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CITY OF LOS ANGELES GOLF COMPETITIONS

Department of Recreation and Parks will conduct six events in 2008

LOS ANGELES – The City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks will present six golf tournaments in 2008, all held at Department-operated courses, with players ages 7 to 77 and older having an opportunity to compete at their skill level.

The 2008 tournament schedule is:

- **Juniors** (ages 7-18) – March 15-17
- **Men** (age 18 or older) – June 5-8
- **Women** (age 18 or older) – July 12-13
- **Senior Women** (age 50 or older) – July 24-25
- **Men's Match Play** (age 18 or older) – August 9-10 and 16-17
- **Senior Men** (age 50 or older) – October 4-3

All events are conducted by the Los Angeles Municipal Golf Association. Additional information about each tournament and registration materials will be available at www.laparks.org/dos/sports/golf.htm 6-8 weeks prior to the competition, as well as at all Department-operated courses.

Entry fees vary, but most are \$100 or less. For more information about the 2008 tournaments, call Chuck Ruiz, Golf Tournament Coordinator, at (818) 246-1135.

The Department owns and operates seven 18-hole championship courses, one 9-hole regulation course, two executive 9-hole courses, two 9-hole pitch and putt courses, and one 18-hole pony course; it's the largest municipal golf system in the country. There's also a junior golf learning center - Tregnan Golf Academy, at Griffith Park. Courses are open for play, conditions permitting, 365 days a year, from dawn until dusk.

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For more information about Department of Recreation and Parks events, activities, services, programs, and facilities, go to www.laparks.org, or call 311, or (213) 928-9200.