

## 2010 95th Southwestern Amateur Tournament Summary

The 95th Southwestern Amateur was held June 15-18, 2010 on the Willow Glen Course set as a 6700 yard par-70 at Sycuan Resort in El Cajon, California with a field of some 116 players. Estanislao Guerrero from Tijuana, Mexico is our 2010 Southwestern Amateur Champion firing a 65 (-5) for a 72-hole total of 273 (-7) to come from 2 strokes back and win by 2 strokes over Bryan Martin of Thousand Oaks, CA and Joseph Harrison from Boulder City, NV. Estanislao may be our first foreign born winner. For details check our website at <http://www.swga.net/>.

Sycuan Resort was a most gracious host. Everyone from the grounds crew to the food & beverage staff did everything they could to make us feel important and welcome. Our conduct and administration of the tournament warranted a request by Sycuan to come back.

The golf course at a little less than 6700 yards in length was short by today's tournament standards and we had to deal with an over-abundance of burrowing animal holes, but its defense held up surprisingly well with a combination of green speed and nifty pin locations. We had issues with inadequate practice area space and a 10<sup>th</sup> hole far from the clubhouse but it was well managed. Overall the tournament was played in pleasant Southern California weather, the competition was fierce, our tournament administration was good and we have an outstanding winner.



### Round 1 – June 15

Round #1 started today with 116 players under damp, foggy skies that cleared nicely by about 10 am reaching a high of 82 F under light winds. The Willow Glen course was setup at 6604 yards playing to a par of 70. Two local players, Evan Derian from Manhattan Beach and Colin Featherstone from San Diego, have taken the early lead firing 3 under 67. 63 players shot 73 or better. Many players found the pin placements difficult and the speed of the greens "sneaky fast".

### Round 2 – June 16

The second round was contested under cooler, cloudy skies with light winds. Willow Glen was setup today at par 70 and 6517 yards. Fifteen players took advantage shooting par or better. Californians continue to dominate with four of five players at 136 (-4) or better leading the tournament. Tyler Weworski of Carlsbad, CA, fired a cool 64 (-6) in his afternoon round. Starting on hole 10, he birdied 5 of his first 7 holes on his way to a front side 30, adding two more birdies on the back side with a single bogey. He leads the tournament at 133 (-7), three shots clear of four players at 136 (-4).

After much scoreboard watching and anticipation, it was determined that the cut line for the 60 best scores and ties was 147 (+7). 64 players made the cut and will continue into round 3 tomorrow.

### Round 3 – June 17

Sixty-three players completed Round 3 today vying for a spot into the final round. Willow Glen played today at 6618 yards par 70 under clear skies, gentle winds and pleasant temperatures. There was much angst among the players at 215 as the last threesome in moved the cut line from 215 to 214 (+4). Exactly thirty players made the cut.

Michael Weaver from Fresno, CA, moved into a tie for 1st place by firing a 67 (-3). He and second round leader Tyler Weworski from Carlsbad, CA, now lead with 54-hole totals of 206 (-4) and take a 2 stroke lead over five other players into the final round. Six other players are within 4 strokes of the lead so the final round promises to be a shootout.

James Kwon from Houston, TX, had the low round of the day, shooting 63 (-7) to jump him from just making the cut to tied for 11th place.

#### Round 4 – June 18

Estanislao Guerrero from Tijuana, Mexico fired a 65 (-5) for a 72-hole total of 273 (-7) to come from 2 strokes back of the 54-hole leaders and win by 2 strokes over outstanding efforts by Bryan Martin of Thousand Oaks, CA and Joseph Harrison from Boulder City, NV. "Birdies on 5 and 6 got my round started. I played steady for the middle of the round then birdied 15 from 3 feet, 16 from 30 feet and just missed an eagle on 17" said Guerrero. There were no bogeys on the scorecard. Martin shot the second lowest round of the day with a 66 (-4) to move him from T8 to a tie for second with Harrison who shot 67 (-3). Third round leaders Michael Weaver from Fresno and Tyler Weworski from Carlsbad managed even par 70 rounds to finish tied for fourth with Colin Featherstone from San Diego.

"Winning in San Diego was special being close to home, but unfortunately my family didn't get to see it with Mexico in the World Cup" said Guerrero. "I grew up playing around here so that probably was an advantage." Indeed! Guerrero was born in Mexico City but played his junior golf around the San Diego area until age 17. He played his college golf at Old Dominion in Virginia. He hopes to qualify for the US Amateur and with this win get invitations to the Western Amateur and the Mexican team for the World Team event.

The Executive Committee wishes to sincerely thank the following directors for their assistance in conducting this event: Joel Empie, Roger Lake, John Gusky, Ray Korte, Jim Linyard (in absentia), Doug Seery, Gene Lake, Bill Lich, Chuck Merdich, John Ranslem, Joe Salvo, Chuck White, Warren Wilson and new directors Dennis Reilly and John Ransom. Part-time assistance: Director Andy Chavez. Special thanks to: Scott McNevin who again this year served as on-site Tournament Executive Director. For directors who could not attend, we thank them for their continued support of this event.



**2010 Southwestern Amateur Championship**  
**Sycuan Golf Resort**  
**June 15-18, 2010**

**FINAL RESULTS**

	<b><u>Player Name</u></b>	<b><u>Round 1</u></b>	<b><u>Round 2</u></b>	<b><u>Round 3</u></b>	<b><u>Round 4</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>
1	ESTANISLAO GUERRERO	69	67	72	65	273
2	JOSEPH HARRISON	68	68	72	67	275
2	BRYAN MARTIN	68	68	73	66	275
4	COLIN FEATHERSTONE	67	72	69	68	276
4	MICHAEL WEAVER	70	69	67	70	276
4	TYLER WEWORSKI	69	64	73	70	276
7	SCOTT TRAVERS	70	70	70	68	278
8	JEFF HAMM	73	72	66	68	279
8	JAMES BACK	71	74	67	67	279
8	BRAD MASON	69	71	68	71	279
11	JAMES KWON	71	76	63	70	280
11	BRANDON HAGY	74	73	66	67	280
11	EVAN DERIAN	67	72	74	67	280
11	ANDREW PRESLEY	71	69	70	70	280
15	TODD BAEK	73	70	66	72	281
15	HAO-SHENG HSU	69	71	69	72	281
15	RAMSEY SAHYOUN	70	69	69	73	281
15	JOHN CATLIN	70	75	69	67	281
19	BEN WEATHERLY	69	71	71	71	282
19	DOUG FORTNER	70	72	71	69	282
19	HARRY RUDOLPH III	76	69	68	69	282
22	PACE JOHNSON	69	73	70	71	283
22	AUSTIN GRAHAM	69	74	68	72	283
24	NICHOLAS LOSOLE III	69	71	71	75	286
25	ALEX ESTRADA	71	73	70	73	287
26	RAVI PATEL	68	70	76	74	288
27	GRAHAM BROCKINGTON	68	68	75	78	289
27	JOSH DUPONT	72	69	73	75	289
29	BENSON LIU	72	72	70	76	290
29	ALEX KANG	73	67	73	77	290

MISSED 54 HOLE CUT		<u>Round 1</u>	<u>Round 2</u>	<u>Round 3</u>	<u>54 Hole</u>
31	KORY HARRELL	69	70	76	215
31	DARREN HUPFER	68	74	73	215
31	RYAN OREAR	71	72	72	215
31	BLAKE BROWN	69	73	73	215
31	MARC SAMBOL	70	73	72	215
31	STEPHEN CARNEY	71	71	73	215
31	ALEX JOHNSON	74	70	71	215
31	JEFFREY BISHOP	71	72	72	215
31	LIAM LOGAN	71	76	68	215
40	BRENDAN DOYLE	71	74	71	216
40	JONATHAN KHAN	71	74	71	216
40	FINLEY EWING	77	69	70	216
40	GEORGE GANDRANATA	75	71	70	216
40	ALEX MOON	74	71	71	216
40	BEN KLAUS	73	72	71	216
40	PATRICK DUNCAN JR	72	73	71	216
40	BOBBY MONACO	69	71	76	216
48	SEJUN YOON	71	71	75	217
48	JEREMIAH WOODING	71	73	73	217
48	TYLER KOVACS	73	73	71	217
51	ELI COLE	73	73	72	218
51	PHILIP CHIAN	71	75	72	218
51	TANNER MAKIMOTO	71	72	75	218
51	SHANE LEBOW	69	75	74	218
55	BRETT SPENCER	74	71	74	219
55	PAUL McNAMARA III	72	71	76	219
55	JORDAN LEE	70	76	73	219
55	CLARK MITZNER	75	72	72	219
59	RYAN MYERS	73	72	75	220
60	CHRIS CONTRERAS	71	76	74	221
61	CABE PRIESKORM	74	73	75	222
61	DAVID LYONS	73	72	77	222
63	CONNOR ALAN LEE	76	71	79	226

#### MISSED 36 CUT

65	MATTHEW SCHOVEE	75	73	148
65	BEN JUFFER	75	73	148
65	NEAL McCARTY	73	75	148
65	BLAKE NICOLAI	71	77	148
65	ANDREW OK	75	73	148
65	TYLER MORRIS	76	72	148
65	ANDREW AUGUSTYNIAC	73	75	148
65	DIWEN CHEN	75	73	148
65	BUCKY COE	73	75	148
65	SPENCER FLETCHER	75	73	148

65	CHRIS JENSEN	74	74	148
76	STEVEN HAKES	76	73	149
76	STEWART HAGESTAD	74	75	149
76	STEVEN KEARNEY	75	74	149
76	NICK DROST	75	74	149
76	RUSSELL BORING	75	74	149
81	TZE HUANG CHOO	78	72	150
81	RAYMOND HO	77	73	150
81	MAX HOMA	75	75	150
81	EDWARD REYES	72	78	150
85	VAN PIERCE	75	76	151
85	MARSHALL COLBY	75	76	151
85	SAMUEL CHIEN	75	76	151
85	JORDAN EPSTEIN	75	76	151
85	JACOB GOLEMBIEWSKI	74	77	151
90	BENJAMIN ESPARZA	77	75	152
90	BENJAMIN LEIN	78	74	152
90	CARTER POOL	77	75	152
90	JIN SONG	80	72	152
94	BEAU SCHOOLCRAFT	75	78	153
94	ERICH JOHNSTON	81	72	153
94	JAMIE CORE	75	78	153
94	GREG GARCIA	73	80	153
94	GABRIEL FRANK	77	76	153
94	ALEX AUSTIN	77	76	153
100	JEFF HUNTER	74	80	154
100	GARRETT IVERSON	76	78	154
100	JAKE SARNOFF	76	78	154
100	JACOB SIMON	73	81	154
104	DANIEL PARK	80	75	155
104	SEOK MIN LIM	82	73	155
106	DEREK ZELLMER	75	81	156
107	BRAD NICHOLSON	76	81	157
108	MICHAEL PITT JR	77	81	158
108	MATTHEW SELIGMANN	75	83	158
110	HJ ROBERTS	79	80	159
111	PARKER MIDDLETON	80	82	162
111	YI-MING ZHANG	83	79	162
113	SEVE GONZALES	80	85	165
114	TY GRETZKY	91	85	176