

# Cypress Lakes Golf Club May 2025

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

#### Callaway Fitting Day

Saturday, May 17th

Sign up online at:

https://process.callawaygolf.com/CgiServices/Fitting?id=a0dff 244-e628-41e4-a193-48e0ba50f22d

#### Golf Ball Sale

All golf balls in stock by the dozen. 10% off 1-dozen 15% off 2-dozen or more

#### Membership Freeze

Please note: we have frozen memberships and currently have a waiting list. Delinquent accounts will be removed from our membership roster. If your credit card on file has expired or has changed, please make sure to let us know.

#### Fill in Marshal/Starter spots available

If you would like to be a fill-in when it works with your schedule, give Thomas a call 850-937-3820 and he will go over the program with you.

# 2025 Summer Junior Program

Begins June 12<sup>th</sup>

We will be taking entries starting May 7th

Age Groups: (ages 7-13) 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.

#### 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...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

# CONGRATULATIONS Mavericks and Leland Rains!!!

Team Mavericks won this year's Junior League and Leland took Low Medalist honors. It was very close going into the last round. The Sharks had a 2-stroke lead but couldn't hold on as the Mavericks came with their "A" game and won by eight. Leland hung onto his five stroke lead to win by seven.

Congratulations again to Team Mavericks:

Charlie Odom Kinsler Rains Liza McCrae Aniston Cook

#### **Top 3 Individual Standings**:

Leland Rains: 42, 48, 48 (135) Charlie Odom: 44, 51, 47 (142) Kinsler Rains: 51, 53, 48 (152)

# PGA Jr. League

Registration Link:

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Our program is for juniors ages 9-13 that can break 60 for 9-holes. Our goal is to provide quality instruction that improves their fundamentals and gives them the confidence they need to enjoy the game of golf.

The first practice would be Wednesday, June 11th and continues through July. The cost is \$349. Registration is \$110 paid online to reserve your spot on the team. You would pay the balance owed to the Club of \$239 at a later time. The cost includes: 5-6 matches verse area teams, two practices per week (1 with Coach and 1 team bonding session), one bucket of range balls per day 7 days per week, 2 tournament shirts, team hat, tournament golf balls, & more.

### A word from your Golf Course Superintendent: Andy Woolston

andywoolston@cypresslakesgolfclub.net

May is our kick off to summer. We completed the dreaded aerification process and we are so happy to have it behind us. We also finished spreading our fertilizer/pre-emergent combination.

A few new things to mention, we have reflectors on top of the flag sticks to aid with laser distancing. And we now have sand bottles on the back side of the starters gazebo for walkers to use and to replace empty bottles. We thank those who do help out by filling divots.

We always welcome constructive criticism and helpful suggestion but if you don't mind, please bring them myself or John Childs and avoid telling our maintenance staff. Information can sometimes be received or passed along incorrectly.

Please fill up water bottles at the Clubhouse and not with the on-course coolers. It does not take too many people filling large water bottles to empty them. The hottest months are approaching and we don't want to run out in the afternoon. Thank you for helping us make Cypress Lakes Golf Club a fun place to play.

### Tip of the month:

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

Andy

#### Look who made a Hole-In-One:

Gary Dawson made his 1st ace on hole #8 during Thursday night league from 144 yards away with an 8-iron. Ronnie Douglas, Greg Massicotte, & Jeff Halstead witnessed the great shot.

**Roger Simmons** got his 2<sup>nd</sup> ace on #17 using an "A" wedge from 85 yards. Lee Empie & John Atkins witnessed his great shot.

Congratulations!!!

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

#### Want to improve your game?

If yes, then improve the way you practice. I see many of you hitting range balls (and that is a good thing) but I don't see many of you practicing the short game. If you want to get better, determine the amount of time your practice session will be and then split into 1/3's:

1/3 putting & chipping
1/3 pitching & bunkers
1/3 driving range
Start with putting & chipping
and end with the driving range.
Try this out for a few months
and I promise you will improve.

John

#### Rule of the Month

**Question:** I hit my shot, the ball hit a tree, then came back and hit my cart.

**Answer:** No penalty and play the ball as it lies.

**Rule:** 11.1a

# Please play READY GOLF!!!

# LGA Wednesday Play Day



#### April 2<sup>nd</sup> (Putts)

1<sup>st</sup> Gay Landers, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sandy Cowling, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sandra Johnson

April 16th (Criss Cross)

1<sup>st</sup> Dot Johnson, 2<sup>nd</sup> Carol Saxton, 3<sup>rd</sup> Martha Maddux

April 23<sup>rd</sup> (4 for Par)

1<sup>st</sup> Ann Gauldin, 2<sup>nd</sup> XuAn Vu, 3<sup>rd</sup> Gay Landers

April 30th (Stableford)

1<sup>st</sup> Jan Young, 2<sup>nd</sup> Judy Watson, 3<sup>rd</sup>
Susan Cole

#### April 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> LGA Championship

Overall Gross Champion
XuAn Vu
Overall Net Champion
Ava Rich
Flight 1 Gross Winner
Gay Landers
Flight 1 Net Winner
Vicki Pulse
Flight 2 Gross Winner
Paul Austin
Flight 2 Net Winner
Sandra Johnson

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

Monthly meeting: 1<sup>ST</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7:30am

#### Etiquette 101

If you have issues on the course with slow play, please call the Pro Shop if you cannot locate a Marshal. We can't fix it after the round is over.

#### Senior Golf Association Monthly Golf Tournament

#### **April Scramble**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (54.5)

Alan Coleman, Terry Eggleston, David Laritz, Jim Stuart

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (56.0)

Don Walker, Don Hudson, Tan Vu

3rd Place (57.0)

Dana Weeden, Bob Lake, Mike Mosley, Ava Rich

4<sup>th</sup> Place (57.5)

John Robinson, Jody England, Jim Mills, Tom Main

**Closest to the pin:** 

Mark Alverson 8'1"

\*Blind Draw

Next event: May 20<sup>th</sup>

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)

Emerald Coast First Tee: Saturday, May 10th @ 12:00pm tee times

*Travel Group:* Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> @ Hidden Creek (9:00 am tee times)

Callaway Fitting Day: May 17th (10am-2pm by appointment)

Senior Association: May 20th @ 8:15am (4-Person TBA)

**Summer League Begins:** June 5<sup>th</sup> (members sign up begins May 1<sup>st</sup>)

# CLGC Upcoming Events & Maintenance

Dates subject to change

June 5<sup>th</sup>: Summer Thursday League begins June 19<sup>th</sup>: 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

#### **Hidden Creek**

Date: Wed, May 14th

**Time: 9:00am** 

Price \$74.00 (Range not included)

Limited space available

#### includes:

Greens fee, Cart fee, Net dogfight, Net skins, 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

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** 

6:45 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, Tomas Ravendo, Andrew Reaves

#### Marshals, Starters & Volunteers

Danny Deen, Roley Kiker, Ray
Bricking, Mark Pursell, Mike Gilmore,
Prentice Robinson, 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, John Treesh, Troy Chesebro,
Kenny Wells, Dave Moore, Jamie
Choike, David Laritz, Gary Thomas,
Jim Powell, Chuck Allison, Steve
Erichsen

Maintenance Staff

Mechanic: Ron Murphy
Operators: Chris Hughes, Angie
Waters, Patrick Seigle, Reid Hester, JR
Owen, Christopher Zenker, Davis
Laye, John Treesh, Trevor Walker,
Shawn Hotchkiss, Ethan Jarrell