

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Welcome to the 2024 Vail International Pro Am. Thank you again for your support of last year's event, which featured record proceeds for our charities. We're looking forward to renewing friendships and to spending four enjoyable days in the Rocky Mountains this fall. Please note that this year the practice round will be held on Sunday, September 15th. We are pleased to once again have Frost Creek, Red Sky Golf Club and Country Club of The Rockies as our host clubs. We're anticipating another year of excellent playing conditions and spirited competition. It's a privilege to once again host some of the finest golf clubs and golf professionals in the country for the 37th annual VIPA.

I'd like to extend a sincere thank you to our sponsors for benefitting our charities First Tee of the Colorado Rocky Mountains, Youth Power 365, and Can Do Foundation for Multiple Sclerosis. To increase our proceeds this year, a portion of every entry fee will go directly to our charities. We will continue to ask our participating golf professionals to contribute an item for our on-line charity auction and thank all participants and other sponsors that support our deserving charity beneficiaries.

The competition and itinerary remain the same as last year. Please consult the following schedule of events, rules of play, and format for this year's tournament.

The VIPA has been an enduring and successful event due to the cooperative efforts of Frost Creek, Red Sky, and Country Club of The Rockies. Thanks to them all, look forward to seeing you for the 2024 VIPA.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tom Apple', written in a cursive style.

Tom Apple, PGA
Master Professional

2024 Vail International Pro-Am Schedule of Events

Sunday, September 15th

10:00a - 5:00p

Tournament Registration at **Country Club of the Rockies**

11:30a

Practice Rounds start at **Frost Creek**, **Red Sky (Fazio)** or **Country Club of the Rockies**

5:00p - 7:30p

Skills Challenge (Putting, Closest to The Pin, Long Drive) and Opening Banquet (Cocktails and Hors D'oeuvres) at **Country Club of the Rockies** Practice Facility. (Mountain Casual Attire)

Monday, September 16th - **Frost Creek**

8:45a - 10:45a

Breakfast

11:00a

Round 1 Shotgun Start

12:00p - 2:30pm

Grab and Go Lunch

4:00p - 6:00p

Optional Social Hour

Tuesday, September 17th - Red Sky (Fazio)

8:45a - 10:45a

Breakfast

11:00a

Round 2 Shotgun Start

11:00a

Ladies' Golf Day at **Country Club of the Rockies**

12:00p - 2:30p

Grab and Go Lunch

Wednesday, September 18th - Country Club of the Rockies

8:45a - 10:45a

Breakfast

11:00a

Round 3 Shotgun Start

12:00p - 2:30p

Grab and Go Lunch

6:30p

Cocktails and Awards Banquet at **Vista at Arrowhead**
(Mountain Casual Attire)

2024 Vail International Pro-Am Rules of Play

RULES

USGA rules govern all play. Local rules are in effect and will be explained before play. **Use of a rangefinder without wind or slope functionality is permitted.**

When in doubt of a ruling, please play a second ball and consult the rules committee at the scoring table upon completion of your round.

Play will be from the following:

<u>Course:</u>	<u>Frost Creek</u>	<u>Red Sky</u>	<u>Country Club of The Rockies</u>
Men	Blue	Blue	Blue
Men 65+	White	Gold	White
Lady Profesional, 90+	Gold	Sage	Black
Ladies	Silver	Red	Red

The Team Professional is responsible for submitting the completed and signed (2 signatures) scorecard to the scoring area promptly at the end of each round.

To keep the pace of play moving, **PLAY READY GOLF.**
If an amateur player is out of the hole, **PLEASE PICK UP.**

Please refer to the daily rules sheet for local rules applying to each course. The long native grasses will be played as a penalty area for the entirety of the event.

In case of inclement weather, the Tournament Committee may modify the stipulated round(s).

Discontinuance of Play: Notes under Rule 5.7 are in effect.

- a. One prolonged blast of a siren or air horn signals a dangerous situation. All players **MUST** discontinue play immediately. All practice areas shall be closed during the suspension. Play or practice will not resume until directed by the Committee. Failure to comply is ***Disqualification.***
- b. Intermittent tone of a siren or air horn (repeated) signals that play is to resume immediately.

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE: Tom Apple, Buddy Antonopoulos and Joe Borawski

2024 Vail International Pro-Am Format and Payouts

FORMAT

One low net and one low gross ball of the foursome combined. These **cannot** be from the same ball.

100% of USGA Course Handicaps will be used (maximum 24 hdcp)

All handicaps are based on USGA indexes as of 9:00am on September 10th, 2024

Handicaps are adjusted for this multiple tee event. Competition is based off the **Blue** tees. Amateurs 65+ that move up and play the **White/Gold** tees will lose 2 strokes per round. Amateurs whose age and handicap together add up to be 90 or greater have the option of moving up an additional set of tees, but will lose an additional 2 strokes per round.

TIES

DAILY COMPETITION

Professional and Team Divisions

Ties for 1st - 3rd place will be broken by a scorecard playoff (starting with back 9 totals, then #18 backwards)

OVERALL

Professional Division

Ties for first place overall will be broken by a sudden death playoff (starting on #1 then #2, #3 etc.) at **Country Club of the Rockies** immediately following play on Wednesday

Ties for 2nd – 9th place will split prize money accordingly

Team Division

Ties will be broken using a scorecard playoff (starting with Day 3 totals, then back 9 Day 3 then #18 backwards Day 3, then Day 2, etc.)

Top 10 Teams Awarded

Skills Challenge Payouts

Amateurs

Pros

Putting Contest

1st – 3rd Place Team
1st – 3rd Individual

1st – 3rd Place Team
1st – 3rd Individual

Long Drive Contest

1st – 3rd Place Individual
1st – 3rd Place 65+ Individual

1st – 3rd Place Individual

Closet to the Pin Contest

1st – 3rd Place Individual

1st – 3rd Place Individual

Tournament Payouts

Daily

1st – 3rd Place Team

1st - 3rd Place Team

1st – 3rd Individual

Overall

1st – 10th Place Team

1st – 10th Place Team

1st – 9th Individual

Aspen Glen Club

Starting Hole: (11am)		3A	3	3A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Dave Thompson				
Ted Abrams	13.5	16	16	16
Bob Bisplinghoff	3.8	4	4	4
Doug Brugler	2.9	3	3	3

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Barton Creek CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		18B	18B	18B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Dylan Everett	+4.0	+5	+5	+5
Tony Lasita	10.1	11	11	11
Scott Lowrey	6.3	7	7	7
Jay Mechling	9.6	11	11	11

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Bellerive CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		6A	5B	5B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Jay Williamson				
Andy Funk	7.7	9	9	9
Teddy Leonard	5.9	6	6	6
Chris Wright	12.6	14	14	14
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Briggs Ranch

Starting Hole: (11am)		16	16B	17A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Derrick Dixon				
Travis Blackford	0.2	0	0	0
Michael Hewitt	4.4	5	5	5
Howie Hutchinson	9.3	11	11	11

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Country Club of The Rockies (Farrell)

Starting Hole: (11am)		4	2A	1A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Mike Farrell				
Buzz Baker	+0.4	+1	+1	+1
Scott Lewis	7.6	8	8	8
Dave McMillan	7.9	9	9	9

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Country Club of The Rockies (Marzec)

Starting Hole: (11am)		5	5A	5A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Eddie Marzec				
Rick Bross*	16.3	16	16	16
Doug Rapier*	12.3	11	11	11
Tom Svoboda*	21.6	22	22	22

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Colonial CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		12	13B	12B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Dow Finsterwald*				
Boris Kagan	4.7	5	5	5
Jonathan Mock	11.8	13	13	13
Jim Smith Jr.	5.9	6	6	6

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Dallas National

Starting Hole: (11am)		13	14A	13
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Neil Lockie				
Sam Chantilis	19.6	23	23	23
Neel Tanna	2.4	2	2	2
Jeff Wylie	6.3	7	7	7

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Eagle Springs GC

Starting Hole: (11am)		18A	18A	18A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Howard Glasser				
John Connelly	8.1	9	9	9
Mike Jones	13.7	16	16	16
Gene Lee	8.9	10	10	10

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Eldorado GC

Starting Hole: (11am)		10A	11A	10A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Jerry King				
Jake Kevorkian III	3.0	3	3	3
Jake Kevorkian IV	+3.3	+5	+5	+5
Michael Thompson	6.5	7	7	7

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Frost Creek (Tomlinson)

Starting Hole: (11am)		1A	4B	4
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Bryn Tomlinson				
Brad Fusco	9.3	11	11	11
Doug Fusco	5.6	6	6	6
Linda Fusco	15.4	15	15	15
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Frost Creek (Webster)

Starting Hole: (11am)		7A	6B	7A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Erica Webster				
Karen Kilgore	17.0	16	16	16
Alison McAdam	17.6	17	17	17
Anna Simmons				
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Frost Creek (Welsh)

Starting Hole: (11am)		1B	1B	2A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Ben Welsh				
Lance Goeddel	14.8	17	17	17
Chris Kokoska	6.2	7	7	7
Jeff Magoon	5.3	6	6	6
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Gaillardia CC (Vitali)

Starting Hole: (11am)		15A	15B	16A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Peter Vitali	+4.9	+6	+6	+6
Mike Pugliese*	6.8	5	5	5
Zack Skinner	10.3	12	12	12
Clint Wallis	7.4	8	8	8

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Gaillardia CC (Walor)

Starting Hole: (11am)		14B	15A	15
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Jordan Walor				
Jared Giddens	10.5	12	12	12
Mel Huffaker*	1.3	+1	+1	+1
Steve Ives*	13.6	13	13	13

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Glen Arven CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		8	8	8
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Bill Connally				
Stephen Cheney*	5.1	3	3	3
Randall Moore*	8.2	7	7	7
Cochran Scott*	9.2	8	8	8
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Harbour Town Golf Links

Starting Hole: (11am)		10B	11B	10B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Cary Corbitt*				
Tom Demint**	16.5	13	13	13
John Graham**	18.9	16	16	16
Bruce Kennedy	11.9	14	14	14

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Horseshoe Bay GC

Starting Hole: (11am)		3B	4A	3B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Jamie Christianson				
Dave Balison	5.6	6	6	6
Tom Sullivan	15.1	17	17	17
Mike Tressler	3.5	4	4	4
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Houston Oaks

Starting Hole: (11am)		2B	2B	2B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Carlos Sainz				
David Andras	2.7	3	3	3
Bob Heckeroth	5.4	6	6	6
Bob Nickles	6.8	8	8	8
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Kickingbird

Starting Hole: (11am)		15B	16A	16B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Andrew Green				
Brian Lamkin	10.9	12	12	12
Austin Miller	1.8	2	2	2
Chad Stanford	8.4	9	9	9

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Lakeside CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		9B	10	9B
		Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Shaun Wright				
Brian Beckcom	8.3	9	9	9
Vann Vandervoort	3.2	3	3	3
Vuk Vujasinovic	4.7	5	5	5

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Manufacturers' G & CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		9A	9	9A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Bob Hibschan*				
Jim Bickley*	21.9	22	22	22
Doug Callantine*	19.3	19	19	19
Bill Fonner*	19.6	20	20	20

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Mariner Sands

Starting Hole: (11am)		14A	14B	14
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Ted Mandes	1.5	1	1	1
Paul Beers	10.8	12	12	12
Lawrence Cook	8.3	9	9	9
Al Rahm*	10.6	9	9	9

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Medalist GC (Antonopoulos)

Starting Hole: (11am)		11A	12	11
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Buddy Antonopoulos*				
Jim Kellner*	6.5	5	5	5
Larry Lujan	4.6	5	5	5
Bruce McDonald	10.3	12	12	12

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Medalist GC (Greyling)

Starting Hole: (11am)		11B	13A	12A
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Christo Greyling				
Peter Boucher*	10.4	9	9	9
Bill Hulligan**	20.0	17	17	17
Duncan McCurrach	11.1	13	13	13

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Oakbourne CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		6B	6A	6
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
David Church				
Charlie Kilgore*	10.6	9	9	9
B.C. Thibeaux	1.0	1	1	1
Ben Thibeaux*	5.0	3	3	3
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Oklahoma City G & CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		17	17	17B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Garrett Diel				
Hal O'Dell	7.2	8	8	8
Austin Pendarvis	9.9	11	11	11
Kent Phillips*	14.7	14	14	14

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Red Sky GC

Starting Hole: (11am)		2A	1A	1B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Andrew Hedrick				
Dennis Grindinger*	12.3	11	11	11
Dave Grissen*	4.4	2	2	2
Steve Stratton*	10.7	10	10	10

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Timarron CC

Starting Hole: (11am)		7B	7	7B
	Index	Frost Creek	Red Sky	CCR
Hunter Haas				
Mark Bryan	13.2	15	15	15
Danny Martinez	9.1	10	10	10
Zack Perry	0.0	+1	+1	+1

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Thank you to the Host Professionals and their respective staff for their time and effort making this year's tournament a success!

Frost Creek

Mike Gibbs, General Manager
Ben Welsh, MPGA Head Professional
Derek Dreyer, Director of Agronomy

Red Sky

Andrew Hedrick, PGA General Manager/Director of Golf
Nathan Mead, PGA Head Professional (Fazio Course)
Mike Miner, Director of Agronomy

Country Club of The Rockies

Bill Hughes, MPGA General Manager/Chief Operating Officer
Mike Farrell, PGA Head Professional
Tim Taagen, Golf Course Superintendent

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Thank you for being with us! Have an enjoyable time in The Rockies!

