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# Brown wins CGA Turnarounds common on Sunday

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The talk of the tournament Saturday after the first round was completed in the annual Colorado Golf Association's Western Slope Chapter Championship centered on two performances: Paul Brown's 67 in the championship flight and Randy Zamora's 82, a score popping up way down in the fifth flight.

Brown, the Bookcliff Country Club ace, is expected to shoot a 67 occasionally. Zamora, an 18-handicapper who frequently dabbles on the Lincoln Park and Tiara Rado golf courses, was not expected to shoot an 82 on the Lincoln Park course.

Matter of fact, his Saturday score created the usual, those moans and groans from many of the higher-handicapped golfers who were trying to win some money of their own.

After hearing the moaning on Saturday and early Sunday, Zamora proceeded to do what most high-handicappers do when they are feeling perhaps a little bit guilty of a good round: He skied to a 95 on Sunday, thus losing the fifth-flight title to steady Paul Curlee, who shot 87-85—172 in the 36-hole event.

Meanwhile, Brown was doing what he normally does, finishing off the field with a 74 to take a four-shot win over Bill Claycomb in the championship flight, Brown at 141, Claycomb at 145.

In the other flights:

✓ Gregg Mueller came away with the first-flight win with a playoff victory over Dacre Williams after both had totalled 150s;

✓ Phil Herrera shot 77-77 for

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## CGA results

Lincoln Park  
Saturday-Sunday  
Championship Flight

Paul Brown	67-74—141
Bill Claycomb	70-75—145
Don Baughman	72-75—147
Dennis Lucero	73-74—147
Sean Groover	73-74—147
Mark Montgomery	74-75—149
Dave Brown	75-75—150
Dave Schoening	73-77—150
Nick Perry	73-78—151
John Callihan	77-74—151
Joe Tonnozi	76-76—152
Bernie Buescher	77-76—153
Mike Fries	77-76—153
John Cota	79-75—154
Gary DeRush	77-78—155
Brian Hart	78-78—156
Erich Helmich	78-84—162
Darrell Ribble	87-81—168
Paul Mavrakis	87-87—174

## First Flight

x-Gregg Mueller	80-70—150
Dacre Williams	79-71—150
Dan McKelvy	76-76—152
Dick Kimball	74-78—152
Dave Isaacs	77-75—152
Jim Hollingsworth	74-79—153
Cal Letey	76-80—156
John Patterson	79-77—156
Fuzzy Aubert	79-78—157
Henry Rubie	78-80—158
Chuck Curtis	77-82—159
Cliff Parker	77-82—159
Dirk Miller	81-78—159
Jim Barker	81-78—159
Hank Dickey	82-77—159
Don Hickman	75-84—159
Jack Hanson	75-85—160
Jack Colvin	81-79—160
Curt Nelson	76-85—161
Bill Dickinson	81-81—162
Heiko Kuhn	84-81—165
Paul Morgan	87-97—184

## Second Flight

Phil Herrera	77-77—154
George Smeltzer	78-80—158
Ron Sawyer	75-84—159
Chuck Unger	81-79—160
John Jackson	82-78—160
Doug Watkins	78-83—161
Gary Gallegos	83-79—162
James Gronnebek	81-83—164
Steve Beattie	83-83—166
Bob Rowlands	84-82—166
Mike Mast	83-84—167
Jack Rentfrow	87-81—168
Jim Echave	80-89—169
Dahl Aubert	83-86—169
Craig Burdette	86-85—171
Mac Greene	90-92—182
Roy Jones	93-90—183

## Third Flight

Ken McGechie	76-85—161
Vince Alberta	82-81—163
Bob LaDuke	83-82—165
Dave Hoffman	82-86—168
Todd Youngerman	84-85—169
John Peterson	88-82—170
Dan Hart	81-91—172
Jim Wilson	81-92—173
Rocky Blake	90-84—174
Gene Fisher	84-91—175
Jim Holdren	86-79—175
Don Westlund	88-87—175
Dusty Cline	87-88—175
Jim Igo	89-88—177
Al Johnson	83-95—178
Lou Jorgenson	87-91—178
Mel Muhr	86-94—180
W.J. Barr	91-90—181
Mitch Abbate	91-91—182
Dominick Romero	98-103—201

## Fourth Flight

Carl Posteher	80-83—166
Bill Brehmer	85-84—169
Dennis Scott	85-84—169
Al Martinez	84-87—171
Brent Edwards	83-90—173
Steve Hickman	84-90—174
Norm Way	87-88—175
Bud Stanford	87-90—177
Jerry Story	88-90—178
Jeff Kadereit	93-93—186
Dave Wilhelm	93-94—187
Steve Anderson	96-91—187
Lou Frasseti	95-100—195
Clay Sutherland	88-109—197

## Fifth Flight

Paul Curlee	87-85—172
Randy Zamora	82-95—177
Carl Fitzpatrick	91-90—181
Rick Jussel	92-91—183
Carl Abrahamson	95-96—191
Richard Bohlender	97-95—192
Lowell Blair	96-97—193
Dave Preston	98-96—194
Joe Holman	95-101—196
John Neil	94-103—197
Bob Dorsey	98-99—197
Adam Reeves	96-102—198
Jim Hinson	97-102—199
Isaac Gallegos	100-102—202
Jack Smith	106-97—203
Joe Matkovich	104-112—216

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154 total to win the second flight by four strokes over Rifle veteran George Smeltzer;

✓ Ken McGechie shot 76-85 to hold on in the third flight by two strokes over Montrose's Vince Alberta;

✓ Carl Posteher won the fourth flight by shooting 80-86—166, with Bill Brehmer and Bud Scott tied for second at 169;

✓ And in a special seniors flight, Fuzzy Aubert came out on top in low-gross play with scores of 79-78 for a 157 total, while Karl Fitzpatrick scored a 135 for low-net score.

Zamora's seemingly strange 82-95 grouping over the two days was really not so strange, he said as he struggled Sunday.

For one thing, he's never played in a tournament of any kind before: "This is my debut," he said, adding that he'd had some golf lessons recently from local pro Dick Dierker that had helped tremendously toward his shooting 82.

"He got me off the tee box. I had had a lot of trouble doing that. Now, I'm hitting it a lot straighter."

That was, he had been hitting it straighter.

The pressure of having a lead led to the second reason for the range on the scorecard, his driver going sour a few too many times on a front nine that saw him sky to a 51, mainly because of out-of-bounds on the right on too many holes.

A few out-of-bounds, a few missed putts and ... bingo. 95.

"I guess that'll shut up a few of those guys that were griping," the long-hitting Zamora said after play.

Tourney notes: The tournament paid eight places in each of the seven flights, with top money in each flight being \$350 in merchandize from the Lincoln Park pro shop.

Jim Barker, playing in the first flight, had a hole-in-one on Saturday, hitting a 9-iron into the cup on No. 3 on what was actually his 12th hole of play. "It was my first one ever," Barker said.

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Paul Brown of Grand Junction earned the Colorado Golf Association-Western Slope Chapter championship at Grand Junction's Lincoln Park Golf Course over the weekend by shooting 67-74 for a 141 total.