

Tournament season returns

After a year of few opportunities, golfers in Central Oregon are ready to compete

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A quick stop by the pro shop at any of Central Oregon's golf courses will likely find a line of folks waiting to check in, phones ringing, and the birds chirping outside an open window.

After a long winter of being cooped up in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic, it seems the area's golfers are more than eager to get back out on the fairways.

While that has become a reality for many during unseasonably warm and sunny spring weather, there's also a cohort that's ready to test their skills in the competitive arena.

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Patrick Berg watches his putt while playing in the Central Oregon Shootout at Aspen Lakes Golf Course in Sisters on April 23.

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