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NEXT TOURNAMENT Eastwood 8:00 Sunday March 20th for \$49. Tournament Format Individual 3-4 Flights. Entry Fee \$49.00 total (includes green fees, cart, prize certificates, 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. Register for Eastwood using mail, phone (hotline), email & fax (larry@allbusinessprinting.com & fax 407-677-0465).

Results from Arlington Ridge, February 20, 2011

Low Gross Jerry Fusco 75 \$45

Low Net Dave Buffum 92 36 56 \$45

A Flight

1) Gerald Bruessel	78	14	64	\$35
2) Gary Miller	78	11	67	\$26
3) Dave Ashby	76	8	68	\$22
4) Russ Judge	84	16	68	\$18
5) John Ingram	81	12	69	\$14

B Flight

1) Richard Delorne	81	20	61	\$35
2) Glen Goodman	79	18	61	\$26
3) Ken Copley	84	22	62	\$22
4) Don Strickland	85	22	63	\$18
5) Tony Priem	83	19	64	\$14

C Flight

1) Steve Idle	88	27	61	\$35
2) Wen Stocksett	89	27	62	\$26
3) Ed Smelser	93	29	64	\$22
4) Michael O'Neill	100	36	64	\$18
5) Mike Frazer	92	27	65	\$14

Closest to the Pin \$10 each

#4 - Johnny Gonzales; #7 - Glen Goodman; #12 - Al Chandler; 15 - Dave Buffum

50-50 Mark Manookian - \$70

Blind Bogey \$19 each

#73 - Jeff Danjou, Larry Oakley, Conrad Quintero, Jim Bartley

Low Putts Rick Harris - 27 putts \$10

Gross Skins 8 Skins \$35 Each

Cory Rice #3 & #5; Jerry Bruessel #6; Gary Miller #8; Garold Williams #10; John Ingram #12; Paul Singhofen #15; Mike Rice #18

Net Skins -8 Skins \$26 each

#3 Mark Manookian Par 4 4-2=2; #4 Johnny Gonzalez Par 3 2-2=0; #6 David Buffum Par 4 4-2=2; #7 Ken Copley Par 3 2-1=1; #10 Mark Frazer Par 4 4-2=2; #11 David Buffum Par 5 5-2=3; #12 Arnie Wolberg Par 3 2-2=0; #13 Jim Frasier Par 4 4-2=2

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UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

Eastwood	8:00 Sunday March 20	\$49
Deltona	8:00 Sunday April 17	\$47
Championships		\$89
Twin Rivers	8:00 Saturday May 21	
Northshore	8:00 Sunday May 22	
Awards Banquet moved to 26th because 19th is Father's Day		
Stoneybrook East	8:00 Sunday June 26	\$62 includes food

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK – BY LARRY PRILL, PRESIDENT AGO

What can you say about the great play at Arlington Ridge. The scoring was competitive, many numbers in the red. Lets start off with our low gross winner, which belongs to Jerry Fusco, he shot a solid 75. And there was our low net winner, Congratulations to Dave Buffum, he totaled 92 net 56, now that's low. We had 7 players in the 70's , I can't remember the last time that happened. Flight A had a tie, Gerald Bruessel and Gary Miller both shot 78. With handicap Gerald came in first with a net 64. Dave Ashby also in flight A shot a 76 net 68. Great job! Flight B winner is Richard Delorne who scored an 81 net 61. He also tied Glen Goodman who shot a gross 79 net 61. In flight C Steve Idle had an 88 net 61. Congratulations to you all. You all should be proud of these scores. I would hope these low scores would give you the confidence to go out and practice so you could do even better next month. Obviously we'll be returning to Arlington Ridge next year.

It looks like our championship weekend is set for May 21 & 22. We'll play Twin Rivers on Saturday (9:00 am) and North Shore Sunday (8:00 am) The scores from both will be added together to determine our winners of each flight plus low gross and net. Remember, in order to qualify for these prizes, you must have played at least three AGO tournaments since last June 2010. For players with less than three, you may still play and participate in all other games but you can't compete for any of the top spots in each flight. So if you're short of playing in three, we have two more opportunities, this month, March – Eastwood 20th & April 17th at The Deltona Club.

Also start thinking about attending our annual awards banquet on June 26th at Stoneybrook East. We pushed this date out because Fathers day is on the normal third Sunday, June 19th. The banquet is shaping up to be a real good one. Besides handing out awards to our winners of Mays championships, we'll have a great buffet, drinks, and a keg of beer plus lots of door prizes. Our grand prize this time will be a golf get away package. So start planning on attending. Again that's June 26 at the Stoneybrook East golf club. We'll play our normal round at 8:00 am followed by the banquet.

I want to take this opportunity to welcome Charles Brooks to your AGO board. Charles will be taking over the running of the net skins game plus he'll be helping with the scoring after every tournament. Thank you Charles for stepping up to help our AGO organization.

The board wants to thank you all for helping us continue to get new members. We always need to ask other golfers to attend any of our tournaments. We have business card size invitations you can handout, I usually have them at the check-in table, so pick some up and stick them in your golf bag. You can also refer potential new members to our website, www.agogolf.net

This month we'll be going to the Eastwood Golf Club on March 20th, so get your entries in ASAP. If we get them late, after March 16th, you may not be able to be paired with your favorite playing partner, so let us know. We had 77 players last month. Last year we averaged around 75 players per tournament. Please keep inviting guests, so they turn into members. Like any group we gain and also loose members over time, so we always need to replace the ones we lost. The bigger the group usually means getting a better rate. We try to pick the best courses, while keeping the rate within this \$30 - \$40 range. The average rate last year was \$35.00 per player. Then we add \$12 to it, which pays for the prizes, your entry into the blind bogey and the 50-50 games. We are aware of the hard economic times we all have to deal with. We know money is tight, so we try to get the best rate we can. It's especially hard during the winter months. The courses wait for this time of the year so they can charge the highest rate. It's also hard to get lower rates, since we play at the peak time of the week. Many courses won't even consider us since we play on Sunday mornings. We are very fortunate that we live in an area that has so many courses to choose from.

Hope to see a good turnout at Eastwood, it's a challenging course and easy to get to. Let's see how many of you can repeat the types of scores you had at Arlington Ridge. Thanks again for your support.

Entry: Eastwood \$49.00

Sunday March 20, 2011 @ 8:00

SHOTGUN START. FORMAT: INDIVIDUAL, 3/4 FLIGHTS. ENTRY FEE: \$49.00. (GREEN FEES, CART, PRIZE CERTIFICATES, BLIND BOGEY, 50/50 AND HOLE-IN-ONE POT).

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Directions to Eastwood

13950 Golfway Blvd Orlando, FL 32828-8866 United States P: (407) 281-4653

F: (407) 281-9441 <http://www.eastwoodgolf.com>

The 18-hole "EastWood" course at the EastWood Golf Club facility in Orlando, Florida features 7,176 yards of golf from the longest tees for a par of 72 . The course rating is 73.9 and it has a slope rating of 124 on Bermuda grass. Designed by Lloyd Clifton, ASGCA, the EastWood golf course opened in 1990. Andy Bonus manages the course as the Owner/General Manager.

Rule of the Month

Rules of Golf - Rule 15: Wrong Ball; Substituted Ball

<http://golf.about.com/cs/rulesofgolf/a/rule15.htm>

Q: Player A hits player B's ball on his 2nd shot into a par 4. Player B hits player A's ball on his 2nd shot into the same par 4. Player A hits the wrong ball again on his 3rd shot. Player B realizes he hit the wrong ball on his 2nd shot before he hits the wrong ball again. What is the penalty for player A and player B?

A: Both player A and player B must go back and hit their 2nd shots from where they should have hit them originally. Play the hole out, and add a 2 shot penalty to their respective scores.

LEADING MONEY WINNERS 2010/2011

Chandler, Al	\$207	BRUESSEL, G.	\$75	Barbato, Robert	\$40	MOSLEY, J.	\$20
Akin, Greg	\$189	IDLE, S. Quintero,	\$75	Gracesqui, Luis	\$40	RICE, M.	\$20
Bishop, Jim	\$164	Conrad	\$75	Hartman, Brian	\$40	JUDGE, R. MANOOKIAN,	\$18
FUSCO, J.	\$159	ATKINSON, J	\$73	O'Neill, Michael	\$40	M.	\$18
MILLER, G.	\$154	Gill, Tom	\$70	ASHBY, D.	\$36	MCCANN, T.	\$18
Copley, Ken	\$128	Russell, Carl Munn,	\$70	WELCH, D.	\$36	OAKLEY, L.	\$18
Murray, Jim	\$127	Andrew	\$69	Bass, Dave	\$35	Smith, Tim	\$18
NOON, J.	\$102	BRETZ, L.	\$66	FRASIER, J.	\$35	BURT, B.	\$14
HUBBARD, T.	\$101	SEARCY, J.	\$62	Hoeft, Wally	\$35	FRAZER, MI. Gamble,	\$14
GONZALEZ, J.	\$93	Kimbly, W.	\$58	Martin, Reggie	\$35	Dave	\$14
Uppenkamp, Bob	\$93	PRILL, L. SINGHOFEN,	\$58	ADAMSON, B.	\$32	Hamill, Rick	\$14
HOGAN, M.	\$90	P.	\$58	HARRIS, R. CZECHOWSKI,	\$32	LEHMAN, T.	\$14
SMITH, E.	\$87	BUFFUM, D.	\$55	R.	\$28	Morin, Gary	\$14
GOODMAN, G.	\$85	CLAXTON, S.	\$55	Johnson, Terry	\$28	PLATT, L. SWANSON,	\$14
PRIEM, T.	\$85	HLADKY, D.	\$50	Bandera, Fred	\$26	M. Blackwell,	\$14
DELORME, R.	\$83	KINSEY, T.	\$50	HOWE, G.	\$26	Steve Dempsey,	\$10
BROOKES, C.	\$81	DANJOU, J. Gosch,	\$49	NIKONCYK, T. STOCKSETT,	\$26	David	\$10
FREY, G.	\$81	Randy	\$44	W. WINGERTER,	\$26	FRAZER, MA.	\$10
BATEMAN, R.	\$80	Keeley, Trey	\$44	J.	\$26	GUBERT, D. Herbst,	\$10
MCGINNIS, D.	\$79	Mease, Bill	\$44	NELSON, J.	\$24	Dennis	\$10
Roberts, Kevin	\$76	INGRAM, JO. Strickland,	\$42	MANNING, B.	\$22	Hladky, Josh	\$10
		Don	\$42	SMELSER, E.	\$22	Jorgensen, Randall	\$10

Early Entry: Deltona \$47.00

Sunday April 17, 2011 @ 8:00

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Take I-4 East from Orlando; Take exit 111A toward Deltona; Merge onto Saxon Blvd; Turn left at N Normandy Blvd; Slight right at Elkcam Blvd; Course will be on your left.

MORE ABOUT EASTWOOD

Public, 18 holes, \$35.00 - \$45.00

Situated on 190 acres of Central Florida land, Eastwood Golf Club features lush rolling fairways that are bordered by strategic mounding and numerous lakes. Water comes into play on just about every hole. Although the course is a prodigious 7,100+ yards in length from the back tees, 4 sets of tees offer all levels of golfers to enjoy their experience. The manicured greens at Eastwood are considered to be among the best in the Orlando area - good enough in fact to attract numerous mini-tour events to the course each year.

Design - Golf Course at Eastwood Golf Club

Year Built: 1987

Designer: Lloyd

Clifton

Greens Grass Type: Bermuda Grass

Fairways Grass Type: Bermuda

Grass Water Hazards: Yes

Sand Bunkers: 91-100

Yardage Markers: 250, 200,

150, 100 Yard Markers

More Information - Golf Course at Eastwood Golf Club

Green Fee: \$35.00 - \$45.00

Driving Range: Yes

Training Facilities:

Putting Green, Teaching Pro, Chipping Area

Golf Pro: Mike Keymont

Rental Clubs:

Yes

Carts: N/A

Pullcarts: No

Caddies: No

Walking:

Allowed

Food: Yes

Bar: Yes

Homes on Course: Yes

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