

2019 State Golf Championships

Mesilla Valley wins A-3A Girls' Golf Title

The Mesilla Valley SonBlazers claimed their first state golf championship in school history, at the 5,350-yard, par 72 Rockwind Community Links. The SonBlazers finished with a two-round total of 186-over par, 762 (375-387) at the 2019 NMAA Girls' A-3A State Golf Championships.

Mesilla Valley was followed by Texico (+209), St. Michael's (+220) and Socorro (+220).

Carisa Padilla of St. Michael's won the individual title with a two-round score of 10over par, 154, followed by Courtney Andersson of Mesilla Valley (+17).

Harley Richardson of Socorro (+22), Miquela Martinez of St. Michael's (+26), Katie Ikard of Mesilla Valley (+27) and Kylie Begay of Navajo Prep (+43), rounded out the individualists.

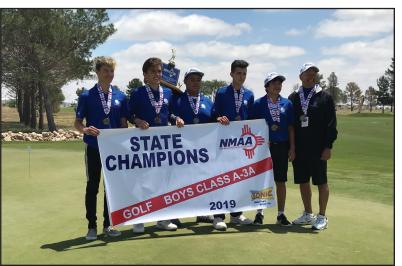
Socorro wins A-3A Boys' Golf Championship

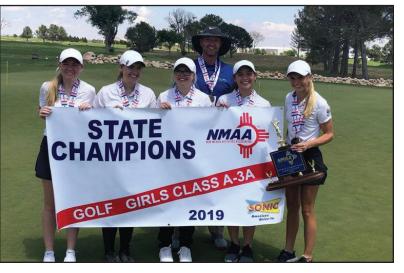
Socorro took home the blue trophy at the 2019 NMAA Boys' A-3A State Golf Championships at the 6,600-yard, par 72, Rockwind Community Links, after shooting a two-round score of 81-over par, 657 (328-329).

This was the 15th state title for the Warriors in school history and the third under head coach Russ Moores. Socorro last won the blue trophy back in 2016.

Individually, Alex Moores of Cottonwood Classical carded a two-day score of 11-over par, 155, becoming the first golf in Coyotes' history to take the individual title. Joshua Walsh of Socorro placed second with a 16over par, 160.

Jeremiah Avery of Socorro (+17), Tyler





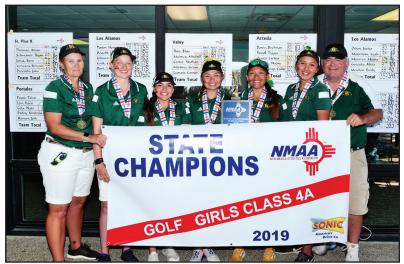
Lingnau of Clovis Christian (+19), Jaxon Arguello of Tucumcari (+20) and James Woods of Socorro (+20) rounded out the top-6.

Los Alamos Wins 4A Girls' Golf Crown

The Los Alamos Hilltoppers girls' golf team captured the blue trophy at the 2019 NMAA Girls' 4A State Golf Championships in Farmington, with a two-round score of 131-over par, 707. This was the Hilltoppers' second straight golf title.

Lovington and Hope Christian battled it out for second place honors with the Wildcats finishing second with a team score of 149-over par, 725, followed by the Huskies (+151), Artesia (+154) and St. Pius X (+201).

Taysea Powell of Artesia won the individual title with a two-round score of 6-over par, 150, carding two rounds in the 70's for the tournament, a 78 in round one and a 73 in round two. Jessica Osden of Los Alamos placed second with a score of 9-over par, 153.



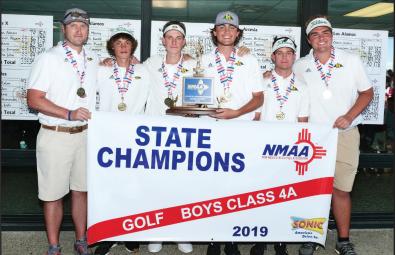
Isebelle Peralta of Aztec finished third with a two-round score of 22-over par, 166, followed by Brooke Sturtevant (+23) of Hope Christian, Brehnan Davis of Artesia (+24) and Alexandra Michelena of Ruidoso (+26), rounding out the top 6.

Los Alamos Hoists 4A Boys' Golf Blue Trophy

Los Alamos captured the 2019 NMAA Boys' 4A Golf Championship with a two-round score of 54over par, 630, at the 6,750-yard, par 72, Piñon Hills Golf Course. This was the third straight blue trophy for the Hilltoppers.

Albuquerque Academy took second with a two-round score of 88-over par, 664, followed by Lovington (+101), St. Pius X (+108) and Valley (+113).

Aidan Thomas of St. Pius X captured the individual title for the third straight year with a two-round score of 6-over par, 150. Thomas carded the only round under par for the tournament, a 71 in the first round. Following close behind Thomas, was Tay



Hwang of Albuquerque Academy and Josh Fambro of Taos who both shot a two-round score of 8-over par, 152, tying for second.

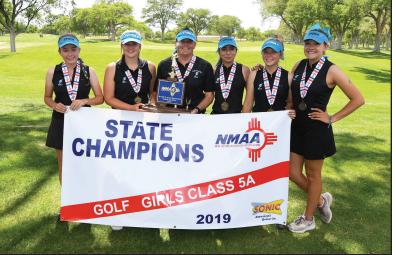
Los Alamos had three golfers in the top-6, as Davis Johnson (+9), Jacob Benelli (+10) and Henry Poston (+11) all took home individual medals.

Cleveland Captures 5A Girls' Golf Title

The Cleveland Storm captured their sixth blue trophy at the 2019 NMAA Girls' 5A Golf Championships at the 5,600-yard, par 72 The Canyon Club in Four Hills. Cleveland carded a 106-over par, 682, winning by six strokes.

La Cueva took second with a two-round team total of 112-over par, 688, followed by Deming (+156), Piedra Vista (+201) and Las Cruces (+209).

Sophia Zamarripa of Sandia won the individual championship with a two-round score of 6-over par, 150, shooting back-toback rounds in 70's. Cleveland's Jacque Galloway, the three-time defending champion, placed second with a two-round score of 10-over par, 154.



Presely Jackson of Deming finished third

with a score of 18-over par, 162, followed by Maddie Rotunno of Hobbs (+21), Eleanna Carris of La Cueva (+22) and Lexi Gutierrez and Sky Avery of Cleveland (+24).

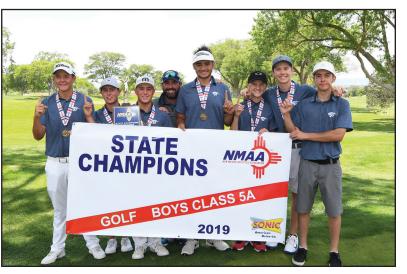
Piedra Vista Wins 5A Boys' Golf Title

The Piedra Vista Panthers took home the blue trophy for the second time in as many years with a two-round team score of 34-over par, 610, at the 2019 NMAA Boys' 5A State Golf Championships

at the 6,700-yard, par 72, at The Canyon Club at Four Hills.

The Panthers won by 37 strokes over La Cueva, who finished second at 71-over par, 647. Deming placed third at 91-over par, followed by Hobbs at 110-over par.

Cibola's Aiden Kraft took home top honors with a two-round score of 4-under par, 140. Both rounds for Kraft were under par. Tyler Diehl of Piedra Vista was second with



a two-round score of 1-under par, 143.

Tyler's brother, Trey Diehl and La Cueva's Austin Brito finished tied for third at 2-over par, 146, followed by Aaron Perales of Deming (+3) and Roman Romero of Manzano (+4).