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- Membership Dues
- Join private chat at AOL on 10/12 between 8-10 PM

As you walk down the fairway of life you must smell the rose, for you only get to play one round!

# Lakewood G.C. Results!

August saw the ALSRI Tour 2000 stop at that delightful little muni course called Lakewood. Mild weather and a relatively easy layout combined to produced some low scores for the day. George Rey topped the 'C' Flight with a net 56! Chris Olson topped the 'A' Flight with a net 68 and Vern Miller topped the 'B' Flight with a net 70. In somewhat of a surprise, Linda Donato did not participate to claim her usual supply of balls for winning the Ladies Flight. Also, Dan McKenna topped the Guest Flight.

#### The winners are:

#### "A" Flight

1st Place Chris Olson 2nd Place Wayne Nakama 3rd Place Howard Wu

#### "B" Flight

1st Place Vern Miller

2nd Place Jerry Chang 3rd Place Alex Wong

## "C" Flight

1st Place George Rey 2nd Place David Jew 3rd Place Dan Hoshi

## **Ladies Flight**

No Participants

## **Guest Flight**

1st Place Dan McKenna

For your individual results and standings, please contact Larry Taylor at ljt356@aol. com, or go to the ALSRI web page at http://www.alsri.com. Check with Victor Vannukul to claim your prize.

# 2001 Membership is Due Now!!!!

ALSRI Club membership fees of \$35 is due on December 1st, the date of our annual end of the year tournament at Sierra Lakes Golf Course. If you are not planning to renew your membership ALSRI for 2001, please let us know as soon as possible. Late payment of your dues could be subject to a \$10 reinstatement fee imposed by SCGA. Membership forms will be available at the next ALSRI

tournament. If you are not planning to participate in the tournament at Sierra



Lakes golf course, please renew your membership by sending your check now to:

ALSRI GOLF CLUB C/O James Rhodes 44142 Anvers Ave., Lancaster, CA 93534

You may call James at (800) 413-5385 if you have any questions. I hope to see you on the course in the coming year!

# Challenge Corner

There was plenty of golf news to report in the last few months. The ALSRI club was once again very prominent around the local golf links.

Congratulations to the members of the Los Angeles team with their victory in the ALSRI Cup Team Competition which recently concluded at the Los Serranos South course. The L.A. Team finished 1st with a combined total of 864 followed by El Monte with 873 and Glendale with 881.

The 2000 SCGA Affiliate League Competition had the ALSRI golf club in competition with 3 other clubs (Gold Coast, Thompson Industrial, LA Singles) in the first round of play, with the top 2 teams going to a playoff shot gun at the SCGA Members Course in Rancho California on November 9<sup>th</sup>.

ALSRI finished in last place only 3 pts shy of a playoff spot at 21 points (we needed 24). We had one First place finish (7pts), One Second (5pts), a tie for Second (4pts), a third (3pts), and two last place (1pt each).

13 club members participated and should be thanked for their effort. The members are: Jimmy Henson, Howard Wu, Steve Klotz, Lou Pacho, Dennis Murakami, George Murphy, Rick Sackett, Don Stephens, Larry Taylor, Victor Vannukul, Bob Watson, Wayne Nakama, Alex Wong.

The first Tri-Org Tournament was held September 22nd at the Griffith Park-Wilson course. The tournament, a joint effort of AIM-IRS, APO, and HIRE was a success. Approximately 80 golfers participated in this worthwhile venture. Results of the tournament will be reported at a later date.

Remember to forward results of any upcoming challenges to Larry Taylor. He can be reached at LJT356@aol.com.

#### 2000 ALSRI TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE Friday, February 18, 2000 Westridge Golf Course 8:00A \$55 Friday, April 14, 2000 Los Serranos (North), Chino Hills 9:00A \$45 River Ridge G.C. 8:02A \$45 Friday, June 9, 2000 Friday, August 25, 2000 **Lakewood Golf Course** 10:00A \$45 Friday, September 22, 2000 Griffith Park-Wilson 8:00A \$50 \*\*\* Friday, October 13, 2000 Rancho Park G.C. 7:06A \$45 Friday, December 1, 2000 Sierra Lakes G.C. 8:00A \$65

\*\*\* Tri-Org (AIM-APO-HIRE) Golf Tournament Not an Official ALSRI Tournament

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# Rancho Park Golf Course Tournament Starting Time -Friday, October 13, 2000 Starting at 7:06AM

# Please arrive at the golf course at least 45 minutes before your scheduled Tee Time

No. Time 1. 7:06A	<u>Name</u> <u>Flight</u> Larry Taylor Howard Wu Bryan Inoue Victor Vannukul	No. Time 10. 8:12	Name Flight Bill Nixt Jack Ferguson John Wong Ron Mendoza	No. <u>Time</u> 19. 9:18
2. 7:12	Alex Wong Chuck Wong Jim Lamdagan Richard Page	11. 8:18	Stephen Klotz George Murphy Bernard Penafuerte Larry Nelson	20. 9:24
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7. 7:48	Archie Nakaoka Al Campbell Steven Campbell James Rhodes	16. 8:54	Dennis Murakami Stan Shirai Ron Martorella XX	participan from the
8. 7:54	Brad Ou Bruce Summers John Fawaz Ron Yamada	17, 9:06	Henry Eng Dennis Osaka Bob Henderson Frank Wun	HIT & PUT KEEP THE GROUP IN
<b>9.</b> 8:06	Don Odama Mike Quinn Al Fuji Rocher Dubois	18. 9:12	Jim Judd Jim Nelson Jin Nelson's Son Stan Teragawa	* <u>A, B &amp; C Flig</u>

# Rancho Park Golf Course Address & Phone Number

Address: 10460 West Pico Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90064

(310) 838-7373

**Directions:** Going west, take Santa Monica Fwy (I-10) to Overland Ave. Turn North to Pico Blvd. Turn right to Golf Course. Going South on San

Travel east to Golf Course. Going North on San Diego Fwy (405), take Santa Monica Fwy (I-10) to Overland Ave. Turn North to Pico Blvd. Turn right to golf course.

In case of an emergency, call Tim's cell @ 909-897-3977!!!

#### ober SCGA Index:

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**Robert Watson Kyle Watson** Fred Wade Shig Maeno

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Ladies (L): 1st place prize

Guest (G): 1st place prize

**Long Drive Prize:** On number #7

Optional \$\$\$ Holes

Par 3s: On #3, #8, #12, and #16.

(\$1 each hole - \$ 4 total 80/20% split)

# 2000-01 ALSRI **Boardmembers**

**President Stephen Klotz Treasurer** Stan Teragawa Asst. Treasurer Victor Vannukul **Competition Chair Larry Taylor Asst. Competition Chair Bryan Inoue Tournament Chair** Stan Gin **Rules Chair Don Stephens Membership Chair James Rhodes Handicap Chair** Archie Nakaoka Webmaster **George Murphy Newsletter Editor Tim Baldwin Tournament Starter** Kirk Boswell **Member-At-Large** Dennis Murakami

# Message from the Editor.....tim Baldwin

turn.

to include any area that isn't the fairway.

I'm going to play at Oak Valley on Monday and while that, for me, is an thought, I imposing wondered what would happen if I could make or change some of the Rules of Golf. (Please don't tell Victor Vannukul about this article.) I think the following changes would be in order:

Water hazards will now fall under the "Ball Wash" section of the rules. Players have the option removing their balls from said hazards, informing playing partners that you meant to do that, and continuing play as if the unfortunate shot never happened. Drop the ball in the nearest dry, good lie closest to the pin. Oh, and deduct a stroke to help you cope with the impending dry-cleaning bill for your wet trousers.

You are entitled to a free drop if your ball lands in "Ground Under Repair."

The definition of "Ground Under Repair" is expanded The definition of "Water Hazard" is expanded to include anyone who downs too many beers on the course

without visiting the john at the

The definition of "Nearest Point of Relief" is changed to be the spot where the ball stops rolling after another player in your group yells, "Hey, stop kicking your ball!"

The definition of "Out of Bounds" is changed from "an area out of play" to "a state of mind.

To help calculate scores more efficiently, count any strokes after the eighth stroke in reverse order. Thus, a 10 is recorded as a 6. This is for clarity's sake, of course.

I you think you lost a ball and play a provisional ball and then find the original ball after shanking your second shot with the provisional ball, you may play the original ball without penalty even if the original ball had somehow

made it into your pocket a n d mysteriously reappeared in the middle of the fairway. Oh, and deduct a stroke for all the hassle.

Plavers weighing more than 250 pounds shall now fit into the definition of "Immovable Obstructions."

A ball that lands on the wrong putting green may not be played, unless the putt on the wrong green is sinkable.

A player is automatically disqualified if he/she laughs at a handicap being "short arms." Exception: anyone kissing up to his/ her boss.

Introducing firearms to a "Slow Play" dispute is heavily frowned upon. Perfectly understandable, but heavily frowned upon.

Declaring "Course Unplayable" after wagers have been made is heavily frowned upon. Perfectly understandable. heavily frowned upon.

# Handicap Notes.....Archie Nakaoka

If you played two nine hole courses in a row, even if you played them on different days, you need to post a score. Simply combine the two nine hole totals into an 18 hole score. If, however, you squeezed a regulation 18 hole round in between the two nine hole rounds, then you would not record the two nines.

Remember, you are required to post your score after each round you play to ensure an • accurate handicap index.

## Handicap Points of **Interest**

- Average club index is 19.1
- Most improved golfer for the month of October is Michael Takahashi from 11.5 to 10.2

Best improvement for their index in the last 12 months is James Nelson from 19.7 to 14.2

If you cannot record you score due to the lack of computers or the pro shop closing, you can contact Archie at (213) 576-3844 to have him input you score(s). Keep your score cards so he can verify the score, slope, and course ratings.

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# Inside ALSRI......Golfnut

(The writings of Golfnut do not reflect the opinions of the editor or the ALSRI Golf Club)

Greetings members and friends. After two months of good feelings, its time to get back to some good ol' fashioned smack talk.... Howard "Tiger" Wu seems to have kicked his game into a new gear. Playing on his "home course" Lakewood, Howie applied the screws to Tim Baldwin. Tim was seen rummaging through his bag for a can of Whup-ass to try and stem the tide, but all he could find were empties! The sounds of "Tiger Wuuuuuuuuuuuu uuuuuuuuuuuuuu" could be heard throughout the course....By the way, what happened to **Dennis** Murakami? I hear he's lost his driver (or was it his ability to hit a driver?) Is he another candidate for the witness protection program? Dennis recently made a pilgrimage to the Hawaiian Islands to seek his lost tee shot. It's rumored that he was going to drop his driver into a live Volcano if it didn't start to behave! Stay tuned... Kudos' to Wayne Nakama,

who shot a gross 76 at Skylinks the Ladies flight, he/she was recently, including getting named honorary winner of bogies on 17 and 18 with this flight for the Lakewood darkness falling. (I think its time we start giving steroid checks t o all the competitors)...Hey, we have some members who been AWOL for a while. Has anyone seen Lou Barron, Ron Yamada, Marcus Ou, Stan Gin, Bob Hollisbrau, **Shirley Worsham** lately? What's going on guys, is there a secret party somewhere that the rest of us aren't invited to? Congratulations to the newsletter editor, Tim (King Baldwin, Arthur) who recently tied the knot at the **Excalibur Hotel** in Las Vegas. Rumor has it that his new bride didn't take it very well when he suggested they honeymoon at **Primm** with the boys. (We now know who exhausted Tim's supply of Whup-ass!).... Hey Victor, I understand Archie Nakaoka won't play against you until you get a lower handicap. He says right now you won't be giving him enough strokes. Be a man V2, offer him as many as you were going to give to the Big score? How does it go, WIDE Dawg....Speaking of James RIGHT?! See you all next "Mrs. Fields" Rhodes, since Friday! Please be there on there was no one competing in time.

Tournament. Watch out Big Dawg, Linda Donato is ready to take you down at Rancho....Can someone explain to me why Jim Nelson's handicap dropping like a rock? couldn't be from sneaking out taking lessons at the Wilson Course could it? Maybe we better get someone to clock his lunch breaks....Hey Jimmy Henson, was that you I saw recently on my trip to the Philippines? You could have asked me if I wanted to I wouldn't embarrass you.....Our next tournament is the end of the year tournament at Sierra Lakes Golf Course. Cost includes lunch, raffles prizes, and free range balls. Be sure to sign early....Holy Krispy Kremes!!! Final Score UCLA Michigan 20. Larry Taylor and Bryan Inoue are preparing for a NICE lunch at **EDOKKO'S** after that win by **UCLA**. Anybody else besides **Tim** need an aspirin after that

Join "ALSRI" private chat room at AOL on October 12, **2000 between 8-**10 PM.

## You are invited to join "ALSRI" private chat room at AOL on October 12th between 8-10 PM

If you haven't had the opportunity, take a few minutes and join the ALSRI private chat room between 8 and 10 on December 2nd. Since we like to consider ourselves sophisticated golfers, the stimulating conversation will probably include the usual talk about putting technique, swing thoughts, and course It will also management. probably include the usual

amount of smack talk regarding who beat who for lunch, who has an ugly swing, and who needs to take a lesson. Some of our sessions would make Jerry Springer blush, however, its all in good fun and helps get the adrenaline flowing for the tournament the following day. So, come on out what's really and see happening behind the scenes at ALSRI. You won't be disappointed. The private chat

room is limited to members who have access to AOL. The smack will start promptly at 8PM. To get to ALSRI Private Chatroom, on your AOL screen, CLICK "PEOPLE", then click "FIND PRIVATE CHAT" to find name screen. Then type "ALSRI" to join. Go ahead and log on if you have the stomach for it!

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# ALSRI GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT SIGN-UP FORM

Event: Sierra Lakes Golf Course

Date: Friday, December 1, 2000 Entry Fee:

8:00AM

(One round of golf, 1/2 cart and tournament prizes)

Player #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Player #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Player #3: \_\_\_\_\_

Player #4: \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to:

\$65

# ALSRI GOLF CLUB

Mail check (**payable to ALSRI**) along with this entry form to:

ALSRI GOLF CLUB c/o: STAN TERAGAWA 6044 Magnolia Ave Whittier, CA 90601

Payment must be received by **November 17**, **2000** to guaranty a spot.