



## Palo Verde Men's Golf Association

The PVMGA kicked off the 2025-2026 new calendar year in November with a full schedule of events starting with a Pick Your Partner 1 Best Ball event. The next week's Ladies & Men's Challenge (Battle of the Sexes) was canceled due to weather so the Men must hang on to the Losers Trophy for another year. The next week was a 2 Man Scramble followed by the annual Turkey Shoot, another Pick Your Partner leading into December with the Ace of Ace's Finals on Saturday and Sunday, 12

### **November 8<sup>th</sup>** – Pick Your Partner 1 Best Ball Net

#### Flight 1

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Tom Rainville and Chip Bortem

2nd Place –(Tie) Barry Walcker and Daryl Ramseyer; Mike Pasternak and Ron Kiel;  
Glen Downing and Steve Vandergriff

#### Flight 2

1<sup>st</sup> Place – (Tie) Mike Rufert and Paul Jorgensen; Scott Price and Jim Cain

3rd Place – Chris Halweg and Glen Harry

#### Flight 3

1st Place –(Tie) James Granzow and John Byczko; Joe Ficek and Roger Ivesdal

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – (TIE) Wes Davis and Arve Moser; Richard Schager and John Crawford

#### Flight 4

1<sup>st</sup> Place – (Tie) Gary Zahnow and Al Baumgartner; Rick Onken and Richard Hair

3rd Place – Bud Murray and David Smith

### **November 15<sup>th</sup>** – 2 Man Scramble

#### Flight 1

1st Place – Bill Lewis and Peter Gorman

2nd Place – Chip Bortnem and Len Rosati

3rd Place – Terry Deneffe and Jim Adzima

## Flight 2

1<sup>st</sup> Place – (Tie) Jim Cain and Gary Zahnow; Scott Salmonson and Steve Field

3<sup>rd</sup> Place - (Tie) Earl Whiteman and John Allen; Cliff Joyes and Adrian Barber; James Granzow and Al Baumgartner

## **November 22<sup>nd</sup>** – 2 Man Best Ball Net and Turkey Shoot

1<sup>st</sup> Place – (Tie) Pat Duncan, Jim Adzima, Lauren Kingry and John Kuchera; Keith Edwards, Gary Whiting, Jim Cain and Warren Ball

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Chip Bortnem, Chuck Carothers, Adrian Barber and BLIND DRAW

There were 32 players in all that were awarded “Turkey’s” for being Closest to the Pin on the Par 3 holes. Fortunately, a player could only win 1 turkey.

## **December 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>** - 2025 Ace of Ace’s Championship

### Flight 1

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross – Bob Brabant (134)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Gross – Mike Lorimor (138)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Gross – Christian Stokes (146)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Net – Marko Sowa (123)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Net – Mike Pasternak (124)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Net – Ron Kiel (125)

### Flight 2

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross – Mike Rufert (151)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Gross – Chuck Guillaume (154)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Gross – Don Peterson (157)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Net – Dennis Barber (121)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Net – Ken Verbeck (123)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Net – John Byczko

### Flight 3

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross – Wes Davis (155)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Gross – Jim Cain (158)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Gross – Joe Byrne (160)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Net – Steve Field (118)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Net – James Granzow (123)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Net – Cliff Joyes (132)

### Flight 4

1<sup>st</sup> Place Gross – Al Baumgartner (165)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Gross – Chuck Carothers (170)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Gross – Rick Onken (173)

1<sup>st</sup> Place Net – Jeff Martin (121)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Net – Gary Zahnow (125)  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Net – Warren Ball (128)

2025 Overall Ace of Ace's Gross Champion: BOB BRABANT  
2025 Overall Ace of Ace's Net Champion: STEVE FIELD