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NEXT TOURNAMENT

Arlington Ridge, Sunday- February 11th, 2007

Shotgun Start at 7:45 a.m. Tournament Format Individual, Three-Four Flights. Entry Fee \$37 .00 total (includes green fees, cart, prize certificates, blind bogey, and hole-in- one pot).

Well, 2 guys are making it easy for this writer! Just copy and paste! Looking to create an AGO consecutive win record were Tim Wilson for low gross with a **73**, and Jay Nicolle with a low net of **61**. We suspect Jay has a secret potion that rejuvenates youthful golf swings, as he continues to strike the ball well. Golf swings are like riding a bike, you can remember how to do it, and after several months of play, Jay's swing is finding the groove! Congratulations and good work to you guys and the rest of the winners listed below. Next month should be a fun challenge. Arlington Ridge is a nice layout and should provide some fun golf.

RESULTS FROM Wekiva Golf Club –January 14, 2007

LOW NET: JAY NICOLLE 81 20 61 \$35

LOW GROSS: TIM WILSON 73 \$35

FLIGHT A	GROSS	HCP	NET	\$\$\$	FLIGHT B	GROSS	HCP	NET	\$\$\$
1. Jerry Fusco	73	8	65	30	1 Bobby Reighard	77	15	62	30
2. Ed Smith	76	10	66	26	2. Mike Bigley	80	16	64	26
3. Michael Rice	79	12	67	22	3. Larkin Tribou	79	15	64	22
4. Gary Miller	81	13	68	18	4. Greg Howe	80	15	65	18
5. Dan Thompson	74	5	69	16	5. Phil Knott	85	18	67	16
6. Terry Lehman	77	7	70	12	6. Larry Prill	83	15	68	12

FLIGHT C	GROSS	HCP	NET	\$\$\$	FLIGHT D	GROSS	HCP	NET	\$\$\$
1. John Atkinson	82	19	63	30	1. George Frey	92	28	64	30
2. John Ingram	83	19	64	26	2. Steve Idle	89	25	64	26
3. John Abbey	86	20	66	22	3. Mike Frazer	95	30	65	22
4. Rich Delorme	86	19	67	18	4. Larry Platt	93	27	66	18
5. Ted Kinsey	90	22	68	16	5. Sal Maladrino	90	24	66	16
6. Wen Stocksett	90	22	68	12	6. Chuck Hathaway	95	27	68	12

LOW PUTTS

John Ingram & Jay Nicolle 26 PUTTS \$5 each

CLOSEST TO THE PIN \$10 each

Bill Laufenberg # 4 2'5" Tom Hubbard # 6 14"
Jeff Danjou # 12 20' Ed Smelser # 17 5'4"

GROSS SKINS POT \$310.00 4 SKINS INDIVIDUAL PRIZE \$77.00

Tim Wilson #1 Jay Nicolle # 2 Jerry Geier #3 Mike Rice # 18

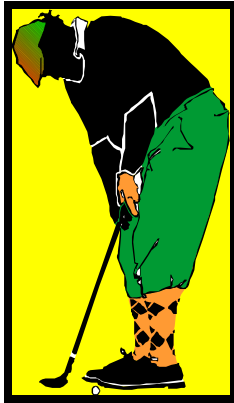
NET SKINS POT \$215.00 6 SKINS INDIVIDUAL PRIZE \$42.00

Mark Frazer ---- # 2 Ted Kinsey ---- # 6 Rick Bolton ---- #7 Lou Hutchison #12 Larkin Tribou # 13
Wen Stocksett ---- # 14

BLIND BOGEY # 73 #. OF WINNERS – 3 Individual Prize \$27.00

Mike Hill Wayne Mason Robert Simpson

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



By Rick Harris Sr.
President, AGO

With February's play at Arlington Hills we will have completed 90% of the AGO calendar year.

If you are a 1st year member, and want to be eligible for prizes in our annual championship, you must have played **AT LEAST** three times prior to the April date and during the AGO calendar year (May 2006 through March 2007)

This past month I took care of the NET skins at Wekiva. We had 43 entries but only 40 people returned their net skin card. (If you do not want to turn in your card at least let the chairman know!) The great majority of cards were WELL DONE with gross and net scores recorded properly along with your handicap next to your name AND the scorecard signed. HOWEVER, one card was so illegible the guy must have been a golf organization president. I narrowed it down to THREE guys but still don't know who it is! The good news is that I recorded the net scores and this player didn't win a skin. BUT I STILL DON'T KNOW WHO IT IS! Incidentally, the net scores were very INTERESTING to say the least...

On one par four we had SIX net two's...On one par three we had THREE net one's...We had a number of guys with handicaps in the teens who recorded 9 to 12 birdie net scores! You know what that tells me? YOUR HANDICAP IS TOO HIGH...You know what else THAT tells me? Your HANDICAP IS COMING DOWN!

We know we push to get entries in early, and we apologize for getting the newsletter out to you with little time to cut and send entry. A short gap between tournaments and transition of monthly board member tasks slightly delayed the mail out.

At the 90% completion mark I want to thank all of our AGO board members for a job well done and also welcome to our staff, a new volunteer, John Atkinson...Please give your AGO board members a kind word and let them know how much you appreciate all that they do for you by being organized and giving you a chance to play at good to outstanding courses.

In closing I'm going to steal a joke from Larry Oakley: The director of the Lamaze class for pregnant women urged them to bring their husbands to the next meeting. After stressing to all the couples about ways to improve their breathing and helping the expectant mothers in a number of ways on an everyday basis, the director said, "I can't emphasize enough about the ladies walking. Lots of walking, walk walk, walk, ALL THE TIME! There was a slight pause, and then one of the expectant fathers asked in a loud voice.

"Is it O.K. if she carry's a golf bag while she's walking?"

If you read nothing else, be sure to read below:

AGO reminders: AGO website is www.agogolf.net. Each month we expect to have pairings posted on the website by the Friday afternoon before the tournament. Handicaps will be posted by then as well. As always, changes can be made up to start of tournament.

Mark your Calendars

WE WILL BE PLAYING ON THE **2ND SUNDAY** FOR 2 MORE MONTHS. FEB AND MARCH, THEN RETURN TO OUR TYPICAL **3RD WEEKEND** STARTING IN APRIL.

Building foursomes is not allowed. You may request to play with 1 other person. We suggest you rotate amongst your friends, as we do not track how many times you were paired with him, and him, and him etc. as the year continues.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE CONTINUES. If a guest becomes a member and indicates he was referred by you on their application, you receive a credit for 1 free round with AGO for each member recruited after they join AGO!

We are looking for assistance with the **gross skins game**. Seeking 2 players who attend *almost* every AGO event, that can arrive early, and can stay a little later until last gross skin participant is in. We have had a board member perform this simple task for many years, and need to delegate this task to a committee of 1 or 2, so our board members can cover tournament duties. If you are interested contact any board member or leave name and # on our hotline. WE WILL CONTACT YOU TO PROVIDE MORE INFO.

SMART PLAY. There is no reason for a group teeing off right behind another, to come in 30-35 minutes behind! It happened. It is easy to fall behind when not thinking ready golf. Example: Your cart partner needs to locate a ball. Drop him off with clubs, drive to your ball, hit when you can, **THEN** return and help finish searching. Even if you are just a few yards away, go prepare and hit, then help finish the search. You will be amazed how easily this keeps your group moving along.

DIRECTIONS TO Arlington Ridge Golf and CC

From I-4 East take the East West (408) West to Florida Turnpike North. Go to exit 285. (Howey/Leesburg) After toll plaza, Turn right and go North on Hwy 27 for approx 9 miles. Golf course/development entrance is on left **AFTER** Plantation at Leesburg.

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

TRAVEL TIME: APPROX. 60 MIN

DIRECTIONS TO Zellwood Station GC

From I-4 and East West Expressway(408), go West 2.3 miles on 408 to exit at John Young Parkway . Head right (North) on John Young for 3.9 miles until you reach Hwy 441. Turn left at 441 toward Apopka and continue for approx 13 miles. Watch for Zellwood Station entrance on right. Pull up to guard house. Guard will provide directions to Clubhouse.

TELEPHONE **407-886-3303**

TRAVEL TIME APPROX. 45 MIN

TOP FIFTEEN MONEY WINNERS, 2006-07

(THROUGH January 2007, INCLUDES TOURNAMENT WINNINGS, CLOSEST TO THE PIN AND LOW PUTTS)

1. TIM WILSON	\$ 180	2 LARKIN TRIBOU	\$ 176	3. JOHN INGRAM	\$ 131
4. JAY NICOLLE	\$ 121	5. DAN THOMPSON	\$ 115	6. MIKE FRAZER	\$ 114
7. JERRY FUSCO	\$ 114	8. MARCUS HOGAN	\$ 111	9. LARRY BRETZ	\$ 106
10. MIKE RICE	\$ 105	11. GENE DENNY	\$ 103	12. RICH DELORME	\$ 90
13. ED HUX	\$ 88	14. JERRY ROSE	\$ 86	15. JON SCHMITT	\$ 82

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