

Cypress Lakes Golf Club June 2014 Newsletter

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

Message from the Board

2014 Invitational

Friday, June 6th 1:00pm &
Saturday, June 7th 8:30am

ALL NEW FORMAT:
See John's article for details.

Taylor Made Demo Day
June 14th
10am-2pm

Mark your calendar

July 26th
Parent/Child

Results

League Standings Through May 29th

Ray Gambill & Bam Burch (89.5)
Mike Bowers & Dewey Thomas (87.5)
Ken Korn & Steve Hecht (87.0)
Troy Thompson & Neal Ward (85.0)
Don Walker & Becky Black (83.0)
Terry Lewis & Jacob Lewis (81.5)
John Robinson & Dana Weeden (79.0)
Jody England & Brad Harrington (77.5)

Ladies Golf Association Weekly

Play Day

"Low Ptts"
Claudia Jones
"Bingo/Bango/Bongo"
Sandy Cowling
"Golfer of the year"
Bobbie Fletcher (Queen)
Paula Austin (Court)

Join the Ladies on Wednesday mornings

***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

2014 Invitational

June 6th & 7th

Format:

- 2-Person Team: 18-holes Scramble (30% team handicap)
18-holes best 1-net ball (100% handicap)
Maximum handicap differential: 12 strokes
Entry Fee: Members \$70 Non-Members \$90
- Includes: Green fees (for non-members), cart fees, Friday Box Lunch, Saturday BBQ, on course beverages, & Tee Gift

Side Games:

- Optional 1st day TEAM SKINS: \$10/team
Optional 2nd day only TEAM BUY-IN: \$20/team
Guests for meals: Box Lunch \$7.00 BBQ \$12.00

Itinerary:

Friday, June 6th:

- 11:00am Team check in begins
- 11:00am Driving range will be set
- 11:45am Box lunches will be available
- 12:45pm Deadline to sign up for "Team Skins"
- 12:45pm Welcome & Tournament rules
- 1:00pm Shotgun Start (18-hole Scramble Format)

Saturday, June 7th:

- 7:00am Driving range will be set
- 7:15am Doughnuts, fruit, & coffee
- 8:15am Deadline to sign up for "Team Buy-In"
 - 8:15am Announcements
 - 8:30am Shotgun Start
(18-hole Best 1-net ball Format)
 - 12:30pm BBQ
- 1:00pm Awards Ceremony

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

We will be aerating putting greens beginning Monday June 9th. The operation will take two days to complete. Restrictions will be placed on use of holes being aerified. Please check the tee sheet at the front desk in the pro shop. We will aerate back nine greens Monday and front nine greens Tuesday. Tees will be aerified later that week but will not interfere with play.

We have had more than our fair share of rain in the month of May. Rain is a two edged sword for turfgrass management. Turfgrass is growing more rapidly than we can mow it because the ground is so wet and we can not get mowers out. Ropes will be utilized to keep carts from causing damage. Please keep carts on paths where available and utilize the 90 degree rule when driving on the fairways.

Feel free to stop by the office or call me at (850) 937-3887 if you have any comments or suggestions.

Win

Don't forget
Father's Day
June 16th

Join us at Peninsula
June 20th

Golf Clinic
June 28th

"Fundamentals Tune Up"

Pro Tip of the Month

Keep your right hand connected during transition

Nearly eight out of ten people I teach have a problem with keeping their right hand connected with their left (opposite for lefties) during the transition of their back swing and down swing. This problem will cause many of your miss hits like "pulling the ball", "snap pull hooks" & "topping the ball". One way to check to see if you have this problem is to take a back swing and stop it at the top. Then look at the palm of your right hand and see if it is still touching your left thumb. If there is any separation at all, you would be one of the eight I mentioned above. This is one of the most important pressure points of the grip. Keep pressure on your left thumb with your right palm during the transition to correct the problem. If you correct this problem, straighter and more solid shots will follow.

**Try these tips and I promise
They will help your game.**

Good Luck! John

Visit Our website:

www.cypresslakesgolfclub.net

**has a library of past newsletters
with monthly tips.**

Weekly Dogfight Winners

May 1st...Dave Gilmore +4

May 8th...Jim Mills +4

May 15th...Lynn Linton +6

May 22nd.....no event

May 29th...rained out

When: Every Thursday

**Time: Check-in by 8:20am,
play at 8:36am**

**Format: 54-point Modified
Stableford**

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

Turf Tip of the Month

It is time to control for mole crickets. Some areas have reported egg hatch and control measures are most effective when the crickets are in the nymph stage. There are products available for use by the homeowner which control both mole crickets and fire ants (look for the active ingredient "Fipronil" on the label). Please contact your local county extension agent for product recommendations, rates, and timing of application. In Escambia County call 475-5230 and in Santa Rosa County call 623-3868.

Congratulations!!!!

Alvin Potts &

Marvin Edwards.

Alvin made his 2nd Ace on
#14 with a 6-iron.

Marvin made his 1st hole-
in-one on #17 with a 9-iron.

Rule of the month

Question: I hit my ball towards the woods about 200 yards down the fairway. Thinking the ball might be lost, I decided to hit a provisional ball but topped it only 50 yards. Can I hit my provisional again or do I have to go look for my original ball first?

Answer: You can continue hitting your provisional until you reach the area you think your original ball is.

Rule: 27-2b

Did you know that?

Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament

Winners of the May's tournament Best 2 of 4 Net

(121) Milton Clark, Wayne Buckingham, Scott Mudge,
Johnny Adams

(122) Dennis Durant, Virgil Myrick, Harry Bass, Steven Nelson

(123) Pete Smith, Buddy Zukowski, Skeeter Farrow,
Howard Thrash

Congratulations!!

**The next event will be:
TUESDAY,
June 17th**

Format:
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

**Invitational
June 6th & 7th**

BULLETIN BOARD: Upcoming tournament & maintenance dates:

LGA Weekly Play Day: Wednesdays @ 8:30am

Spring League: Thursdays @ 5:00pm

Summer Junior Program: Thursday from 9:00am-1:30pm

PGA Junior League: June 4th @ 3:30pm (Match against Tiger Point)

CLGC Invitational: June 6th & 7th

Maintenance: June 9th & 10th (Only 9 holes will be open each day)

Taylor Made Demo Day: June 14th from 10:00-2:00pm

Father's Day: June 15th DON'T FORGET!!

Monthly Senior Tournament: June 17th @ 8:45 (Scramble)

Travel Group: Friday, June 20th @ Peninsula GC

1st Tee of NW Florida: June 24th (Limited times available)

CLGC Upcoming Member's Events

June 6th & 7th: Invitational (Friday & Saturday)

June 12th: Summer Junior Program Begins

July 17th: Summer League Begins

July 26th: Annual Parent/Child

August 23rd: CLGC 2-Person Scramble

October 4th & 5th: Club Championship

November 7th: United Way

November 22nd: Turkey Shoot

November 27th: Thanksgiving (Course Closed)

December 20th: CLGC 3-Person Scramble

December 25th: 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 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,

Doug Harville

Volunteer Marshals:

Doug Harville,

Maintenance Staff

Alan Bates, Pam Seaborn,

Allen Brazell, Brad

Tanner, Darrell

Culverhouse, Chuck Tesch,

Kendrick Douglas,

Johnathan Lambeth

Private Lessons:

1/2 hour \$25

Package of three \$65

Instructors:

John Childs PGA

**Monthly Travel
Group**

June 20th

Peninsula CC

Gulf Shores, AL

\$68 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