20 carts on the fairway at the same time, you won't want to miss it. And when we reach the

green, we put out closest to farthest. The highest scores on each hole earn the team an early exit, with ties broken by a chip-off. It's only a \$5 buy in, and the club sweetens the pot with an extra \$100.

Special thanks go out to Kevin, Art, and the golf course for sponsoring the carts and golf for this fun event!

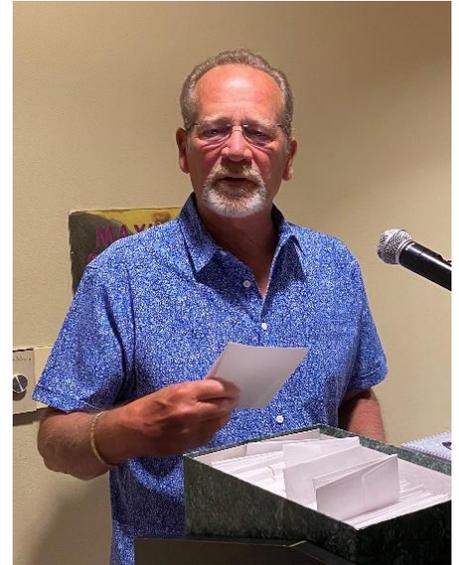
Dave Cox, Social Chairman

Laughlin Getaway 2022

I would like to take this time and thank all who participated in this year's Getaway on May 13-15 in Laughlin. It seems all the effort and sacrifice put into this year's event was well worth it. Special travel points to Gary Roehrig who traveled from Florida, and Chris Kaplan who came from Missouri.

All the golf courses were in great shape except for Los Lagos and the wind was not a big issue. There were 69 players on Thursday, 90 on Friday and 92 Saturday, all records from when I took over. We're already looking at courses for next year, so if you have feedback on the ones we played, or Huukan or Laughlin Ranch, let me know.

We had about 60 players who cashed in on over \$20,000 in payouts, with the most going to Troy Young taking home \$985 and Eric Fekin with \$945, not bad for a few days of golf. Complete golf results are available online in the [event portal](#), just like tournaments and skins games. Scroll down and click on the blue **GETAWAY 2022** title (not Results), then pick Results on the next screen. Be sure to pick the correct day in the drop-down menu.



I also want to thank my wife Charlotte, she not only stuffed the envelopes with all your winnings for Thursday and Friday but took care of the wives breakfast Friday morning, so when you see her, please let her know how much you appreciate what she did. There is also the scoring team of Mark and Brian Rief and Gary Abbott - I could not have done all I did without them. Thank you all very much.

If you did not go this year, maybe you might want to go next year and see if your name will be on the top of the money list. I would like to see us get over the century mark in 2023.

Thanks again, See you on the links,
Boone
boonegetaway@mail.com

Saturday Tournament Winners



First Flight
Aaron Fekin, Thomas Hallam



Second Flight
Chris Kaplan



Third Flight
Raul Hernandez, Jesse Mendoza, Phillip Mendoza



Tournament Results – 2 Man 4 Club Red Tees Better Ball – May 21, 2022

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

All payouts are PER TEAM and will be split

Better Ball Out (Scrip)

A Flight	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
T1	Dancses, Brian + Mouw, Billy	-3	69	\$185
T1	Abbott, Gary + Dyer, Joe	-3	69	\$185
T3	Marquez, Alfonso + Mercado, Martin	-2	70	\$74
T3	Lovell, Jim + Tamashiro, Wes	-2	70	\$74
T3	Patterson, Ronald + Rocovitz, Mark	-2	70	\$74
B Flight	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
1	Evans, Cary + Nolan, Tim	-6	66	\$200
T2	Waasdorp, Pete + Younger, Mike	-5	67	\$150
T2	Graven, Chris + Harlin, Jeff	-5	67	\$150
T4	Anderson, David + Mundy, Robert	-4	68	\$45
T4	Briggle, Thomas + Hughes, Daniel	-4	68	\$45
C Flight	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
T1	Young, Larry + Young, Troy	-8	64	\$200
T1	DelGado, Robert + Esparza, Aaron	-8	64	\$200
T3	Baker, Clarence	-6	66	\$65
T3	Mercurio, Ronald + Smith, Ken	-6	66	\$130
D Flight	Players	To Par Net	Total Net	Purse
1	Ostergaard, Chris + Skoglund, Bradley	-12	60	\$200
T2	Busanovitch, Corey + Lovell, Ron	-9	63	\$150
T2	Lopez, Ramiro G + Tellez, Robert	-9	63	\$150
T4	DeLay, Mark + Nomura, Vino	-8	64	\$45
T4	Moloney, Josh + Reyes, Prudencio	-8	64	\$45

Total Purse Allocated: \$2,367.00

Gross Skins – (cash pots)

A Flight	Players	Skins	Purse	Details
	Dancses, Brian + Mouw, Billy	2	\$70	Birdie on 12, Eagle on 17
	Marquez, Robert + Ortega, Mario	2	\$70	Birdie on 3, Birdie on 7
	Benc, Doug + Clark, Thomas	1	\$34	Birdie on 18
	Hallam, Thomas + Siakisini, Esela	1	\$34	Birdie on 11
	Marquez, Alfonso + Mercado, Martin	1	\$34	Birdie on 14
	Lovell, Jim + Tamashiro, Wes	1	\$34	Eagle on 13
B Flight	Players	Skins	Purse	Details
	Gilley, Jason + Vicario, Gil	2	\$76	Birdie on 2, Birdie on 7
	Springer, Marc + Verne, Eric	1	\$38	Eagle on 5
	Graven, Chris + Harlin, Jeff	1	\$38	Birdie on 15
	Becerra, Rafael + Robertson, Brian	1	\$38	Birdie on 17
	Anderson, David + Mundy, Robert	1	\$38	Eagle on 13

Kaplan, Chris + Moore, George 0 \$38 Birdie on 10

C Flight

Players	Skins	Purse	Details
DelGado, Robert + Esparza, Aaron	2	\$96	Birdie on 10, Birdie on 11
Barber, Darnell + Prisock, Aaron	1	\$48	Birdie on 18
Baker, Clarence	1	\$48	Birdie on 16
Cabezas, Cali + Nichols, Wayne	0	\$48	Birdie on 3

D Flight

Players	Skins	Purse	Details
Montelongo, Cruz + Montelongo, Vidal	1	\$64	Birdie on 5
Ostergaard, Chris + Skoglund, Bradley	1	\$64	Birdie on 14
Verne, Bryon + Verne, Sean	1	\$64	Birdie on 1
Cox, David + Hood, Brian	1	\$64	Birdie on 15

Total Purse Allocated:
\$1,038.00

Closest to the pin – (cash pots)

A Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Fitch, Chris + Harris, Nick	\$64	#14 16'4"
	Dancses, Brian + Mouw, Billy	\$64	#16 3'10"
	Gonzales, Rick + Lizarraga, Richard	\$64	#4 3'5"
	Abbott, Gary + Dyer, Joe	\$64	#7 5'2"

Total Purse Allocated: \$256.00

B Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Logan, John + Poh, Colby	\$68	#14 5'9"
	Evans, Cary + Nolan, Tim	\$68	#16 12'11"
	Kaplan, Chris + Moore, George	\$68	#4 3'8"
	Torres, Ramiro	\$34	#7 8'7"

Total Purse Allocated: \$238.00

C Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Young, Larry + Young, Troy	\$62	#17 5'3"
	Mercurio, Ronald + Smith, Ken	\$62	#2 4'6"
	DelGado, Robert + Esparza, Aaron	\$62	#7 3'10"
	Baker, Clarence	\$31	#14 3'6"

Total Purse Allocated: \$217.00

D Flight	Team	Purse	Details
	Moloney, Josh + Reyes, Prudencio	\$60	#14 3'6"
	Ostergaard, Chris + Skoglund, Bradley	\$60	#17 11'1"
	Brugger, Boston + Oaks, Nevan	\$60	#2 12'1"
	Elliott, Steven + Ruiz, Manuel	\$60	#7 7'3"

Total Purse Allocated: \$240.00