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PRESENT THE 12<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
PALM SPRINGS FLING April 30<sup>th</sup> thru May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011



## **EVENT ORGANIZATION:**

The week's activities are organized around **two person teams**. Please find your own partner. In past years, and with enough lead time, we have been able to help one or two players each year find a partner. This situation is the exception rather than the rule.

We welcome couples. If there are enough couples teams, we will have a couples division. If we do not have a couples division, we adjust the ladies handicap to a point where the two become a competitive team in one of the men's divisions.

Based on 55 teams, there will be five divisions. The first division plays from the championship tees and the competition is gross rather than net.

The competition in the other four divisions is net competition.

Therefore, we reserve the right to adjust any player's handicap retroactively if necessary. **In other words, sandbaggers are not welcome.** As a result, everyone has fun and a chance to win prizes.

In the last eleven years, we have had to adjust only one player's handicap.

## **WHAT IS INCLUDED:**

For \$1,525 per player (new player cash price), each two-person team gets:

**Accommodations** – Seven nights lodging in a two-bedroom, one bath, 650 square foot condominium.

Each condominium has a full kitchen, a dining area and a living room. There is a Flat Screen TV in the living room and a regular TV in the master bedroom. There is a DVD player in the living room. The kitchens have every appliance you could possibly want.

There are three barbeques next to both the Cooper Pool and the Valentino Pool located on the condo grounds.

**Lots of golf** – On Saturday and Sunday, each player gets a round of golf, including a cart, at the Indian Palms Country Club course. Though not as well known as the PGA WEST® or La Quinta Resort & Spa courses, Indian Palms is a tough and challenging course.

There is a Saturday afternoon horse race. This is a lot of fun and a great way to meet the other golfers.

Saturday's round of golf is a practice round and there are no prearranged tee times.

Sunday's golf is an am shotgun start. Each foursome is comprised of two of the field's two man teams and each team scores one gross ball and two netballs to arrive at a combined score.

We also incorporate a number of qualifying skills competition events during this round to pre-qualify the finalists for the "Little Break" shoot off at Sunday night's barbecue

On Monday through Friday each player gets:

Unlimited rounds of golf, range balls and cart fees at the PGA WEST® Jack Nicklaus Tournament™, Stadium™ and Greg Norman™ and La Quinta Resort and Club Mountain™ and Dunes™ courses.

These rounds include the Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday best ball tournament rounds and the Friday combined aggregate tournament round.

This year tournament rounds will be Nicklaus Tournament™ on Monday, Dunes™ on Tuesday, Norman™ on Wednesday, Stadium™ on Thursday and Mountain™ on Friday.

Some of our crazier golfers have been known to play 36 holes in the afternoon after the morning tournament round.

**Food and drink** – Your hosts, Owen Hoskinson and Greg Patton put on a fantastic Sunday evening dinner at the Cooper Pool with lots of booze, lots of food and good fun.

Jimmy Snow – "The Snowman" has had hip surgery and will return after a year's absence.

**Prizes** – There is a Friday night awards ceremony next to the Cooper Pool on the condominium grounds. Prizes and awards given out at this ceremony, along with prizes given out during the week will total more than \$15,000.

**Access to the La Quinta Club and Resort amenities** – The La Quinta resort and Club's large Bistro Pool and adjacent exercise center are available to participants and their guests at no charge. Additionally, for a use fee or spa fee, tennis courts or the spa is available for participants and their guests.

The Bistro Pool is a great place to relax. The Spa offers all types of treatments.

## **OPTIONS:**

**Early arrival or late departure** – Based upon availability, it is usually possible to come a few days early or stay a few days later. It is always easier to stay later than come in earlier. The extra cost is \$90 per condo per night.

**Guests at no extra cost** – Spouses or significant others can come at essentially no additional cost. There is no increase to the cost of accommodations. The only drawback for two couples staying in one condo is that there is only one bathroom for the two bedrooms.

**Separate condo** – one team can request a separate condo for each player. The additional cost is \$240 per player or \$480 for the team.

**Cost of golf for guests** – Players' guests can golf for \$45 any time on Saturday or Sunday at Indian Palms. Guests can also golf at the PGA West and La Quinta Resort and Club on the Monday through Friday afternoons for only \$45.

**Honey pots** – There are optional daily and weekly honey pots with cash payouts. There are separate honey pots for each division. The cost is \$20 per player per day for each of the five daily honey pots and \$50 for the one weekly honey pot.

### **Extra golf events –**

**Horse race** – On Saturday evening, there is an optional two-man horse race held on one of the three Indian Palms nines. **There is a \$25.00 buy in** which covers the \$15.00 green and cart fee and \$10 for the cash payouts.

**Sunday gross & net competition and “Little Break” skills challenge** – **There is \$25.00 buy in to cover these two events, all of which is paid to the winning teams and individuals.**

The details of this competition will be explained in the 2011 complete event brochure (available November 15 on the web). Last year's event was a lot of fun and there was a lot of excitement at the Sunday evening barbecue shootout finals.

## **DEPOSIT REQUIREMENTS AND PAYMENT OPTIONS:**

Fun Golf Vacations and PNWGT.COM has a very generous deposit refund program. All but \$200 of each person's deposits is refundable through April 1, 2011. Even then, the \$200 can be applied to the 2012 tournament fee.

The first of \$450 deposit and the \$600.00 payment is fully refundable through December 31, 2010.

The deposit requirements are as follows:

\$450.00 accompanies the entry form. To insure that you get your requested arrival date, please send this as soon as possible).

\$600.00 – December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2010

Balance – February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2011

The advertised **new player cash price is \$1,525.00**. \$45.00 fee for credit card charges

### **AIRFARE AND CAR RENTALS -**

Each player is responsible for their own airfare and car rentals which are quite reasonable at this time if the year. Players can fly into either the Palm Springs airport or the Ontario airport.

The drive from the Palm Springs airport is approximately 40 minutes to the condos. The drive from the Ontario airport is approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes.

LAX is an alternative but the drive is about two and one half hours.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION –**

Upon receipt of your reservation deposits, we will forward information regarding driving directions, additional details about the Indian Palm's Intervals time-share condominiums.

On or about November 15, 2010 the 2011 event brochure will be completed and available on the Internet. This brochure provides more information about the various competitions and time schedules.

### **NO NOS –**

No pets on the grounds anywhere!

No smoking in the rooms. Outside is okay.

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