

*Cypress Lakes Golf Club  
August 2014 Newsletter*

**3<sup>rd</sup> ¼ dues  
Are Past  
Due**

Tee Times: 850-937-3820 Pro Shop: 850-937-3821 Address: 2365 Old Chemstrand Road; Cantonment, FL 32533

**Message from the Board**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
2-Person Scramble**

August 23<sup>rd</sup>

1:00 pm start

Net prizes & 1-Overall Gross  
Winner

Win a 1-year membership for  
a hole in one on any par 3.

**Please Boycott Dick's  
Sporting Goods.**

Dick's Sporting Goods fired  
all PGA Golf Professionals  
(over 475) from their retail  
stores across the country.

The PGA of America  
considers this a slap in the  
face and we will not support  
their business.

***Cypress Lakes Golf Club  
2014 Annual Parent/Child  
Golf Tournament***

**Final Results  
Championship Flight**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (52.9)

Mike & Matt Batchelor

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (58.7)

David & David Jr. Venettozzi

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (59.4)

Wyatt & Wyatt III Shows

4<sup>th</sup> Place (60.6)

Jeff & Trevor Hoffman

5<sup>th</sup> Place (60.8)

Mark & Matt Urbanavage

**First Flight**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (60.7)

Keith & Trent Wells

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (63.7)

Chris & Chase O'Connor

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (64.6)

Bob & Matt Pacenta

4<sup>th</sup> Place (65.5)

Vince & Connor Hardman

***Tee it Forward!!!  
Give it a try.  
You will have more fun.***

**Support our member's businesses**

Lee Empie member #5390 (Empire Land Surveying.....850-477-3745)

Jeffrey King member #5798 (Southern Pipe & Supply.....850-433-4689)

Contact John Childs (850-937-3820) if you would like to list your business in the newsletter.

**Message from the General Manager &  
Head Golf Professional:**  
**John H. Childs, Jr.**  
[johnchilds@cypresslakesgolfclub.net](mailto:johnchilds@cypresslakesgolfclub.net)

***Coming soon to our handicap system.***

Today's technology is forcing us to change to a new method of posting our scores. Our current Handicap Service (Golf Association of Florida & Golfnet) will be converting to an all internet handicap posting system. All of us will soon be assigned an online Username and Password to be used on your home computer or our in-house computer. Complete details will be coming in the September Newsletter.

**START NOW**

If you would like to get ahead of the game, you can pre-register and start using the new system now by going to:

- [gafgolf.org](http://gafgolf.org)
- Handicapping
- Handicaps by email
- Follow ALL 7-steps
- Once you have set up your account, log back in and click on "Post Scores" or "Handicap Verification"

I know we all hate change but it will better in the long run.

Check out our Facebook Page  
<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Pensacola-Golf-at-Cypress-Lakes-Golf-Club/1380235965530510>

**A word from your Golf Course  
Superintendent: Win Thomas**  
[winthomas@cypresslakesgolfclub.net](mailto:winthomas@cypresslakesgolfclub.net)

Torpedograss, Goosegrass, Crabgrass and Nutsedge are the weeds we are in the process of controlling. Herbicides used to control these weeds will cause some temporary yellowing to Bermudagrass. Expect this yellowing on the greens, fairways, tees, green and tee slopes over the next few weeks as we attempt to eliminate weeds.

Our next "Drill aerification" of the putting greens is scheduled for Monday August 25. This is a full day operation that will cause some inconvenience. Please check the tee sheet in advance to limit confusion and frustration. Aerification is one of the necessary evils of golf course management. *Win*

***4-Aces in July***

Claudia Jones #17  
Lonnie McFarren #8  
Eubie Black #17  
Seth Godwin #17

***Congratulations!!!***

CLGC Senior Association's  
Monthly Tournament will have  
\$300 extra money added to the  
prize pool. Don't miss out on  
this event:  
August 19<sup>th</sup>  
4-Person Scramble

## 2014 Invitational Results

### Overall Team Gross Champions

Andy Stacey & Tommy Jean (134)

### First Flight Net (Top Teams)

(118)

Jeff & Curtis Brashear

(125)

Roy Price & Janie Maddon

(127)

David Morgan & Pete Thompson

(128)

John Robinson & Dana Weeden

Neil Forrester & Stan Wehemeir

Jim Mills & Ed Soyka

Darrell Culverhouse & Doug Hopkins

(129)

Jeff Hoffman & Bert Wynne

Bill Burch & Charlie Skelton

### Second Flight (Top Teams)

(121)

Steve Nelson & Larry Houston

(125)

Mark Strader & Larry Halversen

(126)

Ezell Lowry & Neal Ward

(127)

Bob Cowan & Roy Heckman

Wade Collier & Michael Bowers

(128)

Tod Esselburn & Jeff Ballinger

Dora Johnson & Pete Johnson

(129)

George Webb & Wayne Buckingham

### Weekly Dogfight Winners

July 3<sup>rd</sup> .....Dot Johnson (+9)

July 10<sup>th</sup> .....Pat O'Brien (+8)

July 17<sup>th</sup> .....Dave Gilmore (+8)

July 24<sup>th</sup> .....Jim Moore (+12)

July 31<sup>st</sup> .....Lynn Linton (+5)

**When: Every Thursday**

**Format: 54-point Modified  
Stableford**

**Eligible: All CLGC members and  
their guests with a USGA handicap  
(Cost: \$3)**

## Turf Tip of the Month

As we approach the “dog days” of summer, you may notice your lawn is under stress. Raising the mowing height is a great tool to allow the turf plant every opportunity to deal with stress and recover.

## Pro Tip of the Month

Keep your spine angle the same throughout your back swing and down swing until impact. To see if your spine has moved, take a backswing and stop it at the top. Your spine angle should not have changed positions. Spine angle movement is one of the major causes of miss hit shots. *John*

## Rule of the month

**Question:** With all this new technology out allowing you to adjust lofts & lies, can you now change them during the round?

**Answer:** No, the playing characteristics of a club cannot be changed during a stipulated round

**Rule:** 4-2a

## *Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament*

### **Winners of the July's tournament Best 3 of 4 Stableford** (+14)

Pat O'Brien, Dennis  
Carlson, Michael Krieger,  
Libby O'Brien  
(+14)

Pete Smith, Skeeter Farrow,  
Buddy Zukowski  
(+10)

Ron Harvey, Chuck Sample,  
Bill Tryon, Joe Best

### **Congratulations!!**

*The next event will be:*

**TUESDAY,  
August 19<sup>th</sup>**

**\$300 extra prize pool \$\$\$**

### **Format:**

4-Person Scramble

**Create your own team or  
sign up individually and  
we will try to pair you up.**

**Men age 50-59 white,**

**Men age 60-69 black,**

**Men 70 + red, Women red.**

**Women 60+ green**

### **Officers:**

President: Dennis Durant

Vice-President: Vacant

Secretary/Treasurer: Milton  
Clark

**BULLETIN BOARD: Upcoming tournament & maintenance dates:**

**LGA Weekly Play Day:** Wednesdays @ 8:30am

**Summer League:** Thursdays @ 5:00pm

**Monthly Senior Tournament:** August 19<sup>th</sup> @ 8:45 (Scramble + \$300 extra \$)

**Maintenance:** Green drilling, August 25<sup>th</sup> (check Pro Shop for available tee times).

**Travel Group:** Friday, August 29<sup>th</sup>

**CLGC Upcoming Member's Events**

**August 23<sup>rd</sup>:** CLGC 2-Person Scramble

**October 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>:** Club Championship

**November 7<sup>th</sup>:** United Way

**November 15<sup>th</sup>:** Turkey Shoot

**November 27<sup>th</sup>:** Thanksgiving (Course Closed)

**December 20<sup>th</sup>:** CLGC 3-Person Scramble

**December 25<sup>th</sup>:** Christmas (Course Closed)

Book this year's event now.

Many dates have already been taken.

Call John Childs to reserve your date (850-937-3820)

See: [cypresslakesgolfclub.net](http://cypresslakesgolfclub.net) for the full calendar of events or click:

<https://www.coursetrends.com/golf/calendar/eventmanager.php?state=1&month=6&year=2014>

**Cypress Lakes GC**

2365 Old Chemstrand Rd.

Cantonment, FL 32533

850-937-3820

850-937-3821

850-937-3887 (maintenance)

**Hours of Operation**

**Golf Shop**

6:30 a.m. – 1 hour before dark

**Driving Range**

6:30 a.m. – 1 hour before dark

**Carts must be in by:**

15 minutes before dark

**Front Gate**

Locks at dark

*Know your staff!*

**General Manager/**

**Head Golf Professional**

*John H. Childs, Jr. PGA*

**Golf Course**

**Superintendent**

*Win Thomas GCSAA*

**Assistant Manager/**

**Golf Professional**

*Becky Black*

**Professional Staff**

*Leslie Blanton,*

*Pete Thompson,*

*Joey Alvarez,*

*Don Walker,*

*Dottie Phetteplace,*

*Gary Mattes, Roley Kiker,*

*Peter Bennington, Paris*

*Scott*

**Marshals/Starters**

*Chuck LaMotte,*

*Darrell Culverhouse*

**Volunteer Marshals:**

*Doug Harville*

**Maintenance Staff**

*Alan Bates, Pam Seaborn,*

*Allen Brazell, Brad*

*Tanner, Darrell*

*Culverhouse, Chuck Tesch,*

*Johnathan Lambeth,*

*Shackaris Mack*

**Private Lessons:**

1/2 hour \$25

Package of three \$65

**Instructors:**

**John Childs PGA**

**Monthly Travel  
Group**

August 29<sup>th</sup>

**TBA**

\$TBA includes:

Green Fee, Cart fee, Net  
dogfight, Net skins, & tax

*Contact John Childs or  
Becky Black to sign up.*

**CLGC Board of Directors:** President .. **Ken Daniels** Vice-President...Open position Secretary ..**Fred Lee** Treasurer...  
**Steve Hecht** Retiree Representatives .. **Bill Tryon & Jerry Kelly** Sitting members: **Mike Cleary, Roy Price,**  
**John Merritt, Steve Mack**