

Senior Championship Kicks Off 2008 Schedule

The FSGA will open the 2008 Championship Season with the **47th Senior Amateur Championship** at **Old Corkscrew Golf Club** in Estero on April 15-17. There are six qualifiers scheduled so get your entry in by February 27.

There are two age divisions for the Senior Championship, 55-64 and 65 & over. Competitors will attempt to qualify in 18 holes of stroke play in hopes of advancing to the 54 hole stroke play Championship. New this year, a cut will be instituted after 36 holes.

This year includes 25 State Championships for golfers of all ages. **Jupiter Hills Club** in Tequesta will host the **91st Amateur Championship**. The **Four-Ball Championship** will be played at **TPC Sawgrass** in Ponte Vedra Beach, also host site to next year's Amateur Championship. The **Amateur Match Play Championship** has six qualifying sites to round out the Championship field at **Quail Valley Golf Club** in Vero Beach as **Coral Creek Club** in Placida will host the **2008 Mid-Amateur Championship**.

Register for all Championships online at www.fsga.org.



Rick Woulfe, 2007 Senior Amateur Champion looks to defend his title in 2008.

CHAMPIONSHIP	DATE OF EVENT	ENTRIES CLOSE	LOCATION
Men's Interclub Team	April 5-6	December 3	Victoria Hills Golf Club, DeLand
Senior (Qualifiers)	April 15-17	February 27	Old Corkscrew Golf Club, Estero (Ft. Myers area)
Senior/Mid-Am Four-Ball	April 26-27	March 26	The Golf Club at Fiddlers Creek, Naples
Club Team	May 3-4	April 2	Golden Hills, Ocala/Juliette Falls, Dunnellon
Two-Man Shoot-Out	May 17-18	April 16	LPGA International, Daytona Beach
Mid-Amateur Four-Ball (North)	May 31 - June 1	April 30	Windsor Parke Golf Club, Jacksonville
Mid-Amateur Four-Ball (South)	May 31 - June 1	April 30	Hobe Sound Golf Club, Hobe Sound
Amateur (Qualifiers)	June 19-22	May 7	Jupiter Hills Club, Tequesta
Senior Amateur Match Play	July 6-10	June 4	Golden Ocala Golf & Equestrian Club, Ocala
Boys Junior (Qualifiers)	July 7-9	May 14	Interlachen CC/CC of Orlando, Orlando
Four-Ball (Qualifiers)	July 12-13	May 28	TPC Sawgrass, Ponte Vedra Beach
Public Links	July 18-20	June 25	Hunters Creek Golf Club, Orlando
Parent-Child	July 26-27	June 25	Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista
Junior Match Play	July 28-31	July 2	Bear Lakes Country Club, West Palm Beach
Amateur Match Play (Qualifiers)	August 7-10	June 11	Quail Valley Golf Club, Vero Beach
Junior Team	August 9-10	July 9	Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista
Junior Florida Cup	August 13-14	Invitational	Palma Ceia G & CC, Tampa
Mid-Senior	August 15-17	July 16	Grand Harbor Golf & Beach Club, Vero Beach
Mid-Senior Four-Ball (North)	September 13-14	August 13	Amelia River Golf Club, Amelia Island
Mid-Senior Four-Ball (South)	September 13-14	August 13	Kensington G & CC, Naples
Mid-Amateur (Qualifiers)	October 2-5	August 6	Coral Creek Club, Placida (Ft. Myers area)
Senior Four-Ball	October 7-8	September 10	Lost Tree Club, North Palm Beach
Mixed Team (FWSGA)	October 11-12	September 26	River Wilderness G & CC, Parrish (Tampa area)
Northwest Club Challenge	October 18-19	September 24	Santa Rosa G & Beach Club, Santa Rosa Beach
Southeastern Challenge Matches	October 18-19	Invitational	Kiva Dunes, Gulf Shores, Alabama

Winter Series Wrap Up

The 2007-2008 FSGA Winter Series got off to a great start in December at Lake Jovita Golf and Country Club with a four-ball event.

At Lake Jovita, **Richard Kerper**, of Safety Harbor, and **Paul Royak**, from Tampa, ran away with the 40-54 age division title winning by seven strokes. The pair shot a 68-67--135 including a hole-in-one from Kerper in the final round on the 14th hole from 146 yards.

In the 55-64 age division, **Brian Hawke** and **Jim Whittemore**, both from Temple Terrace, edged out the field to win by one stroke. Hawke and Whittemore posted a 67 in the first round and held on with a 71 in the final round.

Russ Berkoben and **Bruce Rotte** captured the 65 and over age division recording a tournament total of 135. The Naples team shot consistent rounds of 68-67 to win the division by four strokes.



Richard Kerper and Paul Royak, winners at Lake Jovita.

Remaining Winter Series Events

INDIVIDUAL

February 18-19, entries close February 6
Queen's Harbour Yacht & CC, Jacksonville

March 17-18, entries close March 5
Duran Golf Club, Viera

FOUR-BALL

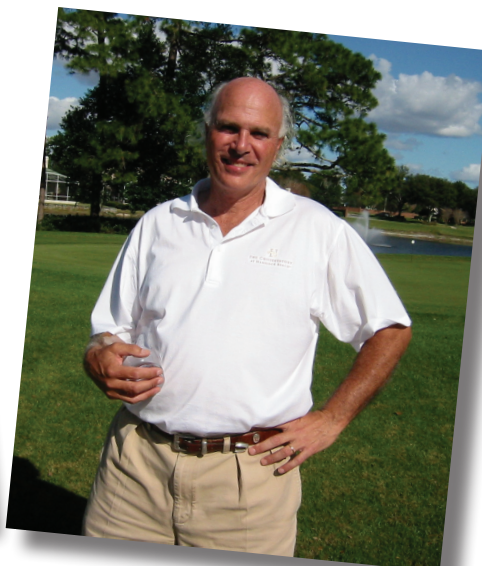
March 3-4, entries close February 20
Santa Lucia River Club, Port St. Lucie

54 HOLE INDIVIDUAL FINAL

March 30 - April 1, entries close March 19
Bent Tree Country Club, Sarasota



Edward Craig, Douglas Slattery and AJ Kroeger, winners at Orange County.



(L-R) John Monaco, Lou Paolucci, and Ron LeClair, winners at Timacuan.

Orange County National, Winter Garden - Individual, Crooked Cat Course, December 17-18, 2007

40 - 54 Age Division

Douglas Slattery, West Henrietta, NY 74-74--148
Robbie Dew, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 74-75--149
James Weick, Fort Lauderdale, FL 74-77--151
Jim Hammons, Port Orange, FL 80-72--152
Michael Wilson, Winter Park, FL 75-77--152
George Roat, Windermere, FL 74-79--153
George Steinmetz, Malvern, PA 77-78--155
Samuel Martinez, Miami, FL 79-76--155
Scott Jones, Orange Park, FL 76-80--156
Stan Zabytko, Port Saint Lucie, FL 80-76--156
Craig DelFabro, Bradenton, FL 76-81--157
Joe Doremus, Orlando, FL 79-79--158
Buck Tate, Lake Mary, FL 79-80--159
Stewart Whyte, Delray Beach, FL 82-77--159
Konard Lewis, Winter Haven, FL 80-80--160
Jose Novo, Miami, FL 84-78--162
Michael Menyhart, Merritt Island, FL 84-80--164
Todd Martin, Plant City, FL 88-76--164
Lee Abney, Clermont, FL 83-82--165
Mark Gerard, DeLand, FL 88-77--165
Ross Parker, Indian Harbour Beach, FL 84-93--177
Bob Fischer, Clermont, FL 90-98--188
Greg Whitford, Gainesville, FL 107-WD--WD

55 - 64 Age Division

A J Kroeger, Apopka, FL 71-74--145
Carey Watson, Coral Springs, FL 74-73--147
Jim Stone, Bradenton, FL 76-73--149
Gary Pettit, Dade City, FL 79-73--152
John Osborne, Vero Beach, FL 76-76--152
Mike Miller, Ormond Beach, FL 82-71--153
John Hart, Windermere, FL 81-73--154
Denis Johnson, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 82-74--156
Bob Sells, Tallahassee, FL 77-80--157
Don Bradford, Venice, FL 78-79--157
Steve Baker, Bonita Springs, FL 80-77--157
Tom Keedy, Lady Lake, FL 80-78--158
Bob Hinkle, Tallahassee, FL 83-76--159
Joe Knight, Santa Rosa Beach, FL 80-79--159
John Latowski, Port Saint Lucie, FL 76-83--159
Kary Kaltenbacher, Englewood, CO 84-75--159
Mark Rubin, Miami Beach, FL 82-77--159
Michael Reavey, Niceville, FL 84-79--163
Randel Whitney, Orlando, FL 83-80--163
Tim Cantwell, Ormond Beach, FL 80-83--163
Robert Foehl, Estero, FL 85-79--164
Robert Layman, Ormond Beach, FL 84-81--165
Don Whittington, Fort Lauderdale, FL 81-85--166
Jack Richey, Winter Park, FL 86-80--166
Richard Templeton, Miami, FL 84-83--167
Tom Hyman, Lakeland, FL 82-85--167
Jim Hoehn, Naples, FL 83-85--168
Larry Barousse, Brevard, NC 83-87--170
Bill McCormick, Clermont, FL 86-85--171
Jim Flagg, Melbourne Beach, FL 89-82--171

Kenneth Moody, Homosassa, FL 96-90--186
Dick Davis, Lake Mary, FL 97-94--191

65 & Over Age Division

Edward Craig, Orlando, FL 73-71--144
Stuart Young, Fort Myers, FL 73-76--149
Joe Eubank, Daytona Beach, FL 77-73--150
Vincent Volpe, Leesburg, FL 76-79--155
Jim Maxfield, Melbourne, FL 80-76--156
John Teller, Ocala, FL 79-78--157
Joseph DeVita, Venice, FL 80-77--157
Perry Noun, Daytona Beach, FL 83-74--157
Peter Jackson, Valrico, FL 83-74--157
Larry Martin, Plant City, FL 81-78--159
Ray Darmstadt, Cocoa Beach, FL 81-78--159
Neil James, Orlando, FL 81-79--160
Doug Danziger, Fort Lauderdale, FL 82-79--161
Ron LeClair, Orlando, FL 86-75--161
Richard Melgard, Lake Mary, FL 83-84--167
Joseph Underwood, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 86-83--169
Darrell Chandler, Bonita Springs, FL 86-84--170
Tom Slattery, Rochester, NY 84-86--170
Jay Kaltman, Fort Lauderdale, FL 86-85--171
D R Smith, Pensacola, FL 87-88--175
William Dunsmore, Lutz, FL 95-87--182
Bill Stallings, Viera, FL 82-DQ--DQ

Lake Jovita, Dade City - Four-Ball, December 3-4, 2007

40 - 54 Age Division

Richard Kerper / Paul Royak 68-67--135
A J Kroeger / Fred Stones 71-71--142
Samuel Martinez / Jose Novo 70-72--142
Douglas Jones / Todd Martin 73-74--147
Sean Lucey / Howard Vaughn 74-74--148
Gary Buffington / Larry Hibbler 73-76--149
Mike Cobb / Tom Forrest 76-76--152
David Niles / Kyle Brylow 79-75--154
Charles Pflueger / Frank Vari 77-79--156
Steve Collier / Glenn Pelt 79-78--157
Frank Castoro / James Weick 86-89--175

55 - 64 Age Division

Brian Hawke / Jim Whittemore 67-71--138
David Eddy / Gary Pettit 71-68--139
Don Edwards / Woodrow Smoak 71-69--140
Edward Fletcher / Pat Monti 72-69--141
John Darr / Rick Spears 73-68--141
Larry Mueller / Kim Schwencke 71-70--141
Bobby Kilgore / Bob Sims 71-71--142
Jim Stone / Carey Watson 74-68--142
Rick Cunha / Chris Lovely 71-71--142
Brian Jeffery / Pete McDade 72-71--143
Don Rutledge / Steve Sloan 69-74--143
Michael Gravette / Jim McKenzie 70-73--143
Jim Cecchini / William Erwin 73-71--144
John Begley / John Hall 72-73--145
Jim Cantwell / Mike Miller 74-73--147
John Latowski / John Osborne 75-74--149
David Kartner / Pete Navaretta 75-75--150
Joseph Ferraro / Eric Roller 82-78--160
John Hendricks / Denis Johnson 73-NC--NC

65 & Over Age Division

Russ Berkoben / Bruce Rotte 68-67--135
Jim DuBois / Bob Rogoff 71-68--139
Larre Barrett / Robert Martin 68-72--14
ORick Brown / Dick Moore 71-70--141
Ray Darmstadt / Jim Maxfield 71-72--143
Phil Leckey / Denny Rouse 72-72--144
Art Cosentino / John Teller 72-73--145
Edward Garver / Peter Jackson 74-71--145
Don Lambert / Max Mathews 72-75--147
Tracy Allen / Joseph Underwood 73-75--148
Sam Loethen / Gary Sanders 76-77--153
Bill Hamilton / Bill Hetherington 76-78--154
Doug Danziger / Frank Petrocelli 82-79--161
Victor Andrade / Ronald Borges 80-83--163

CC of Ocala - Four-Ball, January 21-22, 2008

40 - 54 Age Division

Jim Hammons / Bill Shufelt 70-72--142
Samuel Martinez / Jose Novo 74-69--143
Frank Castoro / James Weick 74-71--145
Gary Mackintosh / Don Weeks 76-69--145
Tim Kremer / Kenneth Roy 73-73--146

55 - 64 Age Division

Larry Mueller / Kim Schwencke 68-70--138
A J Kroeger / John Osborne 74-65--139
Tom Johnson / Jim Whittemore 72-67--139
Brian Hawke / Bobby Kilgore 68-72--140
Jim Stone / Carey Watson 73-68--141
Don Edwards / Woodrow Smoak 70-74--144
John McCreary / Dwaine Roney 72-72--144
Michael Gravette / Jim McKenzie 71-73--144
Steve Baker / Dan Smith 71-75--146
Jim Love / George McLaughlin 76-71--147
John Darr / Carl Miller 77-70--147
Richard McArdle / Lou Paolucci 75-72--147
Steve Sloan / Robby Stanford 75-73--148
William Abraham / Richard Templeton 75-78--153
Mack Gadd / Robert Myers 80-77--157
Keith Eaman / Jean Guy Gauthier 82-79--161
Bill McCormick / Bill Steiger 85-78--163
Paul Barnes / Leland Sorenson 79-85--164

65 & Over Age Division

Jim DuBois / Bob Rogoff 73-67--140
*Won 4th Play-off Hole
Joe Eubank / Austin Jones 71-69--140
Rick Brown / Phil Leckey 71-70--141
Don Lambert / Max Mathews 75-70--145
Larre Barrett / Robert Martin 73-72--145
Edward Garver / Peter Jackson 73-74--147
Ray Darmstadt / Jim Maxfield 74-73--147
Joseph DeVita / Joseph Underwood 74-75--149
Art Cosentino / John Teller 76-76--152
Doug Danziger / Frank Petrocelli 77-76--153
Casey Cox / Dick Moore 75-82--157
Keith Clark / Larry Flynn 75-82--157

Timacuan G & CC, Lake Mary - Individual, January 7-8, 2008

40 - 54 Age Division

John Monaco, St Augustine, FL 73-75--148
Bill Shufelt, Merritt Island, FL 74-77--151
Jimmy Key, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 76-76--152
James Weick, Fort Lauderdale, FL 78-75--153
John Tingley, Osprey, FL 79-74--153
Scott Jones, Orange Park, FL 79-74--153
Mike Damron, Zephyrhills, FL 79-76--155
Jim Hammons, Port Orange, FL 76-80--156
Jim McGuire, Apollo Beach, FL 77-80--157
Mark Gerard, DeLand, FL 80-79--159
Maurice Brown, Orlando, FL 76-83--159
Dan Chiappetta, Plantation, FL 82-78--160
Jose Novo, Miami, FL 78-82--160
Samuel Martinez, Miami, FL 81-79--160
John Hanlon, Saint Petersburg, FL 79-84--163
Michael Menyhart, Merritt Island, FL 81-83--164
George Steinmetz, Malvern, PA 83-82--165
David McDowell, Cooper City, FL 84-84--168
Mark Weston, Windermere, FL 81-87--168
Stewart Whyte, Delray Beach, FL 81-87--168
Matt Woollen, Navarre, FL 83-86--169
Marc Topiol, Winter Park, FL 87-84--171
Ross Parker, Indian Harbour Bch, FL 92-87--179
Joe Harp, Merritt, FL 102-86--188
Ron Hopkins, Spring Hill, FL 95-94--189
Lee Thurston, Tallahassee, FL 113-100--213
Darren Rawlinson, Crawfordville, FL 90-NC--NC
Jack McAllister, Miami, FL 83-DQ--DQ

55 - 64 Age Division

Lou Paolucci, Palm Coast, FL 69-77--146
*Won 3rd Play-off Hole
Mike Miller, Ormond Beach, FL 74-72--146
John Osborne, Vero Beach, FL 76-71--147
Kim Schwencke, Temple Terrace, FL 77-71--148
Gary Pettit, Dade City, FL 77-72--149
John Darr, Gainesville, FL 73-76--149
Robert Foehl, Estero, FL 75-74--149
Jim Stone, Bradenton, FL 76-74--150
Carey Watson, Coral Springs, FL 74-77--151
Bob Wildner, Green Cove Sprgs, FL 73-79--152
John Downs, Tampa, FL 76-76--152
Mark Rubin, Miami Beach, FL 75-79--154
Kary Kaltenbacher, Englewood, CO 81-74--155
Victor Lohman, Ormond Beach, FL 78-77--155

A J Kroeger, Apopka, FL 79-77--156
Bill Douglas, London, KY 74-85--159
Charles Kovaleski, Winter Park, FL 80-79--159
Dan Sullivan, Vero Beach, FL 78-81--159
Denis Johnson, Palm Bch Gdns, FL 77-82--159
John Hart, Windermere, FL 78-81--159
Randy Parks, Longwood, FL 79-80--159

Randel Whitney, Orlando, FL 84-76--160
Steve Baker, Bonita Springs, FL 79-81--160
Robert Callaghan, Tampa, FL 80-82--162
Bruce Delguidice, Weeki Wachee, FL 83-81--164
Jim Flagg, Melbourne Beach, FL 80-84--164
Carl Miller, Gainesville, FL 81-84--165
Robert Layman, Ormond Bch, FL 79-86--165
Bob Fleming, Champaaign, IL 85-81--166
Richard Templeton, Miami, FL 81-85--166
Michael Tatam, Jacksonville, FL 88-82--170
Bill McCormick, Clermont, FL 88-87--175
Kenneth Moody, Homosassa, FL 95-94--189
Don Whittington, Fort Lauderdale, FL 83-WD--WD
John Latowski, Port St Lucie, FL 84-WD--WD

65 & Over Age Division

Ron LeClair, Orlando, FL 77-72--149
Jim Maxfield, Melbourne, FL 78-79--157
Ron Audi, Ocala, FL 75-82--157
Richard Melgard, Lake Mary, FL 78-80--158
Doug Danziger, Ft Lauderdale, FL 78-81--159
Perry Noun, Daytona Beach, FL 77-83--160
Don Rutledge, Orlando, FL 80-81--161
Joe Eubank, Daytona Beach, FL 79-84--163
Robert Martin, Fort Lauderdale, FL 80-83--163
Jay Kaltman, Fort Lauderdale, FL 83-81--164
Darrell Chandler, Bonita Spgs, FL 83-84--167
Tracy Allen, Winter Park, FL 86-81--167
Joseph Underwood, P. Bch Gdns, FL 84-84--168
Ron Michals, Port St Lucie, FL 87-82--169
Austin Jones, Orlando, FL 87-84--171
Bill O'Donnell, Orlando, FL 90-82--172
Vincent Volpe, Leesburg, FL 88-86--174
William Dunsmore, Lutz, FL 93-87--180
John Teller, Ocala, FL 80-WD--WD
Neil James, Orlando, FL 85-WD--WD

“Quick, Move that Flagstick”

by Jack Pultorak, FSGA Director of Rules and Competitions



Have you ever had the embarrassing experience of putting the ball too firmly and having it roll right towards the removed flagstick lying beyond

the hole?

It has happened many times before and has resulted in penalties. If I had yelled to you to “pick it up” and you did, you would have gotten the penalty and not me if you were my opponent or fellow competitor. That just didn’t seem right!

Well, thankfully the Rules makers have changed that Rule and it’s about time. New for 2008, here’s the change.

In Rule 24-1 – Movable Obstructions, you will find the following language:

“When a ball is in motion, an obstruction that might influence the movement of the ball, other than an equipment of any player or the flagstick when attended, removed or held up, must not be moved.”

In layman’s terms, that means that after a player hits a ball, no player can move any man made object such as a rake or soda can, if it might alter the path of the moving ball. However, there are a couple of exceptions: equipment of any player or the flagstick when attended, removed or help up.

So if I hit my ball and it is heading right for your bag, it is OK for you to move your bag or any player’s bag for that sake. The same thing now goes for a flagstick when it is lying on the ground; go ahead and move it and there will be no penalty to anyone.

Let me also clarify that if the flagstick is in the hole when you hit the ball, it needs to be left there. If you or anyone pulls the flagstick out in this case, you or your opponent or fellow competitor will incur the penalty; loss of hole in match play or two strokes in stroke play. If it is your partner or caddie, you will get the penalty.

Too many people have suffered the unfortunate consequences of this Rule in its former life. I am glad to see the person trying to be the “good guy” is no longer penalized. Now as far as the player putting it too firmly getting off the hook, that’s a topic for another article!

Remember, use the index or the table of contents to find the correct Rule that applies to the situation and follow the Rules of Golf to help yourself to enjoy the game of golf.

Course Rating Team Takes 2nd at National Calibration

The FSGA Course Rating team placed second at the USGA Eastern National Calibration at PGA Golf Club in Port St. Lucie on January 13-14. The FSGA team of **Bob Powers, Charlie Caravati, Ron Audi and Brian Robideau** scored an overall grade of 98.5 to take second place out of 17 teams.

The Calibration consists of an on-course section as well as a written test. The FSGA team received full credit for 38 out of the 40 obstacles rated and scored 100% on the written test.

Last year, Brian Robideau and Ron Audi were members of the FSGA winning team who placed first at the National Calibration. Ron was also awarded this year’s Course Rating Volunteer-of-the-Year.

Congratulations to the team for their outstanding effort and success at the 2008 USGA Eastern National Calibration.

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2008 is a Rule Change Year

Remaining Rules of Golf Seminars

- Hunters Green CC, Tampa • February 8**
- Bear Lakes CC, West Palm Bch • February 11**
- The Forest CC, Fort Myers • February 15**
- Mission Valley CC, Laurel • February 26**
- Don Shula’s, Miami Lakes • February 28**
- PGA GC, Port St. Lucie • March 5**
- Gainesville CC, Gainesville • March 13**

Register at www.fsga.org

Jupiter Hills Hosts 91st Amateur Championship

Jupiter Hills Club in Tequesta will host the **2008 Amateur Championship** on June 19-22. There are 13 qualifying sites for players to advance to the Championship so get your entry in by May 7. The Championship will be split on the Village and Hills Courses with the final 36 holes on the Hills Course, site of this year's US Open Sectional Qualifying.

Last year, the Four-Ball Championship was played at Jupiter Hills as well as the 2007 US Open Sectional Qualifying. Designed by George Fazio, Jupiter Hills also hosted the 1987 US Amateur Championship.

In the 2007 Championship, University of West Florida golfer **Matthew Galloway**, of Valrico, won the 90th Amateur Championship shooting a 69-70-70-71. Galloway as well as the top ten from last year's Championship are exempt this year into the Championship.



Register Online at www.fsga.org

USGA Championships Closing Dates

US Open.....	April 23
US Am Public Links.....	May 28
US Junior.....	June 4
US Senior.....	June 11
US Am.....	July 2
US Mid-Am.....	July 16
US Senior Am.....	August 6

Amateur Qualifying Sites

- May 27 - Ironhorse, West Palm Beach
- May 28 - The Bayou Club, Largo
- May 28 - Victoria Hills, DeLand
- May 29 - Club at Renaissance, Fort Myers
- June 2 - North Hampton, Fernandina Bch
- June 2 - CC of Ocala, Ocala
- June 2 - Sara Bay, Sarasota
- June 3 - Santa Rosa, Santa Rosa Beach
- June 5 - GC at Bridgewater, Lakeland
- June 6 - Legacy Golf & TC, Port St. Lucie
- June 9 - Don Shula's, Miami Lakes
- June 9 - Grande Pines, Orlando
- June 10 - Southwood, Tallahassee

Men's Interclub Off to Great Start

The Men's Interclub Team Matches kicked off the second season last month with more than 100 clubs across the state participating in this state-wide net competition. The Matches include a six-week regular season, two rounds of play-offs, and a State Championship held on April 5-6 at Victoria Hills Golf Club in DeLand.

The Interclub pairs teams within local areas to play home and away matches. Each week, eight players from each team will compete in four ball matches. Two players from a team will compete as partners and as individuals against two players from the opposing team.

In 2007, Bluewater Bay was crowned the inaugural Interclub Team Champions. Bluewater Bay won the Northwest Region and beat out five other regional Champions to win the title.

Visit the interclub website to learn more about the Matches and how your club can get involved.



Bluewater Bay, 2007 Interclub Champions

Visit the Interclub Website @
<http://interclub.fsga.org/>

2008 Foundation Members

Thank you to the following individuals who have joined as 2008 Foundation Members. We greatly appreciate your support of the FSGA and Future of Golf Foundation. Currently, more than 315 individuals joined as Foundation Members. Foundation Members receive a Foundation Member golf shirt but most importantly, they are supporting the Future of Golf Foundation that provides college scholarships and financial assistance to junior golfers.

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Tracy Allen
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Craig Ammerman
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Richard Babcock
Steve Baker
John Bauder
Bob Bauman
Earle Baurch
Robert Bechtol
Nancy Becker
James Beckley
John Begley
Joel Benes
Jack Berry
Donald Bisplinghoff
David Boesel
Ronald Borges
George Bovenizer
Cookman Boyd
John Brantley
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John Downs
Tom Dudley
William Dunsmore
Charles Edwards
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Ron Goldberg
Irvin Gotlieb
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Michael Graves
Terry Green
Randy Gregory
Bill Griffith
Delph Gustitus
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Kenneth Hagamann
John Hall
Ken Hamilton
Barry Hansen
Roger Harvie
Butch Hastings
Jack Hawes
Brian Hawke
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James Holloway
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Scott Huntley
Stuart Iliffe
John Ives
Bill Iwinski
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Kevin Jones
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Jim Keedy
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Keith Keister
Mike Kelly
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Scott Kennedy
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Jimmy Key
Noel Kile
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Kevin Knapp
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Thomas Loechel
Don Lucas
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Rick Luzar

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Curtis Madson
Larry Martin
Wilson Martin
Robert Martin
Samuel Martinez
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Tom Matey
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Bill Missildine
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Michael Morrissey
Paul Morton
Mark Mulvoy
MH Mynhier
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Robert Nappi
William Nash
Corliss Nelson
Frank Nelson
Jose Novo
Lou Nutter
John O'Neill
Wade Oney
Dick Ousley
George Paajanen
C.O. Padgett
Howard Palen
Ronald Parks
Bob Patterson
Wesley Paxson
Cail Pearce
John Penniman
Robert Perry
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Chuck Phillips
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FSGA Introduces "The Game" in Tampa Bay & Central Florida

Last fall, the FSGA instituted "The Game," a traveling men's game in the Tampa Bay area. After six successful events in 2007, eight more events have been added to the schedule for 2008 to include Central Florida. "The Game" is an almost-weekly golf competition held mostly on Fridays and Mondays at courses in the region.

The Game is intended to stimulate more golf rounds in the area. "If you love golf and enjoy teeing it up on Friday afternoon this game will be perfect for you," said Jim Demick, FSGA Executive Director. "We are getting great courses to participate and everyone should play more golf anyway – life is too short not to spend more time on the golf course with friends."

The Game uses stableford points for scoring. In stableford scoring, players don't get hurt by one or two bad holes and point quotas will be adjusted each week to keep everyone competitive.

Players will compete as individuals in one of two flights, an "A" Flight for individuals with a 12 handicap or below and a "B" Flight for players with a 12.1-24. Entry fees range from \$45 - \$60, and everything is included - golf, cart, range balls and prizes.

Check online for more dates to be scheduled and sign up at www.fsga.org.

The Game 2008 Schedule

January 14 - Lake Wales CC, Lake Wales

January 25 - Bloomingdale Golfers Club, Valrico

February 11 - Lake Wales CC, Lake Wales

February 25 - Hunters Green CC, Tampa

March 24 - Lake Wales CC, Lake Wales

March 31 - East Lake Woodlands CC, Oldsmar

April 18 - Plantation Palms GC, Land O' Lakes

May 30 - Lake Jovita G & CC, Dade City

Scholarships Available

The Florida State Golf Association is proud to provide college scholarships and financial assistance to junior golfers through the Future of Golf Foundation.

College Scholarships are available to employees and the dependents of employees of our full member clubs. We also offer college scholarships to junior golfers that have previously competed in FSGA and FJT competitions.

In addition, Junior Golf Scholarships are available to junior golfers who need financial assistance to play in state and national competitions. The FSGA's Future of Golf Foundation will provide reduced entry fees into FSGA and FJT events and provide travel and lodging assistance for state and national competitions.

Last year, we awarded nine college scholarships to deserving juniors in the state and assisted more than 15 junior golfers who competed in state and national tournaments.

We need your help reaching these fine juniors. Please tell a deserving junior about this scholarship opportunity and contact the FSGA or lead them to the website for further information.

New GHIN Clubs

The FSGA welcomes the following clubs that recently joined the GHIN Handicap System. These clubs join the more than 590 clubs in the state that use the GHIN Handicap System.

Central Florida Club, Tampa

Golfpac Golf Club, Sanford

Jacksonville Beach Club, Jacksonville Beach

Miami Springs Golf & Country Club, Miami Springs

Plantation Golf and Country Club, Fort Myers

Sarasota National, Venice

Sugarloaf Mountain Golf & Town Club, Clermont

Venetian Bay Golf Club, New Smyrna Beach

We continually try to unify the state onto one handicap system, the GHIN Handicap System. Club. Please talk to your club's decision makers about getting GHIN and join the more than 60 associations, 9700 clubs and 2 millions golfers nationwide on the System. Contact Aaron Skoviera, Director of GHIN Services, at 813.632.3742 with any questions.

Remaining 2007-2008 Florida Junior Tour Schedule

DATE OF EVENT	LOCATION/AGE DIVISION
February 16-17	Amelia Island Plantation, Amelia Island (16-18)
March 1-2	Southwood Golf Club, Tallahassee (16-18)
March 21-23	Eagle Creek Golf Club, Orlando (13-15)
April 5-6	Rio Pinar Country Club, Orlando (16-18)
April 19-20	Lake Wales Country Club, Lake Wales (13-15)
April 26-27	Lemon Bay Golf Club, Englewood (16-18)
May 10-11	Riverwood Golf Club, Port Charlotte (13-15)
May 24-26	University of Florida Golf Course, Gainesville (16-18)

Make Golf Part of Your Legacy

by Jim Demick, FSGA Executive Director



Have you ever thought about how much golf has been part of your life? Think of all the friends that you have made through golf and how many great times you have enjoyed at the golf course. Think back to all of those Member-Guests and funny stories. And don't forget about all those early days of spring when you would find a way to escape the office for an early season round. Speaking of "the office", golf almost certainly helped you with your career. You have loved golf for decades and it's a big part of your life. The question is – how can you give back to a game that has been so important to you??

Sometime in the next few years it is likely that you will be discussing estate planning with your attorney. You may be drafting your will or just making modifications to keep up with the ever-changing tax law. As they say in estate planning circles "either you can decide where you would like your money to go – or the government will decide for you." When you meet with your attorney, you will be asked "are there any charities or non-profit organizations that you would like to remember"? I hope at that moment you will remember golf and the Florida State Golf Association.

This year the FSGA celebrates its 95th year of existence and our responsibilities to the game are larger than ever. The future of golf needs your support and we ask you to remember golf and all that it has meant to your life. Please make golf and the FSGA part of your legacy. The FSGA is embarking on a campaign to endow many of the costs associated with our efforts in junior and amateur golf. We will establish endowments to provide for the Florida Junior Tour and to provide funds to assist juniors and amateurs who attend national and state championships. We will also broaden our efforts to assist juniors with college scholarships. Your current or future bequests will ensure that kids have access to junior golf and educational opportunities that otherwise would be too expensive or not available at all.

Make golf part of your legacy. Remember - when your attorney asks that question "are there any organizations that you would like to remember?" – remember the Florida State Golf Association. Contact us and we'll provide you and your advisors any necessary information – and thank you for supporting this great game.

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