

## Tournament Reviews

A trip up north and returns to Kierland and We-Ko-Pa highlight the recent SGL schedule. Stats are in the table below. Here are some of the highlights:

- Ken Slagle dominated up north, earning medalist honors both days with a 79 at Elephant Rocks and a 74 at Continental and winning Flight 1 in both events.
- Val LeChuga also has a pair of Flight wins in these last four events
- Prag Shah has been on a CTP roll of late, winning them in three of the last four events.
- Qualifier Kyle Rector's round at We-Ko-Pa (Cholla) was one for the ages. His 1-under 71 included a 4-under 32 on the front nine. He birdied 6 of the first ten holes, including three in a row from the 8<sup>th</sup> to the 19<sup>th</sup>.
- We almost birdied every hole at We-Ko-Pa. The only one that refused to yield was the downhill, dog-leg 16<sup>th</sup>.
- In a good sign for the future health of the league, the Callaway Flights in the last two rounds have had 9 and 12 players, and 15 different players in all.

	Elephant Rocks	Continental	Kierland (Acacia/Mesquite)	We-Ko-Pa (Cholla)
Players	24	16	41	49
Field Avg Gross	95.0	91.2	89.7	91.2
Field Avg Net	78.5	79.4	75.8	76.4
Low Gross	Ken Slagle (79)	Ken Slagle (76)	Kerry Schaber, Kyle Rector (74)	Kyle Rector (71)
Low Net	Sandy Chadbourne (73)	Prag Shah (65)	Val LeChuga (64)	Jeff Coughran (67)
Eagles				Steve Oliva (7th, Mesquite)
Total Birdies / Players / Holes	13 / 10 / 6	17 / 11 / 10	30 / 19 / 12	49 / 25 / 17
Most Birdies	Elmer Schmidt, Bo Montgomery, Richard Pilewicz (3)	Bo Montgomery (4)	Kyle Rector (4)	Kyle Rector (6)
Hardest Hole	#17, par-5 (+2.21)	#10, par-4 (+1.63)	#4M, par-3 (+1.29)	#18, par-4 (+1.69)
Easiest Hole	#10, par-5 (+0.42)	#6, par-4 (+0.56)	#5M, par-5 (+0.48)	#5, par-3 (+0.49)
Flight 1 Winner	Ken Slagle (79/75)	Ken Slagle (76/76)	Nick Gerstner (79/70)	Camden Denker (78/73)
Flight 2 Winner	Amy Arnold (88/75)	Dave Dean (82/74)	George Banach (84/72)	Elmer Schmidt (78/69)
Flight 3 Winner	Val LeChuga (86/74)	June Vutrano (90/71)	Val LeChuga (78/64)	Jeff Coughran (81/67)
Flight 4 Winner	Sandy Chadbourne (105/73)	Prag Shah (82/65)	Richard Pilewicz (88/67)	Rich Perry (91/68)
Callaway Winner	Jess Whiteaker (89/74)		Kerry Schaber (74/72)	Kyle Rector (71/71)
Gross Skins	Amy Arnold, Tom Hegna (1)	Dave Dean (2)	Six players (1)	Kyle Rector (2)
Net Skins	Sandy Chadbourne (3)	Prag Shah (5)	Steve Oliva (2)	Six players (1)
Low Putts	Steve Neil, Steve Tamparo, Elmer Schmidt (29)	June Vutrano (28)	Al Palange (28)	Nick Gerstner (27)
CTPs	Keegan Mitchell, Rich Perry, Ken Slagle, Prag Shah	Prag Shah, Ken Slagle, Frank Vutrano, Dave Dean	Al Palange, Bret Goers, John Sharland, Kerry Schaber	Prag Shah, Jeff Coughran, Steve Tamparo, Kyle Mast
Deuces	Elmer Schmidt, Bo Montgomery, Rich Perry	Dave Dean, Prag Shah, Tom Hegna	Kerry Schaber, Steve Oliva ( E )	Steve Oliva (2), plus 10 others
Top Money Winner	Amy Arnold (\$59)	Prag Shah (\$60)	Kerry Schaber (\$127)	Jeff Coughran (\$94)

### Next Up: TPC Scottsdale (Champions)

This Saturday finds us on the Champions course at the TPC Scottsdale, the sister course to the PGA Tour's Waste Management Open stop. Tee times begin at 6:30. The current forecast calls for temps in the mid-110s, so stay hydrated.



*The McDowell Mountains provide the backdrop for the par-3 16<sup>th</sup> hole at the TPC Scottsdale's Champions course*

## AGA Club Team Championship

The AGA has announced the details for its 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Club Team Championship, a flighted two-player scramble. SGL has been well represented in this event in recent years, with multiple teams entered and several reaching the finals.

The event has qualifying rounds in November at Dove Mountain (11/11), Wigwam Red (11/12), Arrowhead CC (11/16), Longbow (11/20) and Moon Valley CC (11/30). Teams that make it through will play in the championship at Seville Golf & Country Club on December 7.

The entry fee is \$135 ([form here](#)) and the deadline is Friday, September 25. Should your team make it to the finals, SGL will cover the entry fee for that event.

## Membership Referral Program

A reminder that if you refer a new member to the league, both you and that new member will receive a \$25 credit to your league balance once that new member officially joins. The most recent to take advantage of this is Al Palange, who referred new member Kyle Voda. Welcome, Kyle, and congrats to you both!

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