

# Cypress Lakes Golf Club May 2021

2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Dues are Past Due

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

# Callaway Demo Day

May 13<sup>th</sup>
12:00pm -4:00pm
(Appointments only)
Contact John for information

# Maintenance Help Needed All positions Full time or Part time Contact Andy Woolston

andywoolston@cypresslakesgolfclub.net Or John Childs 850-937-3820

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

# Cypress Lakes Golf Club 2021 Summer Junior Program

BEGINS JUNE 17<sup>TH</sup>

<u>Age Groups:</u> (7-14) age groups will be divided according to number of participants

#### Skill levels:

Beginner (has never played on course)

**Intermediate** (has hit balls and been on course but hasn't kept score)

**Advanced** (has played, recorded a score for at least nine holes and played in 2 hours or less)

*Fees:* \$60

#### Includes:

Over 6-hours of PGA instruction

Daily skill contests with prizes

Daily individual & team play days

Entry into: Drive, chip, & putt championship &

Summer Junior Classic

Golf Balls, Tees, Prizes donated by Callaway & many other golf vendors, Beverages donated by Pepsi

#### **Golf Course Phone Number:**

850-937-3820

#### **Instructors:**

John H. Childs, Jr., PGA Professional Becky Black, Assistant Golf Professional

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

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

#2 S.E. BuildCorp LLC (Project Management & Design) 850-733-0152

#3...Dr. Bob Cowan member #5450 (Accupunture Chiropractic Center .....469-9633)

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

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

#17...The Floor Store... (850) 439-1600

#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 & Head Golf Professional: John H. Childs, Jr.

johnchilds@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

# REMINDER: DON'T FORGET MOTHER'S DAY MAY 9<sup>TH</sup>

April could have been better. The damage to the clubhouse has certainly been a challenge. As we struggle with our insurance company and to get contractors to offer bids, we will be moving into a temporary office trailer beginning on May 5<sup>th</sup>. We appreciate all the support the membership has offered, not only with kind words but with hard work and donations. So many of you came out to help after the storm. Thank you all so much.

Many of you suggested we started a GoFundMe account, so we did (<a href="https://www.gofundme.com/f/cypress-lakes-gc-storm-renovation-">https://www.gofundme.com/f/cypress-lakes-gc-storm-renovation-</a>

<u>fund?qid=f83a20298d2ff87c534f447d9b3d8de6&utm\_campaign=p\_cp\_url&utm\_medium=os&utm\_source=customer)</u>

The funds will be used to pay the \$10,000+ deductible and for anything uninsured. We want to continue making improvements but with this financial setback, we will have to put capital improvements on hold until everything is sorted out. We will NOT hold back with any basic agronomic practices. Our golf course is in great shape and we plan on keeping it that way for a long time. We have been through so many hurricanes with hardly any clubhouse damage. It's hard to believe all this damage was from a thunderstorm's straight line winds. It is what it is. We will rebuild and hopefully it will better than before.

John

## Rule of the Month

**Question:** I played the wrong ball and did not realize it until after I hit my tee shot on the next hole. What do I do?

**Answer:** Stroke play...disqualification Match play...loss of hole

**Rule:** 6.3c

Good Luck! John

# A word from your Golf Course Superintendent: Andy Woolston

andywoolston@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

April 10th was a historic day here at Cypress Lakes. That is the day we were forced into clubhouse renovations by a localized storm. Difficulties also bring opportunity to come together to get things back on track. I was blown away by the number of people who showed up to help clean up. Your sacrifice of time and sweat is what makes this a unique golf community. Thank you x 3.

May is typically our transition month as the cool season grasses fade out and the warm season grasses take over. The same thing is happening with weed populations. We have cool season weeds and warm season weeds. That is why it is an ongoing effort to control them.

We are in the process of hiring and training new people. It seems to be more difficult this year to get and keep employees. This is just another challenge to overcome as every business seems to be having a similar experience.

Thank you for helping us make Cypress Lakes Golf Club a fun place to be.

### Tip of the month:

Now is a good time to fertilize your lawn and sharpen your mower blade.

# Annual Tee Sign Sponsorship

\$400.00

(Includes Professional Sign)

Still holes available.

Always play READY GOLF.

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

If your hands sweat a lot you probably wear a glove. To prolong the life of your gloves and for better performance, alternate them between holes. Never wear a glove for two holes in a row. In this heat, I rotate 3 gloves during the round. The gloves dry out before rotated back in to play. Your gloves will last longer and perform better.

DO NOT leave your clubs in your trunk during the summer. The trunks get so hot that it can ruin your grips and it could also loosen the heads of your clubs.

Try these tips and I promise they will help your game.

#### Visit Our website:

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

Good Luck! John Do you want to enjoy golf more????? Get a golf lesson



# LGA Wednesday Play Day



"Cross Country"
1<sup>st</sup> Paula Austin, 2<sup>nd</sup> Gay
Landers, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sandra Johnson

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

"Yellow Ball" 1<sup>st</sup> Judy Watson, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sandra Johnson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Carol Saxton

Wednesdays @ 8:30am

# **Golf Quotes!**

"If you drink, don't drive.

Don't even putt." –

Dean Martin

# Thursday Dogfight

April 1<sup>st</sup>...bad weather April 8<sup>th</sup>...bad weather April 15<sup>th</sup>...bad weather April 22<sup>nd</sup>...Ed Soyka +3 April 29<sup>th</sup>...Ed Soyka +8

Congratulations!!

Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament

# April Senior 3 of 4 Stableford

 $1^{st}$  (+13)

Dana Weeden, Tan Vu, Elsie Bass, Wayne Rhodes 2<sup>nd</sup> (+8) Dan Smith, Don Hudson, Dot Johnson, Mike

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Mosley\*

3<sup>rd</sup> (+5)

Larry Westman, John
Robinson, George Webb,
Scott Mudge
4<sup>th</sup> (Even)
Dennis Durant, Don
Walker, Larry Russell,

\*blind draw

Jerry Walker

# The next event will be: May18th

## Format:

4-Person Scramble

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

# Etiquette:

If there is any chance your best shot can end up 30 yards from where there is a group ahead of you. DO NOT hit. If you hit someone with a golf ball, you can be held responsible and liable. Just wait, it's never worth hitting someone.

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

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

Thursday Dogfight: Thursdays any time Spring Tuesday League: Tuesdays at 5pm Spring Thursday League: Thursdays at 5pm

Sandcrabs: May 10<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30am (PM times available)

*Callaway Fitting Day:* May 13<sup>th</sup> from 12-3pm (appointment only)

Senior Association: May 18th @ 8:15am (4-Person Scramble) *IP Golf Tournament:* May 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 1pm (Am times available) Travel Group: May 28th @ AC Read (9:00am tee times)

# **CLGC Upcoming Member's Events**

Book your private events now before dates are taken Call John Childs to reserve your date (850-937-3820)

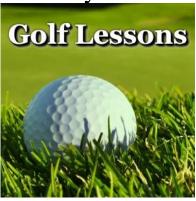
See: cypresslakesgolfclub.net for the full calendar of events or click: http://cypresslakesgolfclub.net/golf/calendar2/newcalendar/newcalendar.php

# **Private Lessons:**

½ hour \$30

Package of three \$80

John Childs **PGA** Becky Black



# **Monthly Travel Group**

# AC Read GC

**Tee Times Begin** 9:00am

> **Price** \$58.00

includes:

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

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 Professional Staff Don Walker.

Kandy Bellanova, Bob Farinas, Joel Comans, Blake Pocopanni, Joy Brindley, Nathan Kust, John Carrell, Fred Lee, Terry Bass, Jack Wallace, Robert Comer

#### 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, David Cooper, Jessie Floyd, Matt Hoppe, Joe Chesney, Pat Callan, Dorangricchia, John

**Maintenance Staff** 

Mechanic: James Newton, Operators: Jim Abbott, Danny Cafarella, Hughes, Brandon Woolston, Charles Price, Dostal, Bryan Greenwalt, Tyler Webb

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