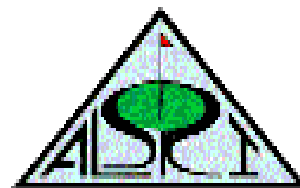


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The 2003 IRS and Friends West Coast Golf Tournament Was A Success!

.....Stephen Klotz, ALSRI President

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The ALSRI Golf Club is proud to have been the host for our first –ever national IRS tournament. The board worked diligently to ensure that everyone enjoyed their time in the Primm and Las Vegas, Nevada areas.

After the tournament, a survey was sent to all IRS employees that participated in the tournament. Of the 39 employee surveys that were sent out, we received 22 responses. This 56% response rate is very high compared to most survey response rates and indicates both the interest and enthusiasm that the participants had surrounding this event.

The results of the survey are below, and we have already begun using this feedback in planning our tournament for next year.

I would like to extend a special thanks to Victor Vannukul, tournament director, for all of his time and dedication in putting on this tournament and Ron Nestor from the IRS Myrtle Beach tournament, for his assistance, support and encouragement for this endeavor.

Throughout this newsletter you will find articles regarding the sights, sounds and events that took place at Primm, as well as the results

of the tournament.

We hope that those of you who were able to participate will join us again next year, and that those of you who were unable to participate will be able to join us for the fun next time around!!

SURVEY RESULTS

22/39 surveys were completed from those mailed out (56% response rate).

Ratings of satisfaction were given on a scale from 1 (poor) to 5 (excellent).

HOTEL

- Q1. Hotel Service – 3.9
- Q2. Hotel Banquet – 4.4

GOLF

- Q1. Golf Service – 4.6
- Q2. Golf Course – 4.4
- Q3. Short Game Clinic – 4.2
- Q4. Awards – 4.7

Special points of interest:

...West Coast & Friends Tournament Results

...3rd Round Survivor Cup results

...Pictures from Primm—ALSRI highlights

Rancho Park Tournament

Friday, August 15, 2003

First tee time is 7:30A

Please arrive at the course at least one hour before your scheduled starting time

Group	Time	Name	Flight	Group	Time	Name	Flight
1	7:30A	Larry Taylor	A	9	8:36A	Gerry Carmona	G
1		Tim Baldwin	B	9		Chong Lee	G
1		Gerard Quarry	B	9		Tim Bilotta	G
1		Richer Dubois	B	9		Bernard Penafuerte	B
2	7:36A	Wayne Nakama	A	10	8:42A	Tom Veatch	C
2		Nick Castro	C	10		TV – Guest	G
2		Ben Mungcal	C	10		TV – Guest	G
2		Daylan Faildo	C	10		TV – Guest	G
3	7:42A	Kenny Kim	G	11	8:48A	Rudy Carpio	G
3		DJ Bennett	L	11		Kirk Boswell	A
3		Stephen Klotz	B	11		Bill Evans	B
3		George Murphy	C	11		David Jew	C
4	7:48A	Kevin Chang	G	12	8:54A	Fran Wun	B
4		Jerry Chang	A	12		Bob Henderson	C
4		Alex Wong	A	12		Dennis Osaka	C
4		Dan Hoshi	C	12		Linda Donato	L
5	8:06A	Chris Olson	A	13	9:06A	Nancy Stayer	L
5		Dennis Murakami	A	13		Gary Stayer	G
5		Jack Weed	A	13		George Broomis	G
5		James Rose	A	13		Richard Sanchez	C
6	8:12A	Joe Zamberlin	G	14	9:12A	Rick Sackett	B
6		Harvey Leong	G	14		RS – Guest	G
6		Lou Barron	B	14		RS – Guest	G
6		James Lamdagen	C	14		RS – Guest	G
7	8:24A	OPEN		15	9:18A	Jesus Gonzales	A
7		Chuck Fullington	B	15		Steve Nichols	A
7		Robert Sackett	B	15		Howard Wu	B
7		Stephanie Rogers	L	15		Archie Nakaoka	C
8	8:28A	Craig Weaver	G				
8		Jim Nelson	A				
8		Roger Law	B				
8		Jim Judd	C				



Index Flights

Men
 Use August 2003 SCGA/USGA
Index:
 (Tentative Spread)

A Flight: 0-14.9
 B: 15.- 22.9
 C: 23.0 and above

Ladies: **Open**
Guest: **Open**

Men: Use **WHITE** Tee
 Ladies: Use **RED** Tee

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Tournament Format:

Individual Stroke Play (NET) with Index

Important phone number:

Victor's cell: 626-786-2356
 (Emergency Only)
 Email: waves3464@aol.com
 Or victor.v.vannukul@irs.gov

Driving Directions & Address:

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 Diego Fwy (405) exit at Pico Blvd. **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!!!



Challenge Corner

IRS & Friends West Coast Tournament (Primm) Results!

Employees With Handicap

A Flight

1. Norman Light, Fresno, California
2. Robert Lujan, Sandy, Utah
3. John Tamaki, Belmont, California

B Flight

1. Bill Kim, Santa Ana, California
2. Gary Anderson, Las Vegas, Nevada
3. Stephen Klotz, Rancho Cucamonga, California

C Flight

1. Ron Nestor, Irmo, SC (low net overall, 130)
2. Richard Brawley, Arcadia, California
3. Archie Nakaoka, San Dimas, California

Ladies

A Flight

1. Denise Bergsrud, Burbank, California
2. Yeh-Chaio Hung, Arcadia, California
3. Debra Bennett, Los Angeles

B Flight

1. Maggie Tse, Highland, Michigan
2. Marina Hilton, Alexandria, Virginia
3. Kathy Nichols, Arcadia, California

Employee No Handicap (Callaway)

A Flight

1. Harry Anderson, Fairview, Virginia
2. Richard Mort, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
3. Steve Kargauer, Baltimore, Maryland

B Flight

1. Richard Kraus, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
2. Ed Shoemaker, Burke, Virginia
3. Eugene Murphy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

C Flight

1. Richard Palamara, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
2. Chris Behan, Elyria, Ohio
3. Greg Edgar, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Friends/Guests

A Flight

1. Patrick Behan, Chesapeake, Virginia
2. Bill Fetner, Temple City, California
3. Douglas Davey, Escondido, California

B Flight

1. Guy Matsubara, Torrance, California
2. Bert Bergsrud, Burbank, California
3. Christiano DiPasquale, Burbank, California

C Flight

1. Bill Gray, Irmo, SC
2. Robert Steimel, Highpoint, NC
3. Jeff Davey, Fallbrook, California

2003 ALSRI TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Friday, February 7, 2003	Sierra Lakes Golf Course	8:00A	\$65**
Friday, April 25, 2003	River Ridge Golf Course	7:30A	\$46**
Thurs-Sun, June 26-29, 2003	Primm Valley 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**

** Shotgun Start

*** Western US/Primm Tournament. 4 Days 3 nights, 2 rounds of golf, Saturday Dinner, prizes.

Survivors Cup Third Round Results

.....Rick Sackett, Survivors Cup Matches Coordinator

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Birds Do It

The third Round of the Survivor Cup took place on Friday, July 11th, at Santa Anita Golf Course. It started out as an overcast day with a slight mist in the air, this seemed like a good situation for the middle of July. When I showed up, I saw Jim Nelson practicing his putting, Roger Law had arrived just moments before me, and my partner Jerry Guignard was already hitting a bucket of balls. Nowhere to be found was Bill Kim, Dan Hoshi, Chuck Fullington or Bob Sackett. Whoever said the early bird gets the worm, must have not heard that the late mouse gets the cheese. Maybe the early risers were worn out by the time the golfing started.

The format for Round #3 was *Alternating Holes with one Bailout Hole*. It seemed like a no-brainer to every team, the better golfer would play the odd holes, and higher handicapped partner would play the even holes. After all, the even holes were by far the tougher holes with higher handicaps getting to take more strokes. As it turned out that was "Pretzel Logic" and some teams actually had their best player play the tougher holes. Whichever, way the teams chose to play, it ended up being the wrong way. By switching the selected holes between the partners and using perfect hindsight for the bailout hole, the four teams did better by the following amounts: R. Sackett/Guignard 9 strokes; Kim/Hoshi 6 strokes; B. Sackett/Fullington 4 strokes; and Nelson/Law 4 strokes. The end result of counting the opposite holes (i.e.: who survives?), wouldn't have changed. In fact, I tallied up the scores using both the first round format (Team Low Net), and the second round format (Better Ball) with the same teams surviving. Even total low gross wouldn't have saved the non-survivors. No matter how you slice it, the Survivors deserved to win.

Sometimes there are clues that tell you that you're going to have a great

round of golf, like sinking a long putt on the first hole, or having an errant tee shot ricochet off a tree out into the middle of the fairway. And sometimes there are definite signs that you are going to have a bad round. Jerry and I received a sign or should I say a S*** Load of signs. After the 6th hole we had just gone from 1 stroke behind our playing partners (Kim/Hoshi) to 3 strokes back, when we discovered that an apparent sick bird had decorated our scorecard, and Jerry's golf clubs.

Getting back to the real story, the bailout holes were used to their maximum advantage by both Nelson/Law and Kim/Hoshi. The team with perhaps the best round, B. Sackett/Fullington, didn't even use their bailout hole. Here are the specifics: B. Sackett(91)/Fullington(91) net alternating holes {72}; Kim(88)/Hoshi (103)={72}; R. Sackett(91)/Guignard (104) = {79}; Nelson(97)/Law(97)={82}.

The next and last round of the Survivor Cup will tentatively be held at San Dimas Golf Course, on September 12th. The format will be Match Play, (6 holes Total Low Net, 6 holes Net Better Ball, and 6 holes Net Alternating Holes w/ no bailout). If there are any complaints, tell it to the birds.

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1st Annual IRS & Friends Tournament Highlights!



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ALSRI GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT SIGN-UP FORM

Event: Wilson Golf Course (Griffith Park)

Date: Friday, October 10, 2003

Entry Fee: \$46

First tee time is 7:30A

Player #1: _____

Player #2: _____

Player #3: _____

Player #4: _____

*Mail your check along with
the sign-up form to:*

**ALSRI GOLF CLUB
C/o Bernard Penafuerte
1721 S. Cordova
Alhambra, CA 91801**

Dateline for Griffith Park
Tournament sign-up is
Friday, September 19, 2003

*You may also sign-up your group online at our website at
WWW.ALSRI.COM.*