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Gary Bohonus is the winner of the 2003 TOC Champion

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Special points of interest:

- Gary Bohonus is the new club champion
- Second roun of the Survivors Cup is May 16, 2003 @ Los Serranos NORTH. Jim Judd and Rich Brawley is seeded #1 for the second round.
- Our next tournament is @ Primm Resort near Las Vegas. Dateline to sign - up is May 25, 2003.

It's another "De Javu" at our Tournament of Champions held at Sierra Lakes "aka Twister Alley" Golf course. The gusty wind wrecked havoc to most players including pre-tournament favorite, Tim "The Kid" Baldwin who called "Sierra Lakes" his second home. Albeit recent ski injury, another favorite and the defending champion, Tim Forrest, did manage to finish in third place. At the meeting held immediately after the tournament, the board anonymously voted to exclude Sierra Lakes Golf Course from the future ALSRI tournament. Gary Bohonus did manage to outlast other TOC qualifiers and will have the bragging right for the year 2003.

Other winners are:

"A" Flight

- 1st Place Brian Klotz
 2nd Place Chuck Carlton
 3rd Place Bob Watson

"B" Flight

- 1st Place Gary Bohonus ("TOC Champ")
 2nd Place Al Campbell

3rd Place Tim Baldwin

"C" Flight

- 1st Place Bill Kim
 2nd Place Duane Anderson
 3rd Place Tim Forrest

Ladies Flight

Marty Yuhnke

Low Gross

Gusto Robinson

Guest Flight

"Sweet" Lou Pacho

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.

First round of the 2003 "Survivors Cup"

By: Tim "The Kid" Baldwin

When you take a long golf course (7104 yards from the Blue Tees), and cut down about 80% of the eucalyptus trees that line its fairways, you would think that would make it very advantageous to a long hitter. **WRONG!** As the Survivor Cup

Coordinator, I can't take credit for it, but the way to neutralize this advantage is to aerate and sand the greens before hand. On Friday, March 14th, 18 teams (36 players) set out to play the South Course at Los Serranos. Just imagine 36

golfers singing "I will survive" in unison, don't worry you didn't miss out, because that didn't happen. Sure, there was the obligatory pre-round handicap squabble, the scientific pairing selection method, and a VooDoo

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Just a few thought.....Dennis Murakami

Here are a few signs to let you know you're getting older:

- You have one of those suction cups at the end of your putter grip to avoid bending over to pick up your ball.
- Your favorite golf courses are the one's with the most restrooms between holes.
- Your warm up used to consist of hitting a bucket of balls and putting. Now your warm up is popping two Advil and staying out of the sun.
- You begin to wonder why you've avoided Top-Flites all these years.
- You're favorite club is an 11 wood.
- You finally come to an easy Par 4 and someone tells you it's a Par 3.
- You get to an easy par 5 and find out it's a Par 4.
- You get to a real Par 5 and don't really care because you can't see that far anyway.
- You were once able to play 2 or 3 days in a row with no problems. Now you try to play 2 or 3 holes without hurting yourself.
- Your handicap begins to approach the age of your oldest child.
- (If you're a guy) Waitresses used to smile and flirt with you. Now they call you "dear" and recommend the salad with the lo-cal dressing.
- (If you're a gal). The Waiters used to smile and flirt with you. Now they ask your advice about golf clubs because their mothers are taking up the game too.
- You recognize more players on the Senior Champions Tour than the regular PGA tour.
- You enjoy playing with younger players not because of the competition but because they can tell you where your ball went.
- At one time you could recall every shot from a round 6 months ago. Now you can't even remember where you put your car keys.
- You begin thinking portable defibrillators on golf carts is an excellent idea.
- The first words out of your mouth at the golf course are "What's the senior rate?"

2003 ALSRI TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Thurs-Sun, June 26-29, 2003	Primm Valley Resort & Golf Club	8:00A	\$249***
Friday, August 15, 2003	Rancho Park Golf Course	7:30A	\$46
Friday, October 10, 2003	Griffith Park-Wilson	7:30A	\$46
Friday, December 5, 2003	Los Serranos (SOUTH)	8:00A	\$65**

* Year-End tournament. Price included golf, lunch and range balls

** Shotgun Start

***The first annual "IRS & Friend West Coast Tournament" 4 days/3 nights, two rounds of golf, banquet dinner on Saturday night, tournament prizes. (Each player will get his/her own room).

The River Ridge Tournament Starting Time – Friday, April 25, 2003
Starting at 7:30 AM SHOTGUN Start!
 Please arrive at the golf course no later than 7 A.M.

No.	Time	Name	Flight	No.	Time	Name	Flight
1A	7:30A	Jimmy Henson	A	15A		Dan McKenna	A
		Victor Vannukul	A			David Jew	C
		Bernard Penafuerte	A			Rudy Carpio	G
		Gerry Carmona	G			Steve Jagatich	G
1B		Brad Ou	B	15B		JimJudd	C
		Bruce Summers	G			Jim Nelson	A
		John Fawaz	B			Roger Law	B
		RonYamada	A			George Murphy	C
18A		Dennis Murakami	A	14A		Bernie Spaulding	G
		Jack Weed	A			Rick Sackett	B
		Chris Olson	A			Steve Ray	G
		Jim Wilson	G			Vern Miller	B
18B		Bryan Inoue	B	14B		Jim Lamdagan	B
		Howard Wu	A			Nancy Stayer	L
		Larry Taylor	A			Rich Marchioni	G
		Tim Baldwin	B			Shig Maeno	B
17A		Alex Wong	B				
		Chuck Wong	C				
		Bob Henderson	C				
		Frank Wun	B				
17B		Stan Gin	A				
		Tom Veatch	C				
		Rich Brawley	C				
		Open					
16A		George Rey	C				
		Mario Alvarez	C				
		Peter Rey	G				
		Irene Zuniga	G				
16B		Bob Sackett	C				
		Gary Anderson	G				
		Jack Froelich	G				
		OPEN					

Use April 2003 SCGA Index:

A Flight: 0-14.0
 B: 14.1- 19.7
 C: 19.8 and above
 Ladies: Open
 W: Members without in dex
 Guest: Modified Calloway or established SCGA/PLGA/WGA index as of **April 2003**

Men: Use White Tee
Ladies: Use RED Tee
W ALSRI members with-out established SCGA index (use Modified Calloway)

ALL Gentlemen participants please tee off from the WHITE Tee!

**PLAY READY GOLF
 HIT & PUTT WHEN READY
 KEEP PACE WITH THE
 GROUP IN FRONT OF YOU!**

River Ridge Golf Course Address & Phone Number

Address: 2401 West Vineyard Avenue
 Oxnard, CA 93030
 Tel. (805) 983-4653

Directions: Hwy 101 to Vine yard exit in Oxnard; go West 2 miles to course

In case of an emergency, call Victor's cell @ 626-786-2356! Not a toll free number. If you think you will be late, please give Victor a call. No refund (Course policy). In the event of increment weather situation, call the course for the final conditions.

- * **A, B & C Flight: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prize.**
- * **Ladies (L): 1st place prize**
- * **Guest (G): 1st place prize**
- * **Low Gross: 1st place prize**
- * **Long Drive Prize: On number #6 Men & Women**
- * **Optional \$\$\$ Holes**
- * **Par 3s: On #3, #5, #8, and #17.**
- * **(\$5 for all CTP 80/20% split)**

Survivors Cup First Round Results

2003 ALSRI Board members

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Tournament Starter

(Vacant)

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Stan Teragawa

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rain dance (unfortunately, the rain was a little too late). The first foursome teed off at approximately, 8:00 AM and the last foursome finished their round nearly 7 hours later.

It is what happened in between that really makes for a good story. We let the ALSRI President go first, his partner failed to get a hole-in-one so they missed the cut by one. Bernard and D.J. did their best, but apparently, 1,150 yards is not much of a benefit in treeless Chino Hills. The second group had three attorneys plus a suspiciously high handicapper. They found the conditions suited their game and handicaps to a tee. The only patchwork team in the competition had a combined 78 stroke handicap and finished first with a net 141.

The story of the day was that Bill Kim put 5 balls in the lake on the #8th hole and his team still managed to finish fourth out of 18 teams. The defending champs Chris Olson and James Rose the smallest handicap and couldn't qualify to repeat. Archie and the Afterthoughts snuck into the Second Round. Tim Baldwin had the flu, and his first drive had the flew (out of bounds that is), which started off a very long day for his team.

All in all it was fun! The next round is at Los Serranos' North Course on May 16th.

Results:

Qualifiers:

Judd 115/77 & Brawley 104/64 (141); R. Sackett 91/73 & Guignard 97/71 (144); Murakami 86/75 & Vannukul 88/75 (150); Hoshi 100/69 & Kim 104/81 (150); B. Sackett 100/74 & Fullington 102/78 (152); Chang 98/81 & Wong 89/72 (153); Nelson 88/73 & Law 103/81 (154); and Nakaoka 107/80 & Gin 93/75 (155).

Non-Qualifiers:

Wu 101/85 & Inoue 94/71 (156); Klotz 94/77 & Murphy 112/79 (156); Taylor 89/76 & Baldwin 100/81 (157); Penafuerte 91/73 & Bennett 98/86 (159); Eng 102/81 & Wun 97/78 (159); Henderson 106/72 & Nakama 103/90 (162); Castro 99/75 & Faildo 113/88 (163); Olson 86/82 & Rose 100/88 (170); Rey 116/87 & Alvarez 126/87 (174); Yuhnke 125/93 & Hughes 123/91 (184).

The second round of the Survivors Cup is Friday, May 16th @ Los Serranos NORTH. We will make extra tee times to accommodate golfers who want to play along with those

who has qualified.

Thanks to everyone that participated!



Relax before the ALSRI CUP Match. From left to right, Chuck Carlton, George Nichols, Larry Taylor and Wayne Nakama.

Inside ALSRI.....Golfnut

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

Spring is here and along with the new leaves comes the new golf equipment. Heading into this Spring Golf nut has noticed several ALSRI players sporting all the new equipment on the market. Take a look in the golf bags of ALSRI members **Larry Taylor and Howard Wu** and you can get a look at the new Titles 690CB blades. Their new motto is "**Forged is better!**".....Not to be outdone, **Victor Vannukul** has added new Mizuno irons and the newest Titleist 983K driver to his arsenal. Talk about weapons of Mass Destruction! No course is going to be able to hold these guys. Golfnut has also heard that **Bernard Penafuerte** is preparing to display his new set of clubs at the River Ridge tournament. Look out "A" flight, the hounds have been released....**If you haven't turned in your reservation for the IRS West Coast and Friends tournament, you'd better hurry because spots are running out. The tournament is June 26-29 at the Primm Valley Resort. Call the resort at 800-FUNSTOP and mention our group code, SGA 0626 to reserve your spot.** You can use your credit card to pay for this tournament. Your card won't be charged until June 1, 2003. This is a can't miss,

can't lose tournament. Sign up as soon as possible....The Survivor Cup series has started and it appears that this years matches will go to the wire. The reigning champions, **James Rose and Chris Olsen**, have already been eliminated. At this point Golfnut is afraid to pick a potential champion, however, **Jim Judd and Rich Brawley**



Have you seen this man on the left? Big Dawg has been missing from ALSRI tournament since October last year.

have got to be given consideration based on their handicaps...Well, for those who participated in both "Twister Open" tournaments in 2001 and early this year in February. You can bet your life that it won't happen again. ALSRI's board do apologize for the misbehavior of the mother nature and already scratch out Sierra Lakes course from the potential tournament sites for our club...This just in, Ms. Cleo of the infamous "Psychic Network" just made her latest prediction. At River Ridge tournament, we will have a new Ladies Winner, her last name is starting with "S" and ended with "Y". Interesting

huh?..Congratulation to one of our member, **Steve Campbell** who just bought a new home in the Temecula Valley. Steve would get plenty of the opportunity to play many of the courses in Temecula Valley area such as Red Hawk, Temeku Hills, Temecula Creeks, SCGA Members Club and Cross Creek to name a few...Forget about Waldo, Osama or Saddam, we have our own Waldo in our club...Shoo! Have you seen **James "Big Dawg" Rhodes** lately? Big Dawg has not participated in any of the ALSRI tournament since Griffith Park last year. No, he's not quitting golf. The rumors said Big Dawg is taking a hibernation from ALSRI tournament this year to protest the board's rejection of his request for him to participate in the Ladies Flight since the only male golfers he can beat right now is none other than his long time nemesis, **Stan "Gravy Train" Gin**...See you all at River Ridge.....



Howard Wu and Bryan Inoue posing for GOLF NUT after conquering the "Rock" hole #14 at Oak Quarry early this year.

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ALSRI GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT SIGN-UP FORM

Event: Primm Valley Resort & Casino

Date: Thursday, June 26 thru Sunday June 29, 2003
8:00 AM Shotgun Start on Friday and Saturday

Entry Fee: \$249

(Two round of golf, 1/2 cart and tournament prizes, 4 days/3 nights deluxe hotel accommodation & banquet dinner after golf on Saturday, 5/28/03)

Player #1: _____

Player #2: _____

Player #3: _____

Call the resort directly at:

1-800-FUNSOP

Mention our group code

SGA 0626

Use your credit card to reserve your spot by **May 25, 2003** to guaranty a spot.