

Cypress Lakes Golf Club
November 2013 Newsletter

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Are Now
Past Due

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

Message from the Board

**Congratulations to all of our new
Club Champions!!!**

See John's article for final results.

LGA Raffle (\$700+ Value):

**Bulova watch donated by
Elebash's Jewelers (\$500+ value)**

Skycaddie GPS watch (\$200 value)

Two Doz. Titleist Pro V1's (\$100 value)

All proceeds go towards a facelift for
the Women's restroom

\$1/ticket

\$5 for 6-tickets

\$10 for 14 tickets

Tickets can be purchased in the Pro Shop.

Happy Thanksgiving!!

Turkey Shoot

November 23rd

FORMAT:

2 Person scramble using 30% of team's
combined handicaps as team handicap. Field will
be flighted according to the team handicap
(minimum 15 teams per flight).

Maximum 15 strokes diff. between players.

Time:

11:30 registration

(box lunches will be provided)

11:45 - 12:15 Putting Contest

12:30 Shotgun Start

4:30 Awards.

On course beverages will be provided

(Donated by Pepsi).

Cost (include cart):

\$35.00 member's entry fee

\$50.00 non-member with USGA handicap

Prizes:

Gift Certificates. Closest to the pins, Long Drive,

Longest Putt made, & a putting Contest.

**Get a partner and sign up today. Don't
miss out on the fun.**

LGA Weekly Play Days

"Fairways & Putts"...Bobbie Fletcher

"Low Net"...Carol Saxton

"M&M's"...Marie Harvey

"Lemon Drop"...Ann Gauldin

**All women, please join us every
Wednesday at 8:00am.**

Support our member's businesses

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

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

**Congratulations to our
2013 Club Champions**

Men (Open)

Kyle Mayne 77,71 148*
Ray Gambill 74,74 148
*won 1st playoff hole
Mark Fisher 79,76 155
Ray Avis 79,78 157
Bob Wiscombe 78,80 158

Senior Men

Guy Chancey 78,75 153
Steve Hecht 76,80 156
Ed Soyka 83,78 161
Darrell Culverhouse 82,81 163
Glenn Hildreth 83,81 164

Super Senior Men

Ron Harvey 76,71 147
Billy Brent 75,74 149
Jim Mills 80,72 152
Doug Tipton 75,77 152
Roy Price 78,78 156

Women

Pam Seaborn 85,89 174
Janie Maddon 91,86 177
Dorothy Johnson 91,86 177
Dottie Phetteplace 90,91 181
Pamela Henry 90,95 185

**Congratulations to our
2013 "Net" Club Champions**

Men (Open)

Matt Batchelor 70,68 138

Senior Men

Brent Griffin 67,71 138

Super Senior Men

John Atkins 67,66 133

Women

Gay Landers 77,70 147

For all the results, 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

On behalf of the maintenance staff, I would like to extend congratulations to the winners of all Club Championship flights.

The driving range tee has been overseeded, however, we have delayed overseeding of the greens until after the United Way tournament (Nov 8th). Just a reminder, in order for the seed to germinate it has to go through numerous wet/dry cycles. We will randomly apply water through the irrigation system to achieve this. I apologize for any inconvenience, but assure you that it is necessary. This year, we are overseeding the par 3 tees only. This will allow us to apply pre- & post-emergent herbicides on the remaining tees.

If there are areas of the golf course you feel need attention, please feel free to voice your opinion. We will compile and prioritize your list of concerns and resolve the problems as soon as possible. We take a lot of pride in what we do and ask only that you continue to provide feedback. Without your input, we cannot improve. I personally invite all comments and criticisms and will do my very best to comply. Feel free to stop by or call the office at (850) 937-3887.

Win

Weekly Dogfight Winners

October 3rd ... Paul Kattau +7
October 10th ... (tie) Jeff Pomeroy &
Lynn Linton +1
October 17th ... Lynn Linton +6
October 24th ... (tie) Chuck Sample &
Lynn Linton +1

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)***

Pro Tip of the Month

The transition of your backswing and downswing is critical in hitting solid, accurate golf shots. The transition sets the tone for your swing path which dictates the direction the ball starts out. A loose casting move at the top will cause the club to cross the line and the ball will start out left of your target (right for lefties). This is the most common mistake. If you drop the club inside the line, the ball will start out to the right of your target (left for lefties). This is rare for golfers. There are a number of reasons why we make these mistakes. Here are just a few but most common:

1. Re-gripping during transition. Check your pressure points and gaps (July 2012 tip)
2. Flying elbows. Don't let your elbows separate (Sept. 2012 tip)
3. Tilting or dipping the shoulders. There should only be a slight tilt of the shoulders throughout the swing. (Feb. 2011 tip)

Our website:

www.cypresslakesgolfclub.net

has a library of past newsletters with monthly tips.

Tee it forward and enjoy the game more

Use your driver distance to determine which tees you should be playing from:

Driver Distance 18-hole yardage

PGA Tour Pro	7600-7900
300	7150-7400
275	6700-6900
250	6200-6400
225	5800-6000
200	5200-5400
175	4400-4600
150	3500-3700
125	2800-3000
100	2100-2300

Turf Tip of the Month

I have received many inquiries recently as to the best time to overseed or put out pre-emergent herbicide. If you plan to overseed your lawn, now is the time! Be sure to keep the seed moist until it germinates. This will require multiple light irrigations throughout the day. Apply just enough water to moisten the seed. Once the seed has germinated, water deep and infrequent to promote strong roots. An application of fertilizer high in Phosphorous (such as 9-2-24 or 5-10-31) will aid in germination and early rooting. Cool season turfgrass requires a half inch of water per week. Too much water will increase disease pressure and severely affect spring transition. If you DO NOT overseed, this is a great time to apply a pre-emergent fertilizer (such as Pre-emergent 5-10-20).

Win

Rule of the month

Question: My ball landed on the fringe and back up, leaving a ball mark between me and the hole. I want to putt but the ball mark is in my way, can I repair the ball mark on the fringe?

Answer: NO, you can only repair ball marks on the "putting green".

Rule: 16-1c

Did you know that?

Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament

Winners of the October tournament 4-Person Best 2 of 4 Net

1st place (120)

Howard Thrash, Pete Smith, Buddy Zukowski, Skeeter Farrow

2nd place (124)

Jim Mills, Ed Soyka, Ron Harvey, Chuck Sample

2nd place (124)

Lynn Linton, Dave Gilmore, Bob Lake, Darrell Culverhouse

Congratulations!!

The next event will be:

**TUESDAY,
November 19th**

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

Congratulations!!!

Bill Little made his 2nd ace on #4 using a 6 iron.

Bill Tryon, Jesse Blackwell, & John Atkins witnessed the shot.

BULLETIN BOARD

Upcoming tournament & maintenance dates:

Thursday Dogfight: Open to all CLGC members. 8:35 am every Thursday morning.

Daylight Savings ends: November 3rd

United Way Golf Tournament: Nov. 8th @ 8:30pm (PM Only times available)

Travel Group: November 13th @ Blackstone Golf Club

Tate Baseball Boosters: Nov. 15th @ 12:30pm (Open times available)

Golf Clinic: Nov. 16th @ 11:00am "Short Game" (Limited Space)

Pinseekers: Nov. 18th @ 8:00pm (PM Only times available)

Monthly Senior Tournament: Nov. 19th @ 8:45 (4-Person Scramble)

LGA "Home & Home": Nov. 20th @ 9:00pm (Open times available)

CLGC Annual Turkey Shoot: Nov. 23rd @ 12:30pm (Open times available)

Golf Course CLOSED: November 28th for Thanksgiving!!!!

CLGC 3-Person Scramble: December 14th @ 12:00pm (Open times available)

CLGC Upcoming Member's Events

November 23rd CLGC Turkey Shoot

December 3rd CLGC Jr. League

December 14th CLGC 3-Person Scramble

Book next 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

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

Marshals/Starters

Chuck LaMotte,

Darrell Culverhouse, Wade

Collier, Doug Harville

Volunteer Marshals:

Wade Collier, Doug

Harville, Larry Teschel

Maintenance Staff

Alan Bates, Pam Seaborn,

Allen Brazell, Brad

Tanner, Angie Waters,

Darrell Culverhouse,

Chuck Tesch

Golf Clinic

November 16th

"Short game"

11:00am – 12:00pm

Limited to the first five
individuals that sign up.

\$25 clinic fee

***Instruction by:
John H. Childs Jr. PGA***

Private Lessons:

½ hour \$25
Package of
three \$65

Instructors:

*John Childs
PGA*

Becky Black

Monthly Travel Group

November 13th

**Blackstone GC
Mossy Head, FL**

\$55.00 includes:
Green Fee, Cart fee,
Net dogfight, Net
skins, LUNCH, & 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