

Cypress Lakes Golf Club April 2025

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

Callaway Fitting Day

Saturday, April 19th Sign up online at:

https://process.callawaygolf.com/CgiServices/Fitting?id=dce32f2c-886c-4ef0-a415-81e1a8acda0c

<u>Maintenance Green Aerification</u> April 28th (Front-9) & April 29th (Back-9)

Limited tee times available
This will be a full core aerification.
The greens will be sandy and bumpy for 7-10 days. A necessary evil if we want our greens in the best shape we can get them. The weather plays a factor and can alter our itinerary.

BEWARE!!!

Recently, golfers have been victims of thieves breaking into unlocked cars in parking lots, stealing wallets, and going to Best Buy and buying high ticket items with credit cards. They know they have a few hours before the theft is noticed. It has happened here and at Stonebrook. Make sure you lock your vehicles at golf courses.

Increases beginning April 1, 2025

Public Green Fees w/cart

Mon-Fri.....\$45 to \$50 Sat-Sun....\$50 to \$55

Dues:

Ascend Employees no change Military, NFCU, GE, IP, & First Responders...\$85 to \$95 Regular....\$100 to \$110 Family all-inclusive...\$340 to \$375 Single all-inclusive...\$280 to \$310 Junior....\$50 to \$60

F&B

All snacks...\$1.75 to \$2.00
20oz drinks...\$2.50 to \$2.75
Regular beer...\$2.75 to \$3.00
Premium beer...\$3.25 to \$3.50
Liquor minis (well)..\$3.50 to \$3.75
Liquor minis (top shelf)...\$5.50 to \$5.75
Hot Dogs...\$3.50 to \$4.00
Coffee/Hot Choc...\$1.50 to \$1.75
Energy drinks...\$4.00 to \$4.50
Member Small Range...\$1 to \$2
Member Large Range...\$2 to \$4

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 Center850-469-9633) #4...Tee It Up.....(Roger Woodard.....850-741-3112) #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...Marine Corps League...marinecorpsleaguepensacola.org #11...Congleton Eye Care...(Dr. Jamie Congleton 850-455-0722) #12...Bay Area Printing & Graphics Solutions...(Stephanie Justice 850-384-5043) #13...Anderson Subaru (andersonsubaru.com...850-438-2227) #14...Cutting Edge Property Services.....(Collin Hargett 850-712-1354) #16...Available #17...The Floor Store... 850-439-1600 #18... Scott Richards Allstate Ins....(Scott Richards.....850-937-1433)

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> <u>John H. Childs, Jr.</u>

johnchilds@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

Don't lose your position.

When making the turn, you have enough time to come in the Pro Shop, grab something to drink and eat, use the restroom and go straight to your 10th hole. If you take too much time, you may lose your position and have to wait until there is a gap to continue.

2025 Summer Junior Program Begins June 12th

We will be taking entries starting May 7th

Age Groups: (7-13) age groups will be divided

according to number of participants. **Beginner:** has never played on course

Intermediate: has hit range balls and been on course

but hasn't kept score or cannot break

60 for 9-holes.

Fee: \$75

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 members

Limited to the first 24 paid Juniors.

PGA Jr. League

starting in June Details coming in May.

Your old driver may be worth something

If you have a driver that isn't that old (within the last 10 years) it my be worth something. Bring them by my office and I'll let you know how much they are worth and possibly make you a cash offer.

A word from your Golf Course Superintendent: Andy Woolston

andywoolston@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

Spring is here! I hope the warm weather throughout the entire month. continues Increased sunlight and warmer night temperatures are what Bermuda grass needs to be at its best. We will be doing special maintenance on the Driving range Tuesday the April 1st from 11:00am until 2:00pm. We may need additional time, so please call the pro shop on Tuesdays if you normally use the range at these times. Also, due to weather we had to reschedule our Fipronil application (for mole crickets) to Sunday April 6th. We hope to get started early and stay ahead of play.

Aerification is also planned for April 28th & 29th of this month. We will be doing a conventional core aerification. We will do the front nine on Monday and the back nine Tuesday. Please contact the Pro shop for any changes that may happen.

We want to thank you for helping us out when it was wet by staying on the cart paths. Your cooperation and encouraging words help keep us motivated to make Cypress Lakes a fun place to play golf.

Turf Tip of the Month

When temperatures stay in the mid 60's for lows it is time to start fertilizing warm season grasses. This is also time to treat mole crickets and fire ants.

Aces are flying!!

Congratulations to *Bill Johnson* for making his 4th ace on #4 using a 5-hybrid. Al Maddux, Bill Cowling, & Pat O'Brien witnessed the great shot.

ALSO!!!

Congratulations to *Ken Culver* for acing the same hole a day later using a 9-iron. Ken Whetstone, Joe Pedrosa, & Jim McCarty witnessed the rare shot.

Pro Tip of the Month

Everyone knows it is etiquette 101 to let faster players play through. No one likes their round to be interrupted by letting groups go through but it is part of the game of golf. There are ways to limit the disruption by doing it correctly. For example, your group is out of position and have decided to let the group behind you go through. The best time is on the next tee. Let the group know you are letting them through, everyone in your group should hit your tee shots, then wait for them to play through. After they hit, follow them down the fairway (help them find balls if needed) then hang back until they clear. Now stay up with them and there will be no need to let other groups go through. Give it a try, you will be happy not to have to rush and the group going through is happy not to have to wait. A Win Win!

Note: a course Marshal should not have to ask you to speed up or let people go through. Be aware of your time and position and monitor yourselves.

Please play READY GOLF!!!

LGA Wednesday Play Day



March 5th "Best 9" 1st XuAn Vu, 2nd Ava Rich, 3rd Gay Landers

March 12th "Lemon Drop" 1st Ann Gauldin, 2nd Jan Young, 3rd Jessica Weaver

March 26th "Best 9" 1st Dot Johnson, 2nd Paula Austin, 3rd Vickie Pulse

> Wednesdays 8:20am start Check-in by 8:00am

Monthly meeting: 1ST Wednesday of the month at 7:30am

Rule of the Month

Question: While searching for my ball I *accidentally* kicked it. What do I do and is there a penalty?

Answer: There is no penalty but you must return the ball as closely to the original position.

Rule: 7.1a

Etiquette 101

Arrive to the tee at least 5 minutes prior to tee time. You should be checked in with the starter and ready to pull the trigger when it is your tee time.

Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament

March Scramble

1st Place (56.5) Patrick Leftwich, Bob Lake, Jim Stuart, David

Laritz

2nd Place (58.3)

John Robinson, Don Walker, Mark Alverson, Milton Clark

3rd Place (59.0)

Dan Smith, Dave Frederick, Don Hudson, Ava Rich

4th Place (61.2)

Alan Coleman, Tan Vu, Steve Smith, Jody England

Closest to the pin:

Patrick Leftwich 17'

*Blind Draw

Next event: April 15th

Format: 4-Person Blind Draw TBA

Sign up day of event, no later than 7:30am

Officers:

President:

OPEN

Vice-President: Steve Bass Secretary/Treasurer: Brad Grissom

BULLETIN BOARD: Upcoming tournament & maintenance dates:

LGA play days: Wednesdays @ 8:20am

Thursday League: Thursdays @ 5pm (9-holes only)

LGA Club Championship: April 9th & 10th @ 8:20am

Optimist Junior Local Qualifier: Saturday, April 12 @ 11am tee times

Senior Association: April 15th @ 8:15am (4-Person TBA)

Callaway Fitting Day: April 19th (10am-2pm by appointment)

Travel Group: April 25th @ TBA (TBA tee times)

Brian Neal Group: April 27th @ 8:30am shotgun start

Maintenance: April 28th & 29th (Green aerification 9-hole open only)

CLGC Upcoming Events & Maintenance

Dates subject to change

May 10th: First Tee of NW Florida May 17th: Callaway Fitting Day June 19th: Summer Junior Program begins

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

Private Lessons:

1/2 hour \$40

Package of three \$110

John Childs PGA



Monthly Travel Group

Black Water GC

Date: April 25th

Time: 9:30am

Price \$62.00

Limited space available

includes:

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

Contact John Childs to sign up.

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

Cypress Lakes GC

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850-937-3887 (maintenance)

<u>Hours of Operation</u>

Golf Shop

6:30 a.m. – 1 hour before dark **Driving Range**

6:45 a.m. – 1 hour before dark **Carts must be in by:**

15 minutes after sunset

Front Gate

Locks at dark

Know your staff!

<u>General Manager/</u> <u>Head Golf Professional</u>

John H. Childs, Jr. PGA

Golf Course Superintendent
Andy Woolston GCSAA

Assistant Managers

Becky Black Thomas Faddis

Professional Staff

Kandy Bellanova, Don Walker, Terry Bass, Chris Golightly, Jim Stuart, Andrew Robinson, Jacob Dickson, Calen Arnevik, Curtis Derbigny, Will Quinones, Jonah Cannon, Parker Hassell, Allen Cannon, Lynn Sanford, Logan Breitenstein, Christian Griffitts, Derek Finger, Jio Colon, Nate Bryant, Mason Fammia, Gabe Patterson

Marshals, Starters & Volunteers

Danny Deen, Roley Kiker, Ray Bricking, Mark Pursell, Mike Gilmore, Prentice Robinson, David Cooper, Jessie Floyd, Matt Hoppe, John Dorangricchia, Jim Moore, Jim Pankuch, Dewey Thomas, Jeff Ishee, Milt Dereyna, Terry Eggelston, Ronnie George, , Robert Comer, David McCartney, Lee Randall, DJ Teelin, John Treesh, Troy Chesebro, Kenny Wells, Dave Moore, Jamie Choike, Larry Carlisle, David Laritz, Gary Thomas, Jim Powell

Maintenance Staff

Mechanic: Ron Murphy Operators: Chris Hughes, Angie Waters, Patrick Seigle, Reid Hester, Parker Floyd, JR Owen, Kody Woods, Christopher Zenker, Davis Laye