



2023 Midwest Section PGA Las Vegas Pro-Am

**Paiute Golf Resort -
Caesars Palace & Planet Hollywood
October 8-12, 2023**



IT'S VEGAS BABY! TIME TO GOLF & GAMBLE!!

The **MIDWEST PGA** invites you to experience an amazing golf, gambling and entertainment trip to Las Vegas! The pro-am will feature three (3) rounds of golf at the top rated Paiute Golf Resort, while you stay four (4) nights in the heart of the Vegas Strip at Planet Hollywood or upgrade to Caesars Palace for an additional fee. Each team will consist of one (1) Midwest PGA Professional and four (4) amateurs to compete in this fun event. Each individual professional may bring up to three (3) teams and get paid 3 appearance fees! The professional will play with one group per day, but his/her score would count towards each of his/her team's overall pro-am score.

Sign up quickly, as this event is limited to the first twenty-six (26) teams.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, October 8th – Arrivals into Vegas- 4 pm – Hotel Check In

Monday, October 9th – Round 1 Pro-Am Paiute Golf Resort- 9:30 am shotgun – Breakfast Sandwich/Box Lunch/Drink Tickets

Tuesday, October 10th – Round 2 Pro-Am Paiute Golf Resort – 9:30 am shotgun – Breakfast Sandwich/Box Lunch/Drink Tickets

Wednesday, October 11th – Round 3 Pro-Am Paiute Golf Resort – 9:30 am shotgun – Breakfast Sandwich/Box Lunch/Drink Tickets

Thursday, October 12th – Departures



PLANET HOLLYWOOD or CAESARS PALACE – LAS VEGAS

Experience everything you love about Vegas, right in the heart of the strip. All participants will have their own **single occupancy** room for four (4) nights (Sunday – Wednesday). The base package will feature rooms at Planet Hollywood, or for an additional fee of \$700 per amateur the entire team can upgrade their hotel to Caesars Palace. Upgrading will only be available for the first 8 teams that have made a deposit.

PRO-AM FORMAT

The Pro-Am will be a 54-hole stroke play competition. Teams will record one low gross and one low net score per hole. The low gross and low net balls cannot be from the same player. **Seniors (age 50 and older), Super Seniors (age 65 and older) and female participants will play from a separate set of tees (see next page for each round's approximate yardages).** Amateurs must have an active and verifiable USGA Handicap Index. Amateurs without a handicap will play at scratch. Amateurs will receive 90% of their course adjusted handicap with a maximum handicap of 18 strokes after the 90% adjustment. Each of the three rounds combined gross and net team scores will be totaled to determine our top (8) teams (based on a full field of 26 teams). Note: Section office reserves the right to make minor adjustments to the pro-am format prior to the event.

SPECIAL CONTESTS:

SKINS GAME: All amateurs will be included in an individual gross skins game each day. This fee is included in the team entry fee. Professionals will have the opportunity to enter an Individual Skins Game. Payment will be electronically.

Closest to the Hole Competition on all par 3's. Winners receive \$50 cash*.

Jackpot Winners – Each day a blind draw will reveal five winners. Each will win \$100 cash*.

Golf fees, cart fees, range balls, breakfast sandwich with coffee station, bottled water, lunch, and 3 drink tickets are included in your entry for all three rounds. We will also feature the famous CASH JACKPOT, where a few lucky winners will walk away with some extra cash!!

**If any individual receives more than \$600 in cash we will collect a w-9 from the individual for them to receive a 1099 at the end of the year. Anyone receiving less than \$600 will not receive a 1099 at the end of the year.*



3 Acclaimed Courses – 54 Pete Dye Designed Holes

World Golf Hall of Fame Inductee, Pete Dye, is the design force behind the three distinctive layouts found at this unique destination just 25 minutes northwest of the world-famous Las Vegas Strip. Renowned for his course architecture, as well as comedic commentary about the game and the courses he has designed, Pete Dye proved how "One-of-a-Kind can now come in Threes" in his concept to realization of Snow Mountain, Sun Mountain and Wolf. Never missing a chance to infuse his legendary challenge of the field with his signature elements such as railroad tie bunkers and sweeping slope changes, he ensured each course within this Vegas Trio presents the golfer a different experience from its siblings.

- **Snow Mountain** – APPROXIMATE PRO-AM YARDAGES: Men (age 49 & under, 6,650), Senior Men (age 50-69, 6,050), Super Senior Men (70+, 5,625) & Women (49 & under, 5,625), Senior Women (50-69, 5,350)

The inaugural course for the master planned destination – offers a total of 7,146 yards with a par 72 layout. Golfers will tackle a risk-reward trio of memory-making game in 16, 17, and 18 – the three best finishing holes in Las Vegas. Noted for its oasis of seven water features and no parallel fairways, the design offers wide rye grass fairways, the natural rolling terrain separating each hole, and a variety of tee lengths and angles. Award-winning to the core, Snow Mountain has received numerous accolades including "Number One Public Access Course in Nevada" by Golf Digest.

- **Sun Mountain** – APPROXIMATE PRO-AM YARDAGES: Men (age 49 & under, 6,650), Senior Men (age 50-69, 6,075), Super Senior Men (70+, 5,650) & Women (49 & under, 5,650), Senior Women (50-69, 5,450)

Sun Mountain offers a total of 7,112 yards with a par 72 layout. Golfers discover its charm and challenge equally in the sheer length of its daunting par 5s and its signature par three 4th hole. Known for Mother Nature at her purest, the spectacular views of sky-scraping mountain ranges and vivid wildflower blooms flank this deceptive design of narrower fairways, strategic bunkers, and fast-rolling greens. Sun Mountain was chosen as part of Golf Magazine's top 15 courses in Nevada.

- **Wolf** – APPROXIMATE PRO-AM YARDAGES: Men (age 49 & under, 6,500), Senior Men (age 50-69, 5,900), Super Senior Men (70+, 5,550) & Women (49 & under, 5,550), Senior Women (50-69, 5,130)

Wolf still leads the pack of all Vegas courses as the longest one in Nevada – offers a total of 7,604 yards with a par 72 layout and five tee options to temper the challenge. Recognized for its undulating design complete with steep slope changes and signature holes such as #8 with its sharp "valley" and #15 the famous island green. Wolf holds the same prestigious distinctions as its siblings with 4½ stars by Golf Digest each year since its opening and also as part of Golf Magazine's top 15 courses in Nevada. Annika Sorenstern and Karrie Webb opened the course in Shell's Wonderful World of Golf and shot 65 and 64 respectively.

• For more information visit: www.lvpaiutegolf.com



GOLF FAVORS & PRIZES

Each participant will receive a Midwest PGA logoed tee gift packaged compliments of adidas golf. The retail value of these gift will exceed \$300 per player. There will be daily cash jackpots and team prizes for the top teams featuring adidas product or gift certificates. Professionals will compete via their team's finish for a pro purse that will be direct deposited into your account.



SPECIAL COMPETITIONS:

- Cash Jackpot
- Closest to the Hole Competitions
- Purse Winners
- \$16,000 Total estimated purse (based on a field of 26 teams).**

ENTRY FEE

This trip is limited to the first twenty-six (26) teams to register and return the deposit. **Applications will be processed in the order the deposit is received.** Professionals must be a PGA member or associate in good standing. The amateur cost at Planet Hollywood is **\$2,000** per person, single occupancy only (total team cost is \$8,000). The room upgrade to Caesars Palace is an additional \$700 per amateur, for a total cost of \$2,700 (total team cost is \$10,800). Upgrading to Caesars Palace will only be available for the first 8 teams that have made a deposit. The professional's entry fee is complimentary, and each professional will receive an appearance fee of \$600 or more (depending on the number of teams brought) to cover travel expenses.

A non-refundable security deposit of \$500 per amateur (\$2,000 per team) and team application is due TO RESERVE THE TEAMS SPOT. Professionals are encouraged to pay the entire team deposit and collect \$500 from each teammate.

Package does not include airfare, vehicle rentals, transportation to and from the course, incidentals and meals/expenses not mentioned. Deadline for final remaining team balance is **September 1, 2023**. Professionals **MUST HAVE** the entire team's entry fee paid by **September 1, 2023** to receive their appearance fee.



2023 MIDWEST PGA LAS VEGAS PRO AM APPLICATION

Please complete the following application for each of your teams.

PGA Professional: Name _____ PGA# _____

Facility/Club/Employer _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

AMATEUR #1: Name _____ GHIN# _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL Sex: Male Female

AMATEUR #2: Name _____ GHIN# _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL Sex: Male Female

AMATEUR #3: Name _____ GHIN# _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL Sex: Male Female

AMATEUR #4: Name _____ GHIN# _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL Sex: Male Female

CAESARS PALACE UPGRADE: YES _____ NO _____ The base hotel is PLANET HOLLYWOOD. Please upgrade our entire team to CAESARS PALACE for an additional fee of \$700 per amateur (\$2,800 per team). Upgrading is only available to the first 8 teams that have made a deposit.

SPECIAL NEEDS: All base rooms will be King size beds and Non-Smoking. If you have any special needs (i.e. 2 Queen Beds, Smoking, Handicap Accessible) please list the name of the individual and their special needs here:

CHECK PAYMENT OPTIONS: Planet Hollywood Team Total is \$8,000 (\$2,000 per amateur), Caesars Palace Team Total is \$10,800 (\$2,700 per amateur). Please send a security deposit check of \$2,000 per team (\$500 per amateur) made payable to "Midwest PGA" to secure your teams application. Final team balance of \$6,000 for Planet Hollywood and \$8,800 for Caesars Palace upgrade is due September 1, 2023. Professionals MUST HAVE the entire team's entry fee paid by September 1, 2023 to receive their appearance fee.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT OPTION: Using the above payment structure players/teams may choose to pay by credit card through the Las Vegas Pro-Am Tournament Information Page. A 3.75% processing fee will be added to the total amount.

Cancellation/Change Policy: After June 30th, if a team cancels, they will forgo their security deposit. After the September 1st deadline there will be no refund of entire balance if team cancels trip. The Midwest PGA Officers will review unavoidable, extenuating circumstances for entry cancellation such as death or severe medical emergencies. They will also review any other related special requests as it relates to any aspect of the Vegas travel pro-am.

Forward questions, completed application and deposit to: