

# **Palo Verde Men's Golf Association**



## **New Member Orientation**



## Saturday Play



- Saturday morning shotguns and selected afternoon
- Generally, play as 4-man teams
  - Teams determined by Pro Shop
  - Most play has A,B,C and D handicap players on each team
- Sometimes 2-man teams
- Tournament play is individual play and flighted by handicap
- Postable rounds will be posted to GHIN by the Pro Shop



## Saturday Play



- **Most events have a \$5 entry fee**
- **Postable rounds will have an optional \$2 deuce pot**
  - Payoff to winning teams in chits that can be used in either Pro Shop
  - Separate deuce pots based on handicap index
  - Payouts in cash to those getting a natural 2
  - Payouts depend on number of entries and deuces
- **Some events have higher entry fees**
  - Luncheon events
  - Tournament's
  - Pick your Partners



## Significant Events



- **Home and Homes**

- Weekday game at guest course followed by Saturday game at Palo Verde
- Typical cost is \$45, and a lite lunch is provided the round
- Currently, the participating clubs are SLCC, Ironwood and Oakwood
- We also have one with Cottonwood which is called the Ryder Cup

- **Major Tournaments**

- Ace of Ace's Final...early December
- President's Cup...January
- Club Championship...March



## Significant Events



- **Member / Guest**

- 2-man teams: 1 member and a non-member (does not have to be a Sun Lakes resident)
- Friday practice round followed by dinner and Calcutta auction
- Saturday and Sunday competitive rounds
- Saturday lunch for all players
- Sunday lunch for players and spouses/girlfriends
- Sunday announcement of winning teams and payout of Calcutta bidding



## Significant Events



- **Ringer**
  - November through mid March
  - 2025 cost is \$10 to enter
  - Lowest gross score on each hole during men's club postable rounds
  - Flighted based on handicaps as of January 1<sup>st</sup>
  - Payouts in cash to top finishers in each flight



## Significant Events



- **Other events**

- **Pick your Partner:** Find another PVMGA member to pair up with
- **Member/Member:** Same as pick your partner with lunch after
- **Turkey Shoot:** Flighted individual play. Payout to best 3 closest to the pins on all par 3's
- **Match Play:** Pro shop flights and establishes bracket. Match play to progress through the bracket.



## Club Organization



- **Board consists of 4 elected officers and committee chairman**
- **Elected officers are:**
  - President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer
  - Treasurer is elected for a 2 year term and can serve a consecutive term
  - Others are elected for a 1 year term and can not succeed themselves
  - Nominations are in November and election is in December





**Website...pvmga.com**



- **Developed and maintained by Technology chairman**
- **Information**
  - Saturday results
  - Ringer standings
  - Chit leaders
  - Calendar of events for the season
  - Board members, bylaws, standing rules, etc
  - Members only section...ask pro shop for password
    - Board meeting minutes, treasurer's report and member photo book