

ALSRI GOLF CLUB NEWSLETTER

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## “Slim Jim” won A Flight for the second time in a row!!

It's start to be a regular act for the “Slim Jim” Nelson, Chief of SBSE Counsel, who once again shows he's the boss of the “A” Flight. This is the second 1st place finish in a row for Slim Jim just in time to defend his title @ Sierra Lakes (Jim won 1st place , A Flight, in 2001).

B Flight:	1st	Byron Hilga
	2nd	Alex Wong
	3rd	A Rodriguez
C Flight:	1st	Vern Miller
	2nd	Earl Estrada
	3rd	Bob Sackett

The other winners at Cypress are:

Low Gross:	Chris Olson
Ladies Flight:	Marty Yuhnke
A Flight:	1st Jim Nelson
	2nd Wayne Nakama
	3rd Chris Olson

The other big winners of annual year end members only raffles are Steve Klotz and Augusto Rodriguez. They won a handsome “Nike” cart bag.

Congratulation to all winners!

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.

## 2003 Survivors Cup Competition will start in March.....Rick Sackett

Survivor Cup is coming! What is "Survivor Cup," you ask? It is the brainchild of Dennis Murakami, our ALSRI Membership Chairman. He first introduced it to us two years ago. It had such a warm reception, that we voted to have the event every other year, alternating with the ALSRI Cup years. The format for the Survivor Cup, is that you pick a partner, someone who wants to be your partner.

The only requirement is that all of the participants must be ALSRI members, and they must have an established SCGA handicap. The field of participants from 2001, was limited to 32 players (16 teams). Since our membership has grown. we would like to accommodate more teams initially. The operative word here is initially! The first elimination is scheduled for March 14th, at Los Serranos (North).

**Special points of interest:**

- Survivors Cup will start in March. Chris Olson and James Rose is the defending champs. Signup by 2/14/03.
- Tim Forrest is scheduled to defend TOC Title @ Sierra Lakes
- April tournament moves to River Ridge in Oxnard.

## Challenge Corner

Here is the list of this year "Tournament of Champions (TOC)" qualifiers. In general, they are ALSRI members who, during our 2002 tournaments, won placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in their respective flights including "Low Gross". The winner will keep ALSRI's perpetual "Tournament of Champions" Trophy for ONE year. The defending champion of the TOC is Tim Forrest:

Barbara Havens (y)  
**Tim Forrest (y, C)**

Jim Judd  
 George Rey (y)  
 Alex Wong (y)  
 Shig Maeno (x)  
 Henry Eng (x)  
 Dan Mckenna (x)  
 Victor Vannukul  
 Jesus Gonzales (x,y)  
 George Nichols (y)  
 Robert Henderson  
 Bill Kim (y)  
 George Murphy  
 Jerry Chang (x,y)  
 Rick Sackett  
 John Greenwood

Chuck Carlton (y)  
 Frank Wun  
 Dennis Murakami (x,y)  
 Gary Bohonus  
 Tim Baldwin (1:2 favourite just  
 like Tiger @ Masters)  
 Roger Law  
 Brad Ou (x,y)  
 Ron Havens  
 Bill Fetner (y)  
 Steve Campbell (x)  
 Linda Donato (x)  
 Archie Nakaoka (y)  
 Bob Sackett (x,y)  
 Chuck Wong  
 Mike Morikawa  
 Augusto Rodriguez  
 Toshi Walker (x)

Dan Hoshi  
 Jim Nelson (y)  
 James Rhodes (x)  
 Wayne Nakama  
 Dave Torres (x)  
 Chris Olson (y)  
 Marty Yuhnke  
 Vern Miller  
 Earl Estrada (x)  
 Byron Higa

x: Not scheduled to play TOC  
 y: Multiple Winners  
 c: Defending Champion

### **2003 ALSRI TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE (Tentative)**

Friday, February 7, 2003	Sierra Lakes Golf Course	8:00A	\$57**
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

\*\*\* IRS & Friends West Coast Tournament. 4 Days 3 nights, 2 rounds of golf, Saturday Dinner, prizes.

## The Sierra Lakes Golf Tournament (8AM SHOTGUN START) – Friday, 2/7/2003

Please arrive at the golf course on or before 7:30A

No.	Time	Name	Flight	No.	Time	Name	Flight	No.	Time	Name	Flight
1A	8 AM	Bernard Penafuerte	B	14A		Barbara Ulvestad	G				
		Nick Castro	C			Brian Klotz	A				
		Larry Taylor	A			Ed Ulvestad	G				
		Tim Baldwin	B			Steve Klotz	B				
1B		Alex Wong	B	14B		Chuck Carlton	A				
		Chuck Wong	C			Al Campbell	B				
		Lou Pacho	G			Jerry Guinard	C				
		Bryan Inoue	C			Jerry Molina	G				
18A		Bill Fetner	A	13A		Alex Alvarez	G				
		Byron Higa	B			Augusto Rodriguez	C				
		Ed Pawasarat	B			Irene	G				
		George Nichols	A			Mario Alvarez	C				
18B		Jim Judd	C	13B		Victor Vannukul	A				
		Jim Nelson	A			George Reys	C				
		Jim Florio	G			Helen Rodriguez	G				
		Bill Evans	B			Peter Reys	G				
17A		John Greenwood	A	12A		George Murphy	C				
		Tim Forrest	C			Bruce Engles	A				
		Nancy Stayer	L			Bob Watson	A				
		Stephanie Rogers	L			Kyle Watson	B				
17B		Barbara Havens	L	12B		Kirk Boswell	A				
		Ron Havens	A			Shirley Worsham	L				
		Chuck Fullington	B			Bob Henderson	C				
		Gary Bohonus	B			Frank Wun	B				
16A		Bill Kim	C	11A		Jim Mack	G				
		Chuck Morris	W			Gus Robinson	A				
		Duane Anderson	W			Bo Willis	G				
		Ron Gonzell	G			Seirra Riggan	G				
16B		Mike Morikawa	B								
		Scott Kawasaki	G								
		Dan Hoshi	C								
		Howard Wu	A								
15A		Bernie Spaulding	W								
		Rick Sackett	B								
		Steve Ray	G								
		Vern Miller	C								
15B		Archie Nakaoka	C								
		Marty Yuhnke	L								
		Inja Hughes	L								
		Gaye Thompson	L								

Blue Letter = Starting hole or pairing changes

**Use February 03 SCGA Index:**

A Flight: 0-14  
 B: 14.1– 19.7  
 C: 19.8 and above  
 Ladies: Open  
 W: Members without index  
 Guest: Modified Calloway or established SCGA/PLGA/WGA index as of **February 2003**

**Men: Use White Tee**

- \* **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 #16**
- \* **Optional \$\$\$ Holes**
- \* **Par 3s: On #4, #6, #13, and #17.**
- \* **(\$5 total , \$1.25 per hole, 80/20% split)**

**Sierra Lakes Golf Course Address & Phone Number**

**Address:** 16600 Clubhouse Road  
 Fontana, CA 92336  
 (909) 350-2500

Sierra Lakes Ave. Exit. Turn **LEFT** at Sierra Lakes Exit. Approx 1/4 miles, turn **LEFT** at Clubhouse Drive to course.

**Directions:** From I-10 and I-15 intersection, take I15 North 5 miles to the new 210 Freeway, Go **EAST** on I-210 to

In case of an emergency, call Victor's cell @ 626-786—2356!!!

## 2003 SCGA Index Card and Fore Magazine

By: Dennis Murakami

### 2003 ALSRI Boardmembers

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You should be receiving your copies of Jan/Feb 2003 FORE magazine very soon. Please note that your SCGA/ALSRI membership card will arrive with the magazine so **DO NOT THROW AWAY!** If you throw your SCGA card away it will cost you an additional \$5 to obtain the replacement card (This is an SCGA charge, not an ALSRI charge).

If you have not received your magazine by the 2nd week of February, please email me at DennisRM@aol.com and will contact the SCGA with the list of missing cards. If you have moved recently and have not informed me, please list your current address so we can submit a

change of address form for you.

Dennis Murakami

ALSRI Membership/Handicap Chairman



From Left to right, Sweet Lou, Victor & Ben Novicki @ Pinehurst Resort Lobby

## IRS & Friends West Coast Tournament

Our June tournament this year will be the inaugural IRS & Friends West Coast Tournament. Our East Coast counterpart has organized its IRS & Friends Tournament for the last 26 years in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

In the last two years, I had an opportunity to participate in this event and got a chance to meet many fellow IRS golfers from the East Coast including our past President, Ben Novicki and former member, Sweet Lou Pacho. I have several discussions with Ron Nestor, the coordinator of the East Coast Tournament, and receive his support to organize the West Coast version of the

tournament. Our West Coast Tournament will be held at Primm Resort & Casino in Las Vegas on June 26-29, 2003. The **\$249** tournament fee will feature 3 nights accommodation at Primm Valley Resort. Each participant will get their own room so family is welcome. Two (2) rounds of golf at Primm Valley Resorts designed by the world renowned golf architect, Tom Fazio. Both of the Primm courses (Desert & Lakes) will be used in the tournament. Primm Valley Resorts received Golf Digest's Four-And-A-Half-Star Award for 2002/2003. The Lakes course was also awarded second place honors for "Best Conditions Course" and third place for "Best

Service Course" in the magazine's 2002 survey over 6500 public and resorts courses in North America. The prizes of trophy and goodies are included in this entry fee. Also included is a ward banquet on Saturday evening. The cutoff for this tournament is May 26, 2003. **We reserve only 144 spots for this event** and we have already received tremendous response from players from the East Coast and expect a complete sell out for this event. So please make your reservation ASAP **by calling PrimmValley Resort at 1-800-FUN STOP and mention Group Code SGA 0626**. Any questions, please call Victor Vannukul @ 1-800-381-6813.

## Inside ALSRI.....Golfnut

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

Who will prevail at the 2003 Tournament of Champions? Will it be "**Slim Jim**" Nelson, who has slimmed down quite a bit while picking up quite a bit of "A" game. He has two first place finish, in the last two tournaments, to show for his remarkable recovery from the defeat during the second match of the ALSRI CUP. Or will it be **Alex Wong**, who can use his Driver equally well teeing off from a par three as well as a par five. Will it be **Bernard Penafuerte**, the master of the short game? Or will it be the defending champion, Tim Forrest, who is eager to defend his title in light of the hand injury he suffered from his ski trip last year. Or will it be **Tim "The Sire of Sierra Lakes"**

**Baldwin** who claimed Sierra Lakes course as his second home (He's the member of Sierra Lakes's Mens Club) . We know that the odds will be against Tim Forrest. To date, there has not been a repeat champion. Oh, at lets not forget **Victor Vannukul** who came soooooo close last year only to lose by one stroke to the eventual champion! ...**First time I was afraid, I was petrified!! ... Yup, folks! The Survivors Cup is back this year.** Unlike the Survivors Show that is so popular on TV, we won't have to travel to the exotic places like Thailand or Mexico, or have to eat worm on every holes. Every rounds of this year competition will be held at Los Serranos G.C. rotating between the South and the North. The first match is scheduled for March. So please form your two-man team and notify **Rick Sackett** of your interest as soon as possible. Just a caution, if you decided to pair up with Stan Gin, makes

sure that you have his commitment in writing, otherwise, don't be surprise that he won't show up stood you up for the match...**Jerry Chang** is recovering from the same toe injury similar to the one suffered by Shaquille O'Neal, Lakers' center. Golfnut is wishing Jerry for a speedy recovery...Please join me to welcome new members to our family this month, they are **Art Belamante, Rod Combest, Larry Fry and Gaye Thompson.****Let's hope that the new members remember the ALSRI tradition pertain to new member of bringing donuts to your first tournament.** Gaye, we realize that you're in the only new member participating at Sierra Lakes this Friday. So, two dozens would be adequate. There's a Krispe Kreme off I15 on 4th St. Exit (At Ontario Mills Mall).....See you all on Friday.

Join  
"ALSRI"  
private  
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## 2003 Survivors Cup Competition will start in March

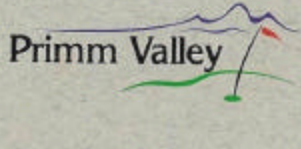
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We will combine the net scores of each pair of partners and only the 8 teams with the lowest total net score will **Survive** to play in round two. **We must know the members names of each team by February 14th.**

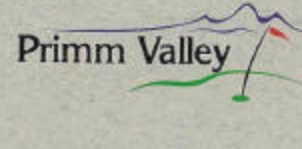
We will try to meet the following tentative schedule, so if you can't commit to making all of these dates, you'll have to not sign-up or lose in an earlier round. Second Round (May 16th @ Los Serranos - South); Third

Round (July 18th @ San Dimas); Fourth Round (September 19th @ El Rancho Verde). The format of each round will be different.

So don't hesitate! Sign-up today! (email your team's roster of two, to Rick Sackett at ImRickett@aol.com).



Primm Valley



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**IRS & Friends  
West Coast  
Golf Tournament**

**June 26-29, 2003  
@ Primm Valley Casino & Resort  
Primm, Nevada**

(35 minutes from downtown Las Vegas)

**\$249**

**4 days/3 nights Resort Accommodation (You'll get your own room)  
2 rounds of golf on Friday, 6/27 & Saturday, 6/28/2003  
8:00A SHOTGUN, Tournament prizes & awards  
Banquet award ceremony after golf on Saturday**

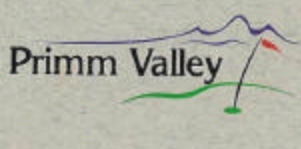
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**Call 1-800-FUNSTOP  
To reserve your spot (Dateline is 5/26/03)  
Please mention  
GROUP CODE # SGA 0626**

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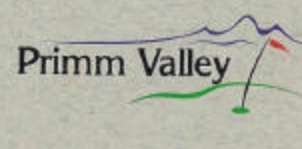
Or call Victor Vannukul, Tournament Director  
@ 800-381-6813 for more information  
(Or Email him at [victor.v.vannukul@irs.gov](mailto:victor.v.vannukul@irs.gov))

Play Tom Fazio's masterpieces, Desert & Lake course. Both courses are ranked by the Golf Magazine as the top 100 resort courses in U.S. Spend your Las Vegas vacation with us.



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**Any cancellation must be made  
On or before 5/27/03!!!**



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**ALSRI GOLF CLUB TOURNAMENT SIGN-UP FORM**

**Event: River Ridge Golf Course, Oxnard, CA**

**Date: Friday, April 25th, 2003**  
**7:30A SHOTGUN**

**Entry Fee: \$46**

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

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

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

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

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

Make check payable to:

ALSRI GOLF CLUB

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

**ALSRI GOLF CLUB**  
**c/o: STAN TERAGAWA**  
**P.O. Box 5344**  
**Whittier, CA 90607-5344**

Payment must be received by **April 4, 2003**  
to guaranty a spot.