La Ventana Classic - Amigos de Alumnos Spring Update



By any measure the 2018 La Ventana Classic was a resounding success!!

The La Ventana Classic (LVC AC) has awarded the Amigos de Alumnos Scholarship fund the amazing amount of \$35,000 US from the proceeds of the La Ventana Classic fund raiser! All that fun and such a successful fundraiser makes this event extra special.

The scholarship program will be able to expand by giant steps because of this donation. Here's what we will do with the proceeds:

- Add 30 more high school students from La Ventana, El Sargento and Los Planes
- Add six more university students with degree interests ranging from Business Accounting, Civil Engineering, Tourism Industry, Fishing Engineering, and Medicine.

When the new school year begins in August 2018 we should be supporting at least 65 local high school students and 8 local university students. We have come a long way since 2011 when we began the program with five girls.



Another exciting development is that the LVC AC received a donation specifically to offset the expense of becoming a Friends of Fund with the (ICF) International Communities Foundation. The foundation allows donors in the United States to give tax deductable gifts to non-profits in Mexico, Central and South America. We will be showing up soon on their web site and in the next Baja California Sur Giving Guide.

None of this would be possible without the generous support of our community. A big thank you again to Tim Hatler, exceptional human being, our wonderful sponsors and donors both local and stateside, fabulous participants, and the best volunteers in the world!

We remain an all volunteer organization. Every donation is used on direct students services.

