



PVMGA MARCH 2018 TOURNAMENT RESULTS

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Temperatures are rising, some folks are departing. Those of us who are remaining are just getting comfortable with the warmth of the spring sun – well, maybe it is getting a little toasty, but it's easily taken care of with a cold beverage after a round...

So the Saturday competitions at Palo Verde continue and once again we are pleased to report the following results for the past several weeks:

On Saturday, March 17th, a morning 2 Best Ball's Net event resulted in a tie with a score of 100! The winners: John Kane, Paul Jorgensen, Jim Roberts & Terry Cronin and: John Mitchell, Mike Mlynarczyk, Rick Onken & Bob Keltz.

The afternoon version was won by: Ben Caviness, Ken Stanley & Julian Pickens (with a blind draw) with a score of 102.

On Thursday, March 22nd and Saturday, March 24th, a Home & Home tournament with Oakwood CC was played and - with a score of 204, was won by: Lee Smith, Kim Fliethman, Charlie Healy & Vaughn Torgusen!

On the afternoon of Saturday, March 24th, a 2 BB's Net contest was won by: Jack Hill, Tom Gartner, Ron Cox and Julian Pickens with a score of 101.

On Saturday, March 31st, a morning Select-A-Drive, 2 BB's Net was won by: James Granzow, Dan Eisenzimmer & Bill Davis (with a blind draw) with a score of 86.

An afternoon version of the above was won by: Ben Caviness, Jim Wedeward, Bill Lewis & Dick Thomas, who also scored an 86!

On the afternoon of Saturday, April 7th, a 3-2-1 contest was won (in a tie) by: Arnie Bannerman, James Mottern, Neil Durhman & Jerry Esget and: Tom Gartner, Frank Broley, Dan Eisenzimmer & Budd Livingstone with scores of 84.

One of the premier events of the year: the 2018 PVMGA John Dobson Memorial Member/Guest Tournament, was held on Saturday, April 17th, and Sunday, April 18th.

The 2018 Member/Guest champions are: Dave Florence and Enrique Morales (see accompanying photo) who won this tournament with a score of 128! Congratulations gentlemen! Special congratulations to Dave Florence who carded a Hole-in-One!

The event organizers want to acknowledge the following sponsors whose generous contributions helped make this event so successful:

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Coming events include:

Saturday, April 28th, AM - Match Play Round 1

Saturday, April 28th, PM - Select-A-Drive 3 BB's

Saturday, May 5th, AM - Match Play Round 2

Saturday, May 5th, PM – Scramble

If you are interested in joining our active, well run and fun group, please inquire at our Pro Shop or call (480) 895 0300.