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NEXT TOURNAMENT

ROLLING HILLS CC, SUNDAY DEC. 16TH, 2007

Shotgun Start at 7:45 a.m. Tournament Format Individual, Three or Four Flights. Entry Fee:

\$40.00 (Includes greens fee, cart, prize certificates, blind bogey, and hole-in- one pot)

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For a 2nd straight month, the weather for our event was just perfect. Kissimmee Oaks was in good shape, and for those of you that haven't played there for some time, weren't you surprised at the # of homes along the fairways now? Used to be one could pee just about anywhere. Semi-private trees and bushes to water down were rarely seen out there! Evidently staying out of the rough, and playing some great golf was **Tim Wilson**, with a **Low Gross 71**, and **Bob Wells** shooting a sweet **Low Net 63!** Excellent work guys! Note: You will see below that Tim also won low putts with just **20. Yes 20!** We can't recall anyone EVER having that few, so we believe it is an AGO record. If you cannot wait to learn what make and model putter Tim used, send him \$1.00 to get the answer. (Send me \$.75 and I will tell you the brand, model, and the number of 1 putts he had!) :) Next month....Rolling Hills. It's a semi private course that is typically well maintained. You have to hit it straight, as many holes are lined by roads, OB, houses, trees, and water. Also, the course is very convenient to get to. Happy Holidays and see you at check in! -JG

Results for Kissimmee Oaks

Low Gross	Tim Wilson	71		\$45.00
Low Net Overall	Bob Wells	84	21	63

FLIGHT A	Gross	HCP	NET	\$\$\$	FLIGHT B	Gross	HCP	NET	\$\$\$
1. Ron Behe	79	10	69	\$35.00	1. Larry Oakley	80	16	64	\$35.00
2. Larry Bretz	80	8	72	\$26.00	2. Brad Burt	79	15	64	\$26.00
3. John Ingram	85	12	73	\$22.00	3. Rick Worel	84	17	67	\$22.00
4. Jon Searcy	83	9	74	\$18.00	4. Rich Delorme	87	18	69	\$18.00
5. Rob Czechowski	82	7	75	\$14.00	5. Wayne Mason	85	14	71	\$14.00

FLIGHT C	Gross	HCP	NET	\$\$\$	FLIGHT D	Gross	HCP	NET	\$\$\$
1. Tony Lopez	86	20	66	\$35.00	1. Jim Frasier	101	35	66	\$35.00
2. Sal Malandrino	93	23	70	\$26.00	2. George Frey	93	25	68	\$26.00
3. Mark Manookian	95	24	71	\$22.00	3. Gerald Williams	94	26	68	\$22.00
4. Tom Hubbard	95	23	72	\$18.00	4. Ed Smelser	100	30	70	\$18.00
5. Jim Noon	94	21	73	\$14.00	5. Arnie Wolberg	107	36	71	\$14.00

Low Putts: 20!!!- Tim Wilson- **\$10.00** and all the bragging rights he cares for!

Blind Bogey # 76 \$81 pot, 4 winners, **\$20 ea.** -Danjou, Durant, Howe, Thompson.

Closest to Pin \$10 each #3 Ed Smelser # 12 John Abbey
#6 Bob Wells # 14 Terry Lehman

Gross Skins: \$360 in pot 8 Winners \$45 each
#1 Priem; #3 Wilson; #4 Lehman; #5 Laufenberg (Eagle); #6 Bretz; #8 Searcy; #9 Fusco; #17 Czechowski

Net Skins: \$ 220 in pot 6 Winners 36\$ each
#4 Krizanac, #6 Wells, #7 Wolberg, #12 Peters, #17 Manookian, #18 Wolberg

Ties are broken with match of cards beginning at # 1 handicap hole.

AGO Hotline- 407-273-7798- Call and speak clearly. All calls will be returned. We promise!

Help run AGO beginning May 2008. After several years of postponing or being convinced to stay on '1 more year', several board members will **no longer** postpone their 'retirement' from the board. Step up and help run your organization for a while. Volunteering takes a just few hours a month, helping with tasks at tournaments, and a meeting 1x a month for about an hour. Perks include free committee rounds of golf, hole assignments, first quality golf shirt, and free entry for certain officers. Basic computer skills a plus. Call any officer or director for more details, without obligation. This isn't rocket science but requires a few good men. Try it for just a year!

Rule of the Month- Doubt as to procedure

3-3 Doubt as to Procedure

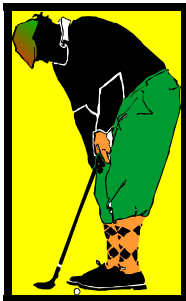
Procedure In stroke play, if a competitor is doubtful of his rights or the correct procedure during the play of a hole he may, without penalty, complete the hole with two balls.

After the doubtful situation has arisen and before taking further action, the competitor must announce to his marker or a fellow-competitor that he intends to play two balls and which ball he wishes to count if the Rules permit. If he fails to do so, the provisions of Rule 3-3b(ii) apply.

The competitor must report the facts of the situation to the Committee before returning his scorecard. If he fails to do so, he is disqualified.

From USGA: Rules of Golf

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



By Rick Harris Sr.

As in the past I have conversed with Santa Claus and he has agreed to CONSIDER the following requests from certain members of AGO:

AGO board members have asked for up to THREE new additions to the board to take the place of several who are stepping down. In other words, NEW BLOOD is needed! Otherwise.....

A repeat of last year's request by AGO president Rick Harris to hopefully improve his game and handicap to get him into a more difficult flight. (The kick-a-poo juice combined with beer unfortunately did not work this past year!)

Instead of a hold on Worel's passport to exotic places in the world a request has been made to extend the sphere to places he hasn't been to yet INCLUDING outer space! (He's one of our board members who is stepping down!)

For Jeff Goddard a request has been made for one, and possibly two, scholarships to a major school that has a hockey program for both of his talented sons. Those flights to Minnesota and Canada are getting out of hand!

Larry Prill has requested more business and more profits for his printing business so that he can continue to satisfy his golfing habit.

In other requests please give Bobby Bowden of FSU and Joe Paterno of Penn State each enough wins to TIE each other for "winningest coach" so they can both retire and let their respective schools get on with the task of finding "new blood" with younger coaches!

Please give Urban Meyer whatever he needs in linemen, cornerbacks, and safeties so he can make another run at an SEC and national title!

In 2008 please give the Democrats, and some Republicans, who are running for re-election an "exit" pass to return to the "real world" of civilian life in exchange for the horrible job they've done since November 2006. And Santa, you KNOW what we want for Hillary!

Finally, please bring all AGO members whatever they want in the way of gifts for 2007-08 up to a limit of \$2,000. Why \$2,000? It seems like a reasonable figure!

Warmest wishes for a wonderful holiday season, and see you Rolling Hills on the 16th! - El Presidente

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Help-Please- each month players continue to place their **OFFICIAL** scorecards in the **NET SKINS box**. **Update-** We did not see this happen at Kissimmee Oaks. 2 events in a row!

ENTRY! ENTRY! READ ALL ABOUT IT! - Even if you have a credit, you must submit an entry form. No ticky, no entry. **EXCEPTION:** If you determine you can play late on or after the Wednesday cutoff, **CALL THE HOTLINE!** If you are reading this online, you probably didn't receive your newsletter because you haven't renewed your membership. If you didn't renew, you won't get a newsletter. Why? Because you are not an active member.

CALL THE HOTLINE! Also, a few players call board members stating their plans to enter. PLEASE DONT! Please **CALL THE HOTLINE!** Our dues help pay for the costs to provide the hotline, so use it. Please don't expect our directors to make a 2nd phone call on your behalf, when your 1 call to the hotline will do just fine.! Thanks.

Range balls **ARE NOT** included at Rolling Hills.
Range balls **ARE** included at Arlington Ridge.

For Sale: Beautiful set of Tour Edge Bazooka irons 3-pw, regular graphite shafts, like new and hardly used, asking \$165. A great Christmas gift! Rick Harris 407-282-4883

USGA Rules of Golf apply during all AGO events.

You will see this announcement each month:

It is never too soon to plan ahead. In May 2008, several board members will be stepping down. They will need to be replaced. Please consider volunteering just a few hours a month (really) and enjoy a few perks and benefits for the effort. Call or speak with a board member (confidentially if you wish) about becoming a director of AGO. There is no obligation if you want to just obtain some info. Basic computer skills a plus! It isn't rocket science, so lend a hand! Not enough directors = no more AGO????





\$\$ TREASURER'S CORNER \$\$

SEVERAL PEOPLE HAVE A CREDIT COMING, AS OF Nov. 25, 2007. IF YOU HAVE A CREDIT, YOU CAN DEDUCT IT FROM YOUR NEXT TOURNAMENT APPLICATION OR APPLY IT TO YOUR ANNUAL DUES. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, CALL TREASURER JOE

WINGERTER FOR ASSISTANCE AT 407-273-7798. ☺ Even if you use a credit, be sure to send in an entry form.

Amounts listed are in British Pounds...Next month...Lira....Ciao!

B. ADAMSON 41	B. CLAXTON 41	S. CLAXTON 45	W. ESHLEMAN 62
J. FRASIER 3	J.GONZALEZ 41	B. GORDON 35	M. HILL 12
C. JENSEN 6	T. KINSEY 14	T. LOPEZ 6	J. MANN 47
B. MANNING 41	T.J.MCKENZIE 14	K. MOELLER 41	T.PIMPANELLA 42
L PLATT 1	M REYNOLDS 37	M. RICE 9	R. RUSSI 17
C. SHEFFIELD 10	B. SIMPSON 13	R. WATRY 47	R. WOREL 6

Look here too -> AGO HOTLINE # IS- 407-273-7798

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

- Rolling Hills** **Sunday, Dec 16 \$40**
- Arlington Ridge** **Sunday, Jan 20 \$39 (includes range balls)**
- Wekiva** **Sunday, Feb 17 \$39 (includes range balls)**

EARLY BIRD ENTRY: Arlington Ridge, Sunday Jan 20, 2007

7:45 A.M. SHOTGUN START, FORMAT: INDIVIDUAL, 3-4 FLIGHTS. ENTRY FEE: \$39.
(GREENS FEE, RANGE BALLS, PRIZE CERTIFICATES, HOLE IN 1 POT, BLIND BOGEY, CART)

MY NAME _____ PAIR ME WITH _____

My TELEPHONE # _____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____

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~~Please cut here or die trying! -Cut on this line please cut here~~-----

EARLY BIRD ENTRY: Rolling Hills, Sunday Dec. 16, 2007

7:45 A.M. SHOTGUN START, FORMAT: INDIVIDUAL, 3-4 FLIGHTS. ENTRY FEE: \$40.
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Directions to: Rolling Hills GC

- From I-4 (Daytona, Disney, Universal Studio) Take I-4 to exit #94, Go East on SR 434 , Turn right onto Raymond Avenue, Turn left onto Carlton Street, Come down 7 streets and turn right on Andrews.
- From SR 436 (Orlando International Airport) Go North on 436, Right on Palm Springs Drive, Left on North Street, First right onto Country Club Drive, Turn left at stop sign.

<http://www.rollinghillsgolfclub.com>

TELEPHONE: (407) 831-1312

TRAVEL TIME: APPROX. 1 hour

Directions to: Arlington Ridge

Go WEST on FL-408 W / EAST-WEST EXPY (Portions toll). Take the FLORIDA'S TPKE NORTH exit toward OCALA for about 19 miles. Merge onto US-27 N / FL-25 N at EXIT 285 toward LEESBURG for about 9.5 miles. Turn LEFT onto ARLINGTON RIDGE BLVD. Follow signs to clubhouse.

<http://www.arlingtonridgefl.com>

TELEPHONE: (800) 888-3789 or (352) 728-4660

TRAVEL TIME: APPROX. 1hr.15min

TOP FIFTEEN MONEY WINNERS, 2007-2008

(Through November 2007, INCLUDES TOURNAMENT WINNINGS, CLOSEST TO THE PIN AND LOW PUTTS)

WILSON, T.	\$135	SINGHOFEN, P.	\$94	NELSON, J.	\$79
THOMPSON, D.	\$125	LOPEZ, T.	\$84	INGRAM, JU	\$78
FRAZER, MI.	\$124	WELLS, R.	\$81	MALANDRINO, S.	\$78
BEHE, R.	\$123	SWANSON, M.	\$80	GEIER, J.	\$76
BRETZ, L.	\$109	HEBEBRAND, D.	\$79	SMELSER, E.	\$68

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