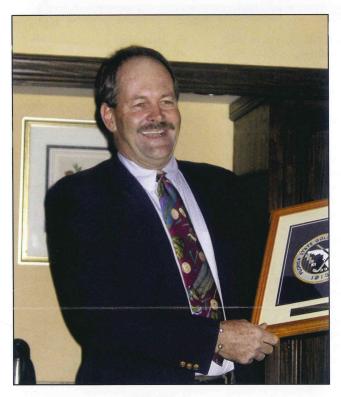


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Woulfe Named Player-of-the-Year



Rick Woulfe accumulated 740 points this year by playing in FSGA and USGA events.

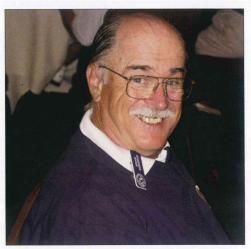
The 2002 Player-of-the-Year award was presented to **Rick Woulfe** of Ft. Lauderdale during the annual dinner at Tampa's Avila Golf & Country Club in November. Player rankings are based on points awarded for specific finishes in designated tournaments throughout the season.

Starting the year with a tie for second at the Mid-Amateur Four-Ball South, Woulfe tied for third at the State Amateur. He placed 6th at the Mid-Senior, finished in the championship flight at the Match Play, qualified for the Mid-Amateur, and represented Florida in the Southeast Challenge Matches this year for the seventh time. Woulfe has won two state championships: the 1998 Mid-Senior Four-Ball and 1995 Four-Ball. His two victories were shared with former President **Frank Strafaci**. He also qualified to play at the U.S. Mid-Amateur at The Stanwich Club in Greenwich, CT. Woulfe won the stroke play championship at the Terra Cotta Invitational this year where he earned medalist honors in 2000 and 2001.

A board member since 1992, Woulfe was Secretary/Treasurer in 1997, Vice-President from 1998-1999, and President from 2000-2001. Currently, he serves on the Executive Board as Immediate Past President. Woulfe is a member of Lago Mar Country Club in Ft. Lauderdale where he has been the club champion 16 times in the last 19 years.

Volunteers-of-the-Year: Forward & Robideau





Bob Forward of Avon Park is the 2002 Tournament Volunteer-of-the-Year. Brian Robideau, Palm Beach Gardens, received the Course Rating Volunteer-of-the-Year award. Story on page 4.



PLAYER OF THE YEAR

1	Woulfe, Rick	740	28	Cleland, Ron (S)	295
2	Tallman, Aaron	675	30	Lasinsky, Len	290
3	Sutton, David	660	30	Rowe, J.E. (S)	290
4	Nealy, Michael	655	32	Dawson, Ken	285
5	Moody, Ken	595	32	Lemma, Matthew	285
6	Boesel, David	580	32	McGowan, Brian	285
7	Warrick, Kevin	550	32	Mitchell, Peter	285
8	Madson, Curt (S)	540	32	Swenson, Norm (S)	285
9	Purnell, Andy	505	37	Carter, Steve	275
10	Elliott, Randy	500	38	Booker, Lee	270
11	Melson, Paul	490	38	Frederick, Evan	270
12	Leetzow, Mark	485	40	Chira, Lee (S)	260
13	Corzilius, John	475	41	Rosenbaum, Marc	255
14	Voisin, Bret	420	42	Benedetti, Camilo	250
15	Anthony, David	400	42	Freeman, Mike	250
15	Harris, Ty	400	44	Blondell, Brett	245
17	Stroever, Lee	385	44	Sachs, Brian (S)	245
18	Erickson, Michael	380	46	Beckett, Stephen (S)	240
19	Klauk, John	350	47	Muscara, Chris	235
20	Owen, Daniel	345	47	Nelson, Bill	235
21	Parnell, Ed	335	49	Balderston, Thomas	230
22	Ritter, Doug	330	50	Briggs, Randy	220
23	Cristillo, Joseph (S)	325	51	Cutler, Stephen	210
23	Earsley, Steve	325	51	Dachisen, Peter	210
25	Hayes, Tom (S)	310	51	Oney, Wade	210
26	Robinson, John	305	51	Royak, Paul	210
27	Cranford, Jason	300	51	Snoap, Doug	210
28	Byington, Jim	295			

SOUTHEAST CHALLENGE

1	Woulfe, Rick	1645	28	Avril,
2	Sutton, David	1573	30	Bying
3	Melson, Paul	1088	31	Daws
4	Nealy, Michael	1053	31	Chira
5	Tallman, Aaron	1013	33	Clelar
6	Ritter, Doug	975	34	Babus
7	Leetzow, Mark	888	35	Lasin
7	Gosse, Kelly	888	36	Smith
9	Voisin, Bret	800	37	Provo
10	Cristillo, Joseph (S)	798	38	McGo
11	Purnell, Andy	783	39	Freen
12	Toliuszis, Paul	773	40	Marti
13	Eich, Phillip	755	41	Hayes
14	Erickson, Michael	715	42	Cranf
14	Kopf, Gregory	715	43	Owen
16	Caponi, Cap	713	44	Rowe
17	Robinson, John	708	45	Oney
18	Carter, Steve	698	46	Smith
19	Cherrix, Vince	675	47	Lemn
20	Parnell, Ed	673	47	Musc
21	Madson, Curt (S)	668	47	Brow
22	Moody, Ken	638	50	Balde
23	Earsley, Steve	613	50	Lujac
24	Mitchell, Peter	593		
24	Strafaci, Frank	593		
26	Albright, Stephen	590		
27	Snoap, Doug	570	(0) 0	
28	Kohn, Matthew	560	(S) S	enior Pla

28	Avril, Matt	560
30	Byington, Jim	548
31	Dawson, Ken	540
31	Chira, Lee (S)	540
33	Cleland, Ron (S)	538
34	Babusik, Frank	520
35	Lasinsky, Len	515
36	Smith, Brandon	500
37	Provost, Clint	490
38	McGowan, Brian	478
39	Freeman, Mike	475
40	Martinez, Samuel	470
41	Hayes, Tom (S)	465
42	Cranford, Jason	450
43	Owen, Daniel	443
44	Rowe, J.E. (S)	440
45	Oney, Wade	435
46	Smith, Chuck (S)	430
47	Lemma, Matthew	428
47	Muscara, Chris	428
47	Brown, Jim (S)	428
50	Balderston, Thomas	420
50	Lujack, Skip (S)	420

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Florida Finishes Second at Southeast Challenge

Final Score: Georgia: 26.5 - Florida: 19.5 - Alabama: 17



Back row: Michael Nealy, Curt Madson, Paul Melson, Aaron Tallman, Kelly Gosse, David Sutton. Front row: Jack Pultorak, Rick Woulfe, Mark Leetzow, Doug Ritter, Joe Cristillo, Don Lucas, and Mallory Privett. Not pictured: Billy Graham.

The Georgia team retained their Southeast Challenge Matches title at The Ledges in Huntsville, Alabama. The Matches are held every two years, rotating between Florida, Georgia, and Alabama. They are a Ryder Cup format consisting of four-ball, foursome, and singles matches over two days with one point awarded to the winning team for each match. One-half point is awarded to each side for halved matches.

Georgia raced out to a large lead on Saturday with 14½ points, while Florida had 8, and Alabama earned 4½. Day one consisted of four-ball in the morning and foursome matches in the afternoon. On Sunday during three-ball match play, Georgia scored 12 points, Florida 11½ points, and Alabama 12½ points.

Five of the twelve players on the Florida team were members of the 2000 Southeast Challenge team: Billy Graham, Pensacola; Mark Leetzow, Sarasota; Don Lucas, Valrico; Doug Ritter, Davie; and Rick Woulfe, Ft. Lauderdale. Also competing this year were Joe Cristillo, Crystal River; Kelly Gosse, Inverness; Curt Madson, Mount Dora; Paul Melson, Plantation: Michael Nealy, Boca Raton; David Sutton, Maitland; and Aaron Tallman, Pembroke Pines. Players are chosen based on Southeast Challenge points accumulated throughout the season or by being a captain's choice.

Georgia finished one point ahead of Florida in 2000 at the Idle Hour Club in Macon, GA. The total points for each team were Georgia 25½, Florida 24½; and Alabama 13. Florida has won four Southeast Challenge titles – the last time being in 1998. These matches have been contested since 1989. They have been held eight times now having been suspended in 1992 and 1993. The matches switched to a biennial format in 1996.

Year	Champions	Location	Score
1989	Florida	Lake Nona GC - Orlando, FL	FL-32; GA-21.5; AL-18.5
1990	Georgia	Atlanta National GC - Alpharetta, GA	
1991	Alabama	CC of Birmingham - Birmingham, AL	
1994	Florida	Fiddlesticks CC-Ft Myers, FL	FL-41; GA-29; AL-18
1995	Florida	Sea Island GC - Sea Island, GA	FL-33.5; GA-27.5; AL-2
1996	Florida	Greystone G&CC - Birmingham, AL	FL-31.5; GA-29; AL-23.
1998	Florida	CC of Ocala - Ocala, FL	FL-31; GA-29; AL-24
2000	Georgia	Idle Hour Club - Macon, GA	GA-25.5; FL-24.5; AL-1
2002	Alabama	The Ledges – Huntsville, AL	GA-26.5; FL-19.5; AL-1

Upcoming Winter Series EventsIndividual Events

Legacy Golf Club, Bradenton Jan. 13-14 Victoria Hills Golf Club, DeLand March 27-28 ChampionsGate Golf Resort, Orlando April 7-8

Four-Ball Events

Crown Colony Golf Club, Ft. Myers Jan. 27-28 Feather Sound CC, Clearwater Feb. 10-11 Wentworth GC, Tarpon Springs March 10-11

Robideau & Forward Recognized at Annual Dinner



Brian Robideau has been the Course Rating Captain for Palm Beach County for the past three years. His section is one of the busiest counties in the state with an average of 20 ratings a year. This spring, he was one of four FSGA course rating captains that attended the USGA East Coast Calibration

Seminar. Competing with 24 other teams from the eastern U.S., Brian and his team received the highest scores for first place. FSGA President Mallory Privett and Robideau also developed a course rating software program that is currently used by several sections in the state. Professionally, Robideau is a mechanical engineer and retired from Pratt & Whitney after 37½ years. He is a member of PGA National Golf Club in Palm Beach Gardens.

Bob Forward started volunteering at tournaments two years ago after scoring a 92 on the USGA Rules Exam. While he has been a PGA Professional for the past seven years, Forward has always been involved with amateur golf. At age 14, he qualified for the New York State Amateur. He



now plays on the Senior Tour of the Southeast PGA Chapter and in the Highlands County Inter-Club where he has been the top money winner for the past nine years. **Sue Forward**, Bob's wife, is a frequent tournament volunteer, as well. Forward is the General Manager and Head Golf Professional at Lake Wales Country Club.

Winter Series Events

Palmira Golf & CC + Bonita Springs + November 25-26

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Russ Berkoben, Dan Smith	
Chris Ellis, Steve Passen	
Steven Lavely, Michael Hastings	
JavierNunez, Corliss Nelson	
James Tierney, Thomas Kuhn	76-73–149
Timothy Beavers, Jesse Faerber	80-74-154
Flight: 55-64	
Ron Cleland, William Diedrich	71-68-139
John Peters, Dick Johnson	70-71–141
James McCready, Mike Timbers	
Bob Currey, Larry Derito	
Bob Cusimano, Fred Cusimano	74-74-148
Michael Alford, Ray Darmstadt	
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Bill Fager, Bill Western	
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Steven Lavely, Michael Hastings	
Russ Berkoben, Dan Smith	
Timothy Beavers, Jesse Faerber	
Javier Nunez, Corliss Nelson	
James Tierney, Thomas Kuhn	73-69–142
Flight: 55-64	
Michael Alford, Ray Darmstadt	
Ron Cleland, William Diedrich	
Bob Cusimano, Fred Cusimano	67-69–136
John Peters, Dick Johnson	
Ted Bridgett, Ken McGillivray	69-69–138
James McCready, Mike Timbers	
Bob Currey, Larry Derito	
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PGA Golf Club + Port St. Lucie + December 16-17

Bill Fager, Bill Western 73-71-144

Gross Scores Flight: 65 and over James Mannix, 75-80-155 Bob Madsen, 79-78-157 Dick Johnson, 84-77-161 John MacLeod, 81-83-164 James Dowling, 85-80-165 David Sweeney, 83-86-169 Flight: 55-64 Bob Currey, 76-75-151 Ken Couturier, 77-77-154 Martin Gregge, 76-79-155 Charles Costolo, 79-79-158 George Rodriguez, 79-79-158 Jim Cecchini, 78-82-160 Gil Turner, 86-76-162 Tracy Allen, 82-83-165 Robert Brown, 85-81-166 Hank Lehwald, 84-83-167 Jim Kaat, 80-89-169 Syd Brooke, 86-83-169 Larry Shreve, 85-84-169 Flight: 40-54 Rick Barger, 73-72-145 Samuel Martinez, 72-75-147 Steve Saterbo, 76-72-148 Paul Piccolo, 77-73-150 Keen Shackelford, 78-74-152 Morgan Bays, 80-74-154 Bruce Fitzpatrick, 79-75-154 Ed Trinidad, 79-76-155 Dann Merrell, 78-77-155 Bob Sims, 76-81-157 Jose Novo, 79-79-158 Dan Gladman, 76-83-159 Kenneth Ahmie, 79-81-160

Net Scores Flight: 65 & over John MacLeod, 69-71-140 James Mannix, 69-74-143 Bob Madsen, 75-74-149 James Dowling, 78-73-151 Dick Johnson, 80-73-153 David Sweeney, 76-79-155 Flight: 55-64 Bob Currey, 75-74-149 Ken Couturier, 75-75-150 Martin Connelly, 72-79-151 Hank Lehwald, 76-75-151 Syd Brooke, 77-74-151 Martin Gregge, 75-78-153 Jim Kaat, 72-81-153 Roger Harvie, 78-76-154 Charles Costolo, 78-78-156 George Rodriguez, 78-78-156 Jim Cecchini, 76-80-156 Robert Brown, 80-76-156 Bruce Bubenzer, 76-80-156 Flight: 40-54 Steve King, 71-69-140 Keen Shackelford, 73-69-142 Rick Barger, 72-71-143 Steve Saterbo, 75-71-146 Kenneth Ahmie, 72-74-146 Peter McCabe, 77-70-147 Samuel Martinez, 72-75-147 Morgan Bays, 77-71-148 George Heider, 74-74-148 Joe Eassa, 75-75-150 Daniel Murray, 71-80-151 Dan Gladman, 72-79-151 Dann Merrell, 76-75-151

Complete results posted at www.fsga.org

Senior Four-Ball Champions: Darr & Sachs

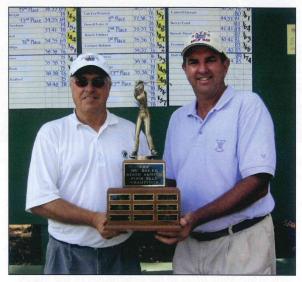
John Darr and Brian Sachs, both from Gainesville, maintained their first-day lead to win the FSGA Senior Four-Ball Championship at Victoria Hills Golf Club in DeLand. Coming in at 67-68–135, Darr and Sachs never played an event together before this. In fact, they just met the previous Sunday after Darr's original partner—Rick Spears of Stuart—cancelled because of an injury.

Darr and Sachs carded nine birdies and no bogies to finish two strokes ahead of the field. Joseph Cristillo of Crystal River (the 2002 State Senior champion) and Jack Bussinger of Beverly Hills, took second place in the championship flight with 71-66–137. Their 66 was the low score of the event. J. Rowe of St. Augustine and Stephen Beckett of Palatka finished third at 69-70–139.

Andy Higgins and Mike Tucker, both from Ponte Vedra Beach, won the first flight with scores of 73-68–141, while Mike Timbers of Bonita Springs and Rick Bauch of Naples won the second flight at 76-71–147.

Champi	onship	Flight
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Championship Flight	
Brian Sachs - John Darr	67-68-135
Joseph Cristillo - Jack Bussinger	71-66-137
J Rowe - Stephen Beckett	69-70-139
Bill Giese - Billy Graham	70-70-140
Bob Weyand - Lou Paolucci	
John Mussoline - Roger Lusk	
Lee Chira - Ron Cleland	
Don Rutledge - Ron Larimer	
Fred Ward – John Ward	
Gary Pettit - Faxon Bissett	
John Peters – Rick Luzar	
Richard Chace - Robby Stanford	
Larre Barrett – Robert Martin	
Dennis Williams – Gene Holmes	
First Flight	
Andy Higgins – Mike Tucker	73-68-141
Curtis Madson – Ron LeClair	
Bob Mielnikowski – William Boutwell	
Phil Leckey – Dan Morgan	
David Hackstadt – Skip Lujack	
Jim Purtell – Michael A Cook	
Jim Dubois – Bob Rogoff	
Tom Richards – Baldy Boyd	
John Tucker – Chuck Hansen	
Sam Loethen – Bob Wood	
Andrew Labarbera – Jerry Sullivan	
Dick Pesonen – Don Fuell	15-15-140



Brian Sachs and John Darr win the championship trophy after meeting each other only two days before the event.

Robert Good – Tony Greenfield	73-78-151 75-76-151 75-76-151 74-78-152
Second Flight	
Mike Timbers – Rick Bauch	76-71-147
Rufus Dowell - Robert Yates Jr	76-72-148
Barry Miller - Michael Doney	78-71-149
Dick Johnson - James McCready	78-71-149
Bill Western - Jack Van Ess	76-75-151
Ray Robison - Daryle Larimer	
John Price - Bill Fager	
Jerome Hemenway - Larry Flynn	
Mike Alford - Rod Linder	
Tracy Allen - Moot Thomas	80-76-156
Keshava Reddy - John Diohep	79-78-157
Rod Stewart - Randy Cantrell	
Allan Barrett – James Marshall	
Steve Barczy – Hal Loud	
Robert Myers – Howard Freeman	83-83-166
Jim Sweet – Wendell Hall	

2003 Executive Committee

The Florida State Golf Association elected members for the Executive Committee, Board of Directors, and Advisory Board at their annual meeting in November at Avila Golf & Country Club.

Mallory Privett, Palm Beach Gardens, was re-elected President to lead the Executive Committee. The volunteer Executive Committee, along with the Board of Directors, direct the Association's professional staff and more than 300 volunteers who serve throughout the state.



Mallory Privett President



Tracy Allen
Vice President



Matt Avril
Director-at-Large



Mike Timbers
Secretary/Treasurer



Tom Keedy Director-at-Large



Rick Woulfe Immediate Past President



Bill Western
Director-at-Large

Congratulations to the Winner... I Think.

By Jack Pultorak **Director of Rules & Competitions**



When is a competition really completed? As soon as they hand the winner that big trophy, right? Well, not exactly... let's take a closer look.

In match play, a match is won by the side that is leading by a number of holes greater than the number of holes remaining. If the stipulated round ends with the sides being all square, the Committee may, for the purpose of settling a tie, extend the stipulated round to as many holes as are required for a match to be won. Also, a player or side may concede a match at any time prior to the conclusion of the match.

In stroke play, the winner is the competitor or side who plays the stipulated round or rounds in the fewest strokes.

It is the responsibility of the Committee to announce the manner, day and time for the decision of a halved match or of a tie in stroke play. A halved match shall not be decided by stroke play. A tie in stroke play shall not be decided by a match. In other words, finish the way you

So it's over, right? Not so fast. Let's take a look at Rule 34 and its first section.

In match play, no claim shall be considered after the result of a match has been officially announced, unless the Committee is satisfied that the opponent knew he was giving wrong information. There is no time limit on applying the disqualification penalty for a breach of Rule 1-3 (Agreement to Waive Rules). For instance, in his first round match, a player may have agreed to tap down spike marks with his opponent. The Committee should disqualify the player and award the trophy to the original runner-up. And this may take place years later!

In stroke play, a competition is deemed to have closed when the result has been officially announced, or in stroke play qualifying followed by match play, when the player has teed off in his first match. No penalty shall be rescinded, modified or imposed after the competition has closed.

EXCEPT a penalty of disqualification shall be imposed after the competition has closed if a competitor:

- a) was in breach of Rule 1-3 (Agreement to Waive Rules)
- b) returned a score card on which he has recorded a handicap, which, before the competition closed, he knew was higher than that to which he was entitled, and this affected the number of strokes received (Rule 6-2b; Handicap-Stroke Play)
- returned a score for any hole lower than actually taken (Rule 6-6d; Wrong Score for Hole) for any reason other than failure to include a penalty which, before the competition closed, he did not know he had incurred; or
- knew, before the competition closed, that he had been in breach of any other Rule for which the prescribed penalty is disqualifi-

So the next time they hand out that big trophy to the winner you can say that he or she is the Champion..for right now!

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The FSGA welcomes the following clubs recently joining the GHIN Handicap System. We appreciate your support.

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The Rookery at Marco Island Marco Island

Southwood Golf Club Tallahassee

The Village Golf Club Royal Palm Beach

2003 FSGA Council Members

The following individuals have already joined the FSGA as 2003 Council Members. We appreciate their support of amateur golf in Florida and of the Florida State Golf Association.

Kenneth Ahmie Michael Alford Gary Almond George Andre* Joseph Andriole Matthew Avril Jim Ayersman Larre Barrett Bob Battle Robert Bauman Timothy Beavers* Jack Berry* Dean Blankenship Ed Boyer* Spencer Brainard Vincent Carosella Jim Cecchini Lee Chira Ray Columbaro* Robert Cook Larry Cotten Joe Courtney Steve Creekmore Jack Curley Richard Dalton Robert Davis Paul E. Demick Craig Doering Peter A. Donelan James Dowling John Downs Randy Elliott Jeronimo Esteve Jeronimo M. Esteve Bob Ethridge Bill Fager Bruce Fitzpatrick Dean Fjelstul Bruce Frank Howard Freeman Daniel Fulmer James Gallagher **Bob Golub** Hugh Gower George Grant Lee Habjan Michael Hailey George Heider Bill Hermann Stephen Hoczak

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*Director's Council for Husband & Wife, President's Council, or Chairman's Council.

Hall and Todd Win Inaugural Scholarship Tournament

divisions.

The Sarasota team of Norman Todd and John Hall won the FSGA's first annual Scholarship Tournament that took place at Miromar Lakes Beach and Golf Club this weekend. Hall birdied the last three holes that helped the team finish two strokes ahead



Norman Todd and John Hall win the gross division.

Bob Hullender from San Antonio, TX, and Richard Tatum from Atlanta, GA, carded 68-70-138 and tied for second place with Jerry Hult of Bonita Springs and Jell Denslow of Naples who came in at 70-68–138. In the Net Division, Spencer Brainard of Merritt Island and **Terry Billingsley** of Naples won by five strokes posting 66-65-131.

of the field and post an overall gross score of 67-69--136. The event format was 36 holes of four-ball stroke play with both gross and net

Proceeds from this event go to the FSGA Scholarship Fund, which assists employees of our member clubs and their dependents with educational costs. This year, the FSGA will award \$20,000 in scholarships.



Spencer Brainard and Terry Billingsley placed first in the net division.

Gross Results

Norman Todd, Sarasota; John Hall, Sarasota	.67-69-136
Bob Hullender, San Antonio; Richard Tatum, Atlanta	.68-70-138
Jerry Hult, Bonita Springs; Jell Denslow, Naples	.70-68-138
Tom Kuhn, Naples; James Tierney, Naples	.69-72-141
Bill Western, Sarasota; Jerry Jackson, Sarasota	.73-69-142
John Peters, Bonita Springs; George Raymond, Bonita Springs	
Tracy Allen, Winter Park; James Dowling, Hobe Sound	
Mike Timbers, Bonita Springs; Rick Bauch, Naples	.73-74-147
Richard Craig, Naples; Thomas Craig, Naples	
Hal Knuth, Port Charlotte; Jim Gibson, Port Charlotte	
Gus Kozina, Beach Park; Joe Pavoni, Prospect	.76-75–151

Net Results

Spencer Brainard, Merritt Island; Terry Billingsley, Naples	.66-65-131
Kem Thom, North Palm Beach; Alex McConnell, West Palm Beach	.69-67–136
Hugh Gower, Naples; Joe Geneser, Naples	.69-70-139
Roger Harvie, Viera; Rich Slomkowski, Bonita Springs	75-66–141

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Rating Captains Meet for Calibration Workshop

Course Rating Captains from the FSGA and FWSGA came together in a "first time" combined meeting and calibration exercise this month at LPGA International in Daytona Beach. A total of 34 captains

from across the state attended the twoday event that included golfing, dinner, and rating selected holes of the course.

The goal of the annual calibration workshop is to bring the captains together to

meet each other; share information, ideas, and concerns; and improve consistency among the rating teams.

On day two, participants were divided into teams and rated three holes on the LPGA Practice Academy course. The women rated the gold tees, while the

men rated from the blue tees. The teams brought their results back to the group to compare and discuss. Mallory Privett, FSGA President, Karen Korf, USGA Course Rating Committee Member, and Ed Boyer, an FSGA course rating captain, led this discussion. The raters enjoyed hearing each others philosophies and coming to a consensus on how certain aspects of course rating should be performed.

The next event scheduled for all FSGA and FWSGA course raters is the USGA Course Rating Seminar taking place January 16, 2003, at the Tampa Palms Golf & Country Club.



Randy Walford, Karen Vatland, Sharon Baerenklau, and Taffie Brisley were among the participants at the Course Rating Calibration Workshop.



