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NEXT TOURNAMENT Arlington Ridge Sunday, January 18 2009 Shotgun
Start at 8:00 a.m. Tournament Format Modified Stableford, Three-Four Flights.
Entry Fee \$44.00 total (includes green fees, cart, prize certificates, blind bogey, 50/50, closest to pin, and hole-in-one pot). AGO Hotline Phone number 407-273-7798. USGA rules of golf apply during all AGO events. Have entries postmarked this month by Monday, January 12th. Cut off day is Thursday January 15th.

Results from Orange Lake – The Reserve December 14, 2008

Low Gross	Dan Thompson	75			\$45
Low Net	Charlie Lentz	91	26	65	\$45
A Flight					
1. Jerry Geier		80	13	67	\$35
2. Michael Rice		79	11	68	\$26
3. Jim Murray		80	11	69	\$22
4. Greg Lee		81	11	70	\$18
5. Jay Durant		81	10	71	\$14
B Flight					
1. John Ingram		82	15	67	\$35
2. Wayne Mason		85	17	68	\$26
3. Terry Layman		87	17	70	\$22
4. John Atkinson		84	14	70	\$18
5. Russ Judge		84	14	70	\$14
C Flight					
1. Balbino Farina		88	22	66	\$35
2. Dave Hladky		86	19	67	\$26
3. Tony Lopez		85	18	67	\$22
4. George Frey		88	19	69	\$18
5. Jeff Alexander		90	21	69	\$14
D Flight					
1. Wen Stocksett		90	25	65	\$35
2. Rusty Miller		93	27	66	\$26
3. Robert Wells		92	26	66	\$22
4. Ken Copley		92	26	66	\$18
5. Don Simpson		94	27	67	\$14

Low Putts \$10

Doc Hebebrand 24 Putts

Closest to the Pin \$10

#3 Dan Ashby; #5 Luis Gracesqui; #12 Mike Bigley; #14 Gary Miller

Blind Bogey Number drawn: 75 \$12

Terry Lehman, Jerry Bruessel, Tony Priem, Steve Idle, Mike Frazer, Steve Blackwell

Gross Skins- 7 skins \$37 each

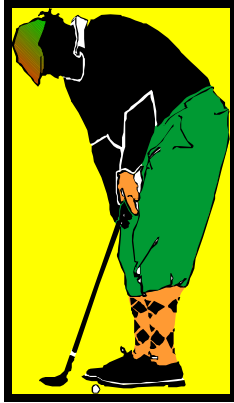
Dan Ashby #3 & #17, Al Chandler #6, Jerry Geier #2 & #16, Gary Miller #14, Dan Thompson #13

Net Skins 6 skins \$28 per skin

Steve Duverseau #1; Tony Pimpanella #3; Mike Frazer #7; Bob Wells #10; Rick Harris #13; George Frey #16

50-50 \$60 Jerry Rose

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



By Larry Prill President, AGO

By the time you read this newsletter Christmas & New Years will be over. We hope you had a relaxing and fun filled holiday vacation. I'm looking forward to 2009 hoping the economy will improve as well as my golf game. I'm trying to continue to sign up courses that AGO hasn't played for a while. With March being in the middle of the winter tourist season, its hard to find a course that will offer us an affordable rate, especially on a Sunday. If you know someone that works at a course that could helps us please let me know. (larry@allbusinessprinting.com)

Because the rates change after the end of April, beginning of May, we have decided to move our two-day AGO championship from April to May (16th & 17th). We will have our normal June tournament with the banquet on the 2nd Sunday (14th) since Fathers day is on June 21st. As a reminder to all you new AGO members, the annual championship scoring lasts for two days. You'll play each day (Saturday & Sunday) like any other month but there will be combined scores for the two days. The next month we'll recognize the winners, hand out many door prizes as well as a full buffet. An AGO rule has always been, in order to be able to play in the championships you must have played in at least three AGO tournaments with in the 2007/2008 year (May 2007 – April 2008) more details will be announced, as we get closer.

Next month (January 18th) we will be playing at Arlington Ridge. We'll be scoring using a modified stableford point system. You'll be rewarded points for your score for each hole (6 points for an eagle, 4 birdie, 2 par, 1 bogey, 0 double bogey, -1 triple bogey) You add up these points then add on your handicap which will be your final score. Check the rules sheet that's in each cart. Arlington Ridge is a wide-open course, so you can get aggressive and try to get those birdies. You'll truly be rewarded for aggressive play.

And finally, if you have a change of address, you're not receiving the monthly newsletter, or you're dropping out of AGO, please let us know. We're trying to keep our mailing list current. And with that, lets start the year out with a good turnout at Arlington Ridge. Get your entries in as soon as you can. Thanks for all your support.

Happy New Year

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

Arlington Ridge (modified stableford)	Sunday January 18 th	\$44
Twin Rivers	Sunday February 15 th	\$47

MODIFIED STABLEFORD EXPLAINED

Based on GROSS score, points are awarded on each hole as follows:

Eagle	6 points
Birdie	4 points
Par	2 points
Bogey	1 points
Double bogey	0 point
Triple bogey or more	-1 points

Add up all the points for each hole, and add your handicap to get a total number of points. The modified stableford scoring rewards a birdie plus a bogey more than two pars. It is a format that encourages one to GO FOR IT!!!

a. Selection and Addition of Clubs The player must not start a stipulated round with more than 14 clubs. He is limited to the clubs thus selected for that round, except that if he started with fewer than 14 clubs, he may add any number, provided his total number does not exceed 14.

The addition of a club or clubs must not unduly delay play (Rule 6-7) and the player must not add or borrow any club selected for play by any other person playing on the course.

b. Partners May Share Clubs

Partners may share clubs, provided that the total number of clubs carried by the Partners so sharing does not exceed 14.

Penalty For Breach Of Rule 4-4a or b, Regardless Of Number Of Excess Clubs Carried:

Match play - At the conclusion of the hole at which the breach is discovered, the state of the match is adjusted by deducting one hole for each hole at which a breach occurred; maximum deduction per round: Two holes.

Stroke play - Two strokes for each hole at which any breach occurred; maximum penalty per round: Four strokes.

Bogey and par competitions - See Note 1 to Rule 32-1a.

Stableford competitions - See Note 1 to Rule 32-1b.

c. Excess Club Declared Out of Play

Any club or clubs carried or used in breach of Rule 4-3a(iii) or Rule 4-4 must be declared out of play by the player to his opponent in match play or his marker or a fellow-competitor in stroke play immediately upon discovery that a breach has occurred. The player must not use the club or clubs for the remainder of the stipulated round.

Penalty For Breach Of Rule 4-4c: Disqualification.

Directions to Arlington Ridge (modified stableford)

**Take the FLORIDA'S Turnpike NORTH toward OCALA.
Merge onto US-27 N/FL-25 N via EXIT 285 toward LEESBURG
Entrance to Arlington Ridge will be on the left.**

Directions to Twin Rivers



**2100 Ekana Dr Oviedo, FL 32765-5861 United States P: (407) 366-1211
F: (407) 366-6914 <http://www.golfgroupfl.com>**

Early Entry: Twin Rivers Sunday February 15, 2009

**8:00 A. M. SHOTGUN START. FORMAT: INDIVIDUAL, 3/4 FLIGHTS. ENTRY FEE: \$47.00.
(GREEN FEES, CART, PRIZE CERTIIFICATES, BLIND BOGEY, 50/50 AND HOLE-IN-ONE POT).**

MY NAME _____ PAIR ME WITH _____

TELEPHONE # _____ Email Address _____

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Any AGO player who refers a new member will receive a \$25 American Express gift card.

New member	Referred by
Ted Michaelis	Mike Bigley
Wally Hoefft	Dennis Herbst
Perry Hochstetler	Mike Bigley
Tim Smith	Jim Murray
Jeffrey Kronauge	

Slow play is no fun. Play ready golf. Do the little things to keep it moving. Thanks!

TOP MONEY WINNERS, 2008-09

(THROUGH December 2008, INCLUDES TOURNAMENT WINNINGS, CLOSEST TO THE PIN AND LOW PUTTS)

ATKINSON, J	\$159
WILSON, T.	\$155
LEE, G.	\$134
CZECHOWSKI, R.	\$106
JUDGE, R.	\$103
ASHBY, D.	\$97
LEHMAN, T.	\$95
BURT, B.	\$90
DANJOU, J.	\$89
MARSHALL, J.	\$89
FUSCO, J.	\$87
Gracesqui, Luis	\$87
FREY, G.	\$84
MILLER, R.	\$83

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