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Cypress Lakes Golf Club February 2023

Dues are due February 1st

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

## 23rd Annual Snowball Scramble

Saturday; February 25, 2023 **3-person team event** 

**Eligibility:** 

Members & Guests with a GHIN HDCP Time: 8:45am Shotgun Entry Fee (includes cart): Members \$45.00 per person Guests \$60 per person Box lunch after play and Beverages during Pepsi products donated by Buffalo Rock Pepsi FORMAT: 3 Person scramble (maximum hdcp 25). Must have a GHIN HDCP We will be playing 6-somes Team handicap is 15% of combined hdcps Everyone's drive must be used at least two times. **Deadline:** Wednesday; February 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 4:00 p.m. or when field is full

# The New Callaway Paradym club line

Fitting Day W/Trackman

# Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>

11am-3pm

Appointments only.

Contact: John Childs to sign up. 850-937-3820

### Tee sign sponsors (Please support our LOCAL businesses)

#1...Wayne Hood (Underwood Anderson & Associates.....850-434-5526) #2... S.E. BuildCorp LLC (Project Management & Design) 850-733-0152 #3...Dr. Bob Cowan member #5450 (Acupuncture Chiropractic Center .....850-469-9633) #4...Southern Print & Press.....(All your printing needs.....850-465-3001) #5...Evans Contracting, Inc.....(Henry Evans.....850-698-1555) #6...Scott Richards Allstate Ins....(Scott Richards.....850-937-1433) #7...Randall's Men's Formal Wear...(Richard & Robert Bellanova...850-432-8246) #8...World Ford...(Jason McDonald...850-266-2154) #9 & #15...Salz Studio.....(Michelle Salzman.....850-308-5179) #10...Kings Hub Tree Service.....(Bobby Wyatt 850-497-5450) #11...Congleton Eye Care...(Dr. Jamie Congleton 850-455-0722) #12...Bay Area Printing & Graphics Solutions...(Stephanie Justice 850-384-5043) #13...Chick-fil-A (9-Mile Road) #14...Cutting Edge Property Services.....(Collin Hargett 850-712-1354) #16...Southern Pipe & Supply...850-433-4689 #17...The Floor Store... 850-439-1600 #18...Lee Empie member #5390 (Empire Land Surveying....850-477-3745)

#### <u>Message from the General Manager &</u> <u>Head Golf Professional:</u> <u>John H. Childs, Jr.</u> johnchilds@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

If your GHIN account is not working, don't forget to renew your \$20 annual subscription.

If you receive a notification about your dues, it is probably due to your credit card not being updated in the new POS system.

Spring League begins March 16<sup>th</sup>. The two person, 5pm start, Thursday 9-hole scramble has become very popular. We are allowing our members a two week head start beginning Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> to sign up. We will open it up on February 15<sup>th</sup> for outside players. Don't forget you MUST have a GHIN handicap to participate, otherwise you will receive a 0 hdcp for the first two weeks.

### Rule of the month:

Question: What are my options for an unplayable lie?

Answer: Option #1...2-clublengths from the spot of the ball no nearer the hole. Option #2...Keep the spot of the ball and go back in direct line of the pin as far as you want. Option #3...Go back to where you hit the original shot. Add a 1-shot penalty (note: you cannot take an unplayable lie in a penalty area)

**Rule:** 19.2

### (NEW) Friday Dogfight

Play in your regular group \$3 entry fee (payout in shop mdse credits) (MUST HAVE A GHIN HDCP)

#### <u>A word from your Golf Course</u> <u>Superintendent: Andy Woolston</u> andywoolston@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

There are several improvement projects that will be starting this month. We will be removing some of the old asphalt cart paths and replacing them with concrete paths (#1, #8, #16, #17). We will also be installing a concrete pad for the golf mats on the back of the driving range tee. This will eliminate the indentations in the mats caused by usage. Thank you to the those that have used the mats as they are meant to be used. It is very discouraging to see all the divots taken around the mats. I know we all would prefer not to use the mats but please only use tees in the grassed areas around the mats. Due to the influx of play, to sustain a quality driving range tee, the use of mats during the winter months is now a necessity.

We also plan on more bunker renovation and ongoing drainage work. Thank you for your understanding as we make these improvements.

#### Turf Tip of the Month

Now is the perfect time to get ready for the upcoming growing season. It is pruning time for most trees and bushes. Get soil samples sent in if you have not already done so. Start applying pre-emergent herbicides to control crabgrass. 0-0-7 with Prodiamine is a good example.

#### <u>Our Tee Guidelines:</u>

#1 tee: 250+ yard avg. drive #2 tee: 225-249 yard avg. drive #3 tee: 200-224 yard avg. drive #4 tee: 175-199 yard avg. drive #5 tee: 150-174 yard avg. drive #6 tee:125-149 yard avg. drive

Always play READY GOLF.

### **Pro Tip of the Month**

Do you know the USGA guidelines when entering your scores?

You should always enter your score the day you play. There may be adjustments due to playing conditions. If you wait, you will not receive any adjustments.

Always input your score, no matter what it is.

The maximum score per hole you can enter is a double bogey **PLUS any handicap strokes** you get on each hole. **For example:** If you are a 10 handicap, the maximum score you can get on handicap holes 1-

10 is a Triple Bogey and the maximum score you can get on handicap holes 11-18 is a double bogey. If you are a 22 handicap, the maximum score you can get on handicap holes 1-4 is a quadruple bogey and the maximum score you can get on handicap holes 5-18 is a triple bogey. Leave it to the USGA to further complicate things. If you still are confused, don't hesitate to swing by my office and I'll go over it with you.

#### John

#### LGA Wednesday Play Day



T's & F's 1<sup>st</sup> Ava Rich, 2<sup>nd</sup> Paula Austin, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sandy Cowling

"Odd Holes" 1<sup>st</sup> Ava Rich, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ann Gauldin

Check-in by 8:00am

# Spring League Begins March 16<sup>th</sup>

32 teams maximum Current members can start signing up February 1<sup>st</sup>. Open sign ups start February 15<sup>th</sup>.

Get your partner today and sign up NOW. Don't wait and get left out.

You both must have a current GHIN handicap or you will be given a 0 hdcp for the 1<sup>st</sup> two rounds.

## Etiquette

Fill your divot with sand plus one more.

#### January Scramble Scramble

1<sup>st</sup> Place (56.4): Jim Mills, Tan Vu, Jim Stuart, Ken Whetstone

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (57.0): Alan Coleman, Dale Bain, William Johnson, Wayne Hodge

3<sup>rd</sup> Place (57.3): Dan Smith, Jeff Cutaio, David Korn, Ava Rich

4<sup>th</sup> Place (57.9): Ed Soyka, Larry Russell, Wayne Rhodes, Sandra Johnson

5th (58.2): Dennis Durant, Bob Justice, Ken Culver, Scott Mudge

C.T.Pin: Dana Weeden 5'8"

The next event will be: February 21<sup>st</sup>

#### <u>Format:</u> 4-Person Blind Draw Scramble Sign up individually and we will pair you up.

Officers: President: Dennis Durant Vice-President: Vacant Secretary/Treasurer: Milton Clark

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

<u>LGA play days:</u> Wednesdays @ 8:30am <u>Thursday & Friday Dogfights:</u> Thursdays & Fridays any time <u>Travel Group:</u> Wednesday, Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> @ Stonebrook. 9:15am tee time <u>Senior Association:</u> February 21<sup>st</sup> @ 8:15am (Scramble) <u>Snowball Scramble:</u> Saturday, February 25, 2023 <u>Spring League:</u> Begins March 16<sup>th</sup>

# **CLGC Upcoming Member's Events**

Dates subject to changeMarch 16<sup>th</sup>: Spring LeagueMarch 21<sup>st</sup>: Sr. Assoc. Monthly Tournament (Best 3 of 4 Stableford)March 11<sup>th</sup>: Callaway fitting day (appointments only)April 5<sup>th</sup>: LGA Team PlayApril 18<sup>th</sup>: Sr. Assoc. Monthly Tournament (4-perosn Scramble)October 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>: Men's Club Championship

Call John Childs to reserve your date (850-937-3820) See: cypresslakesgolfclub.net for the full calendar of events or click: http://cypresslakesgolfclub.net/golf/calendar2/newcalendar/newcalendar.php

## **Private Lessons:**

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> hour \$35

Package of three \$95

John Childs **PGA** Becky Black



## Monthly Travel Group

**Stonebrook GC** 

Wednesday February 15<sup>th</sup>

9:15am tee times

**Price** \$64.00

includes: Greens fee, Cart fee, Range fee, Net dogfight, Net skins, End of year pool, & taxes *Contact John Childs or Becky Black to sign up.* 

CLGC Board of Directors: President ... Troy Thompson Vice-President... Jason Cawby Secretary ...John Merritt, Retiree Representative ...Bill Tryon, Fred Lee Sitting members: Jeff Hoffman, Craig Blackwelder, Jared Hoffman, Bert Wynne

#### Cypress Lakes GC

2365 Old Chemstrand Rd. Cantonment, FL 32533 850-937-3820 850-937-3821 850-937-3887 (maintenance) <u>Hours of Operation</u> Golf Shop 7:00 a.m. – 1 hour before dark Driving Range 7:00 a.m. – 1 hour before dark Carts must be in by: 15 minutes after sunset Front Gate Locks at dark

Know your staff!

General Manager/ Head Golf Professional John H. Childs, Jr. PGA

Golf Course Superintendent Andy Woolston GCSAA

#### <u>Assistant Manager/</u> <u>Golf Professional</u>

Becky Black <u>Professional Staff</u> Kandy Bellanova, Don Walker, Leslie Blanton, Terry Bass, Jack Wallace, Robert Comer, Chris Golightly, Jim Stuart, Bob Justice, Boyd Stacy, Jackson Williams, Andrew Robinson, Ray Avis, Jacob Dickson, Colby Whitacre, Roddy Qualls, Chuck Driscoll, Calen Arnevik

Marshals, Starters & Volunteers Chuck LaMotte, David Kemp, Roley Kiker, Lynn Linton, Ray Bricking, Mark Pursell, Mike Gilmore, Prentice Robinson, David Cooper, Jessie Floyd, Matt Hoppe, Pat Callan, John Dorangricchia, Jim Moore, Paul Frederick, Jim Pankuch, Tom Buck, Dewey Thomas, Chris Hummel, Cal Henley, Skip Frey, Jeff Ishee, Jim Cafarella, Pete Wright, Milt Dereyna Maintenance Staff Mechanic: John Treesh Operators: Chris Hughes, Jim Abbott, Angie Waters, Patrick Seigle, Reid Hester, Tom Dudak, Chip Owens, Matthew Linnville