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El Paso Golf Club

May 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 3: Draw Down

May 8: Bourbon and Cigar

May 9: Ladies Pre-Season

Scramble

May 11: Mother's Day Brunch

May 12: Shriners Golf Outing

May 17: Wedding Event

May 19: Sandtrappers

May 20: BoD Meeting

May 26: Memorial Day

May 30: Ducks Unlimited

May 31: Tequila and Taco

Bourbon and Cigar

We will be hosting Bourbon and Cigar Night on May 8 on the patio. The cost for this event is \$45 per guest and includes a two cigar bundle complete with cutter and matches and a 3 bourbon flight selected from the following: Woodford Reserve, Basil Hayden, Buffaloe Trace, Jim Beam Black, Makers Mark or Knob Creek.



Mother's Day Brunch

Mother's Day brunch will be held in the dining room on May 11. There will be two seatings: 11am and 1pm. Please call the clubhouse to make your reservation. Adults are \$35, kids 5-12 are \$10 and Mom's and kids under 5 eat for free!







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GM Ramblings

Welcome to the beginning of the season! This month all leagues will begin their play. The sign-ups are on the web site and will direct you to Golf Genius.

The staff has been working hard to ensure we deliver the proper guest experience to all that come into the clubhouse or play a round of golf. I am very appreciative of their efforts!

The board has been working for the last couple of years to bring a small gaming section to the clubhouse. That process has now resulted in the State of Illinois approving El Paso Golf Club for a gaming license. This new feature will create an extra income stream for the club that will be used to make improvements to the club and grounds for the members and guests. This gaming capability will be installed on a trial basis that the board will monitor. We believe this will greatly help us to be able to improve some of the aging infrastructure.

"Golf is a game of inches. The most important are the six inches between your ears." - Arnold Palmer

The restaurant and Bar hours will be changing on May 1. Upon consideration of a few other factors, these hours are slightly different from the email blast. The below hours will be firm for the remainder of the season.

Monday:	Bar 8am – 9pm	Kitchen Closed
Tuesday:	Bar 8am – 9pm	Kitchen 10am – 8pm
Wednesday:	Bar 7am – 9pm	Kitchen 7am – 8pm
Thursday:	Bar 7am – 10pm	Kitchen 7am – 8pm
Friday:	Bar 7am – 10pm	Kitchen 7am – 8pm
Saturday:	Bar 7am – 10pm	Kitchen 7am – 8pm
Sunday:	Bar 7am – 7pm	Kitchen 7am – 5pm

Breakfast service will begin on Sunday May 4 and continue through the season Wednesday through Sunday.

The beverage cart will on Thursday May 8. We will have the beverage cart service Thursday through Sunday. It will be stationed at the covered structure by the 14th tee box.

THE PRO SPEAKS

Golf Leagues are all available in Golf Genius. Please go to the web site to register for your favorite league. If you run into any issues signing up, please call Dustin in the Pro Shop.

18-hole Morning Ladies are off to an awesome start!

9-Hole Ladies of the Evening will begin play on May 6

Couples League will begin play on May 7

Monday Evening Men's League will begin play on May 12

The 2-Person Scramble is now available in Golf Genius and is open for registration. There will be no qualifying this year. Flights will be determined by handicap. There will be 3 rounds of competition beginning on June 1. If you are having any issues getting signed up please reach out to Dustin in the Pro Shop. Dates for each round will be coming soon.

Junior Golf is right around the corner. Session 1 will begin on June 11 and run for four weeks. Session 2 will begin on July 9 for four weeks. Please call Dustin in the Pro Shop to get registered. Flyers and additional information will be posted on the web site.

Calloway Demo Day will be on May 8 from 1pm – 5pm. Please call the pro shop for additional information.

The Pro Shop is getting merchandise daily!! We finally have golf balls and gloves!! We have received many DEMO clubs that you can try on the course. Callaway ELYTE clubs, new Cleveland wedges, Titleist GT clubs and more. Ask about them in the shop! If you like them, they are also for sale!

I also have been giving golf lessons for 25 years, so if anyone is interested in a spring tune-up, just call the shop for an appointment. I use IPAD video, and I have my own GC3 Launch monitor to get numbers. Chipping and putting lessons are also available.



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May 6: LOTE Start

May 7: Couples League Start

May 12: Men's League Start



Grass Roots with Gene

We completed the repairs to the six-inch pipe for the irrigation system and have charged the system and tested it. We did end up with a couple of large leaks that have been repaired near the greens on #5 and #7. The crew has really gotten into the mowing schedule, and we are getting started on our chemical spraying for the course. The crew will begin working in some of the areas that require some patch work with sod. The collar on the back of #7 green and the bad spot on #9 tee box have been sodded. The crew is working on the area near #11 green where the six-inch pipe was repaired.

Gene has been presented with an amazing opportunity at a club in Texas and will be leaving us in the very near future. We wish him well on the next leg of his journey and thank him for everything he did for our golf course.



If you missed out on your piece of history please stop by the Clubhouse. We have limited supplies of 100 year memorabilia for sale.

If you have any questions or comments please reach out to the Clubhouse at (309) 739-2013 or by email at manager@elpasogc.com.