

Cypress Lakes Golf Club May 2020

2nd quarter dues are now past due.

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

Covid-19 Update:

We will continue to do what is recommended by the Federal Government, State Government, & CDC while operating until restrictions are lifted.

- Social distancing of 6' in the Golf Shop and on the back porch.
- No more than 3 customers in the Pro Shop at one time.
 - Wash & sanitize hands frequently
 - Do not touch the Flagstick
 - Do not touch other's clubs
 - No handshakes before, during, or after round
 - DO NOT come to golf course if feeling sick
 - Do not hang out in the Pro Shop

Note: We have removed all rakes, ball washers, & water jugs.

To help stop the spread we do our best to:

- Sanitize most frequently touched surfaces on the hour
- Wash and sanitize golf carts & keys before passing out
 - Sanitize restrooms on the hour
- Allow 1 Cart per person with one exception: If you live together, you can ride together.

Please do your part by bringing and using your own sanitizers and wipes.

We are all in this together and the more each of us can do to stop the spread the sooner we can get back to normal.

Check out our Facebook Page

 $\frac{https://www.facebook.com/pages/Pensacola-Golf-at-Cypress-}{Lakes-Golf-Club/1380235965530510}$

Reminders:

- We are crazy busy these days as everyone is aware. Please have patience with the staff as we are doing our best to accommodate everyone wanting to play. Under Normal circumstances "Walk-ins" are never a problem. It can be with today's temporary new norm, especially in the afternoons. If you know you are coming to play, call us and get a tee time 850-937-3820. We never want to tell anyone they can't play or can't have a cart. REMEMBER...Those with tee times have priority to those that do not.
- The golf course is taking a hit in wear and tear from all the golf carts in use due to the 1 person/cart rule. PLEASE, keep the carts on the paths around tees and greens.
- Due to the increase in play, our Marshals are having to spend more time at the 1st & 10th tee. If there is a problem on the course call the Pro Shop and let us know so we can send someone out there to handle it. We can't fix it after the round.

Tee sign sponsors (Please support our member's LOCAL businesses)

#1...Wayne Hood (Underwood Anderson & Associates.....434-5526)

#3...Dr. Bob Cowan member #5450 (Accupunture Chiropractic Center469-9633)

#10 Kings Hub Tree Service.....(Bobby Wyatt 850-497-5450)

#16...Southern Pipe & Supply...433-4689

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

Contact John Childs (850-937-3820) if you would like to be a tee sponsor \$400 annually (\$500 for #1 & #10).

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

johnchilds@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

Summer Jr. Program Begins June 18, 2020

SIGN UP BEGINS MAY 12TH (LIMITED TO 24)
6-week program on Thursdays

Juniors age 7-14

Great for kids new to the game or haven't played very much.

Grip Special continues through May. Remember.....The rule of thumb is to have them changed every 12 months.

15% off grips.

(\$3/club for removal & installation)

See me to get measured for the correct size.

A word from your Golf Course Superintendent: Andy Woolston

andywoolston@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

We hope everyone of you are doing well as we come out of the stay at home shutdown. We faired much better than many other places in the U.S. Please continue to practice healthy distancing/preventative measures.

May is when we transition from cool season grass (overseed) to bermuda grass. Our fertility rates will increase during this time which will result more growth and slower green speeds. We will attempt to minimize this with verticutting, light topdressing, and rolling.

Thank you for your support as we do our best to make Cypress Lakes a fun place to play.

Tip of the month:

With higher temperatures and hopefully a little rain, your lawns should start to grow more. Don't forget to keep your mower blade sharp.

Upcoming Maintenance:

Green Aerification
June 1st & 2nd

(Only 9-holes will be open each day)

Golf Humor

The reason a pro tells you to keep your head down is so you can't see him laughing. ~ Phyllis Diller

Rule of the month:

Question: I hit a tree with my ball and it came back and hit me on the leg. Am I penalized? Do I have to replay the shot? Where do I play it from?

Answer: No penalty. Do no replay it. Play it from where it lies,

Rule: 11.1a

Pro Tip of the MonthChipping tip:

Make sure your hands are ahead of the clubhead at impact. To check it, hold your follow through and see if the clubhead is pointing to the ground and behind your hands.

Visit Our website:

www.cypresslakesgolfclub.net and you will find a library of past newsletters with monthly tips.

Good Luck! John

BORED???

We sure could use some help to fill divots or pick up pine cones. Especially since we have removed all the sand bottles from the cart. We will supply you with a 5-gallon bucket and scoop. Early morning or late afternoon is the best time. Thank you to those of you that have already volunteered and thank you in advance to those of you that will help in the future.

Member Hole-in-Ones:

Joe Murphy aced #4 at Pensacola CC.

Tan Vu aced #17 here at Cypress Lakes

Congratulations!!!!

LGA Wednesday Play Day



LGA Play Day is temporarily on hold until the virus is under control.

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

Our Tee Guidelines:

#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

Thursday Dogfight

April 2nd.....John Buck &
David Gilmore +5
April 9th.....Bob Lake +4
April 16th....David Gilmore +1
April 23rd.....Bad weather
April 30th....Lynn Linton +5

Congratulations!!

Etiquette

Instead of shaking hands, tap clubs at the end of your round.

Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament

April Seniors

Cancelled due to the virus.

The next event will be: May 19th

Format:

Best 3 of 4 Stableford

Sign up individually and we will pair you up. Men age 50-59 #2, Men age 60-69 #3 Men 70 + #4, Women #4. Women 60+ #5

Officers:

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

Always play READY GOLF.

Don't forget

Mother's Day

May 10th

BULLETIN BOARD: Upcoming tournament & maintenance dates:

LGA Weekly Play Day: Wednesdays at 8:30am

Thursday Dogfight: Thursdays any time

Thursday Spring League: Thursdays at 5:00pm

Mother's Day: May 10th

Senior Association: May 19th (Best 3 of 4 Stableford) **Travel Group:** May 15th @ Cypress Lakes Golf Club

Maintenance: June 1st & 2nd (Only 9-holes will be open each day)

CLGC Upcoming Member's Events

Club Championship...Oct. 17th & 18th
Turkey Shoot...November 21st
Dates & times are subject to change

Book your private events now before dates are taken

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:

1/2 hour \$30

Package of three \$80

John Childs **PGA**Becky Black



Monthly Travel Group in Ouarantine

May 15th

Cypress Lakes GC

Tee Times Begin 9:00am Shotgun Start

Price \$38.00

includes:

Greens fee, Cart fee, Range fee, Net dogfight, Net skins, End of year pool, & tax

Contact John Childs or Becky Black to sign up.

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

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 before dark

Front Gate
Locks at dark

Know your staff!

General Manager/

Head Golf Professional

John H. Childs. Jr. PGA

Golf Course Superintendent

Andy Woolston GCSAA

Assistant Manager/ Golf Professional

Becky Black

<u>Professional Staff</u>

Don Walker, Kandy Bellanova, Bob Farinas, Tyler Schade, Leib, JT Semple, Chris Hughes, Joel Comans, Nathan Kust, Blake Pocopanni, Joy Brindley, Garrett Newton

Marshals, Starters & Volunteers

Chuck LaMotte,
Jerry Walker, David Kemp,
Roy Price, Roley Kiker, John
Greene, Lynn Linton, Ray
Bricking, David Bradley, Mark
Pursell, Mike Gilmore, Prentis
Robinson, Dwight Storey,
Mark Miller,

David Cooper, Barry Schwartz, Don Richardson

Maintenance Staff

Brad Tanner, Jim Abbott,
Danny Cafarella, Lee Randall,
Pam Seaborn, Tom Sibley,
Arthur Wing, James Newton,
Trey Rogers, Garrett Newton

CLGC Board of Directors: President ...Fred Lee Vice-President... Troy Thompson Secretary ...John Merritt, Treasurer...

Jerry Kelly Retiree Representative .. Roy Price Sitting members: Steve Hecht,

Jeff Hoffman, Jason Cawby, Craig Blackwelder