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NEXT TOURNAMENT (PREMIER)

GRANDE PINES (FORMERLY INTERNATIONAL GC), SUN. JULY 17TH

Shotgun Start at 7:45 a.m. Tournament Format Individual. Low Net, Three or Four Flights.
Entry Fee \$46 .00 total (includes, green fees, cart, prize certificates and hole-in- one pot).

Well, we made it through June's tournament at St. Cloud GC regardless of the weather. Kudos to St. Cloud GC as it was very playable. I'm sure that there were many other courses in Central Florida that we wouldn't have been able to play on that Sunday. We had some good shooting too. Congratulations to **Tim Wilson** for winning "low gross" with a 70, and to **Larry Prill** for winning "low net" with a 61. Further congratulations to **Jeff O'Neal**, **Gerald Bruessel** and **Mark Frazer** for winning each of the individual flights. **Larkin Tribou** has forged his way to they top of the "top fifteen money winners. Way to go guys! This month we're getting the opportunity to play Grande Pines GC, formerly known as the International GC. I'm told that after extensive and expensive renovations, that those of us that haven't played it since, wouldn't know it. In any case bring your "A" games. We'll need it! Get your applications in early, and if you haven't sent your annual dues in yet, send them too. See ya, there and have a happy 4th of July. Terry

RESULTS FROM ST. CLOUD GC ON JUNE 12TH, 2005

LOW NET:	LARRY PRILL	80	19	61	\$35
LOW GROSS:	TIM WILSON			70	\$35

<u>FLIGHT A</u>	<u>GROSS HCP</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>\$\$\$</u>	<u>FLIGHT B</u>	<u>GROSS HCP</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>\$\$\$</u>		
1. Jeff O'Neal	76	12	64	\$30	1. Gerald Bruessel	83	21	62	\$30
2. Jerry Fusco	74	8	66	\$26	2. Larkin Tribou	79	17	62	\$26
3. Dan Thompson	71	5	66	\$22	3. Jeff Goddard	82	19	63	\$22
4. Michael Rice	77	11	66	\$18	4. John Abbey	85	20	65	\$18
5. Ed Durant	80	14	66	\$16	5. Justin Ingram	87	22	65	\$16
6. Jay Durant	77	11	66	\$12	6. Larry Oakley	83	17	66	\$12

<u>FLIGHT C</u>	<u>GROSS HCP</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>\$\$\$</u>	
1. Mark Frazer	94	31	63	\$30
2. Tom Hubbard	90	25	65	\$26
3. Carlos Feliciano	91	24	67	\$22
4. Fred Bandera	98	31	67	\$18
5. Ted Kinsey	91	24	67	\$16
6. Bob Graham	96	28	68	\$12

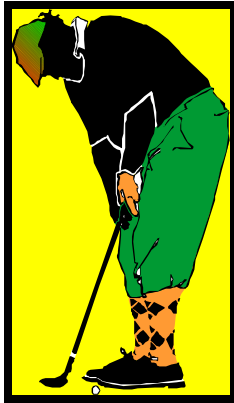
LOW PUTTS
Larkin Tribou 28putts \$10

CLOSEST TO THE PIN
Bob Graham #6 12" \$10
Tim Wilson #12 12' \$10
Dave Young #3 3'6" Beefy King
Gerald Bruessel #17 38'9" Larkin's Subs

GROSS SKINS POT \$220.00 5 SKINS INDIVIDUAL PRIZE \$44.00
Bill Corno #2 Dan McFadden #7 Dan Thompson #9 Tim Wilson #16
Jay Durant #18

NET SKINS POT 135.00 5 SKINS INDIVIDUAL PRIZE \$27.00
Michael Rice #10 & #16 Justin Ingram #11 John Abbey #15 Larry Platt #18

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



By Rick Harris Sr.
President, AGO

SHORT AND SWEET!

This month's article will be short and sweet.

1. As to SLOW PLAY. We will continue to enforce the 5 hour and 5 minute rule (or an average of 18 minutes per hole)! **IF YOUR COMPLETED SCORECARD IS TURNED IN BY 5 HOURS AND 5 MINUTES FROM THE START OF PLAY, YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED!** Play ready golf!

2. Currently we have over 90 members who have renewed their annual dues. Most of them are "CURRENT MEMBERS" with a few brand new members added in. If you want to play, you must be a "CURRENT MEMBER" WHO HAS PAID YOUR ANNUAL DUES.

3. "CANCELLATIONS" and "NO SHOWS" PRIOR to the day of tournament. The key word is "prior". If you contact us by the day BEFORE the tournament, you will receive FULL CREDIT for your entry fee and it will be applied to payment for a future tournament of your choice.

If you contact us on the day of the tournament, a penalty will be assessed from your entry fee.

If you don't contact us and are considered a NO SHOW, a more severe penalty will be assessed from your entry fee. Case in point: At St. Cloud, NINE players did not show, or call, and probably assumed that since it was raining hard in their area, that the event would be cancelled. As you can see from the front page of this Newsletter, we played and finished in hot, sunny weather. **AS A RESULT, THESE PLAYERS WILL BE ASSESSED A FINANCIAL PENALTY FROM THEIR ENTRY FEES.**

4. FINAL THOUGHT: EVERYTHING your Board does is designed to make AGO a smooth, efficient golf organization that will provide YOU with an enjoyable round of competitive golf. The rest is up to you!

DUES ARE DUE!

We've had approximately 90 of our members renew their dues so far. We've scheduled some very good golf courses through the remainder of the year. In order to play in them, however, you must have renewed your dues. The amount of the dues is \$24 for renewals, and \$29 for new members. The expiration date of your membership is shown on the label of this Newsletter. **REMINDER! DUES MUST BE PAID IN ORDER TO PLAY. SEND YOUR DUES IN WITH YOUR APPLICATION TO PLAY GRANDE PINES GC.** Many of us still have credits on the books (see page 3). If you do, or have a question, call Rick Harris (407-282-4883) for verification, and use your credits for renewal.

SLOW PLAY!

SLOW PLAY is still a problem. Rather than reprint our remarks from last month, we'd just like to reemphasize the need for speedier play. At St. Cloud GC we instituted a test policy of all players picking up their balls after they've achieved a triple bogey. All of us have at one time or another scored a 10, 11 or 12 or more on a hole. Those extra strokes do take up time.

For example, on a par four hole, if you're laying 6 and putting for a 7, take the putt. If you make it you have scored a 7. If you miss the putt, pick it up. You still score 7, but you only lose the opportunity to compete for the "low putt" prize because you picked up. On a par 3 you can score a 6. On a par 4 you can score a 7, and on a par 5, you can score an 8. If you're putting for any score higher than those, you need to pick your ball up and proceed to the next hole.

We had several members at St. Cloud that didn't pick up after achieving a triple bogey. **Effective at the Grande Pines tournament, any player that scores more than a triple bogey will be disqualified for signing an incorrect scorecard!** If there is a member of a group that doesn't adhere to this policy, they are slowing up every group that is behind them. In a shotgun field like we play, that is everybody!

CREDITS

See the following page for a list of members that have credits due them. Several of these credits have been on the books for months. You can use the credits to pay for a tournament or renew your annual dues. Contact Rick Harris at 407-282-4883 for help in this regard. **All credits must be alleviated though the August tournament at Diamond Players Club. Any that aren't will be transferred into the AGO General Fund.**



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

SEVERAL PEOPLE HAVE A CREDIT COMING TO THEM. IF YOU HAVE A CREDIT, YOU CAN DEDUCT IT FROM YOUR TOURNAMENT APPLICATION OR APPLY IT TO YOUR ANNUAL DUES. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, CALL PRESIDENT/TREASURER RICK HARRIS FOR ASSISTANCE AT 407-282-4883.

S. BACON \$35	J. DICK \$35	J. ECKENROD \$35	R. EVANS \$35
K. JONES \$35	J. RACCO \$35	C. DUNLAP \$17	W. ESHLEMAN \$85
F. BANDERA \$7	R. BATEMAN \$4	C. FELICIANO \$7	I. LOPEZ \$10
W. ARRIGALL \$29	C. FILKO \$44	B. MOMBERGER \$12	J. ROBERTS \$12
D. THOMPSON \$39	T. ROGERS \$9	R. EVANS \$9	G. MCKAIG \$1
B. LAUFENBERG \$1	C. THOMAS \$36	HANLEY \$48	G. GAINNEY \$40
T. WILSON \$1			

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING PLAYERS ALL HAVE \$2 CREDITS: S. BLACKWELL, G. BROWN, B. CHAFFEE, R. CRAIG, R. DANJOU, G. FREY, D. GAGE, M. HALFERTY, G. HOWE, M. VENABLE, J. JONES, I. LOPEZ, C. NEWTON, R. PAXSON, J. SEARCY, B. SIMPSON, R. SMITH, J. HALLIS

UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS

JULY 17 TH	GRANDE PINES (PREMIER) (FORMERLY INTERNATIONAL)	\$46
AUGUST 14 TH	DIAMOND PLAYERS CLUB AT CLERMONT	\$39
SEPTEMBER 18 TH	KISSIMMEE OAKS GC	\$36
OCTOBER 16 TH	SOLIVITA GC	\$38
NOVEMBER 20 TH	WEDGEFIELD GC	\$36

EARLY BIRD ENTRY: DIAMOND PLAYERS CLUB, SUNDAY, AUGUST 14TH

7:45 A. M. SHOTGUN START. FORMAT: INDIVIDUAL LOW NET, 3/4 FLIGHTS. ENTRY FEE: \$39.00. (GREEN FEES, CART, PRIZE CERTIFICATES, AND HOLE-IN-ONE POT).

MY NAME _____ PAIR ME WITH _____

TELEPHONE # _____ (FOR CANCELLATION/INFO CALL AGO BOARD MEMBER OR 1-866-357-6239)

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DIRECTIONS TO DIAMOND PLAYERS CLUB (CLERMONT)

From Downtown, go west on the East West Expressway (toll road) and merge onto the Florida Turnpike. Proceed another 6.2 miles to the SR 50 exit (exit 272). After exiting, turn left onto SR 50 and go about 4.3 miles to Hancock Rd. Turn right onto Hancock Rd and proceed to the clubhouse on the right.

TELEPHONE: 352-243-0411

TRAVEL TIME: APPROX. 1 HOUR

DIRECTIONS TO GRANDE PINES GC (FORMERLY INTERNATIONAL GC)

From Points East: Take Interstate 4 West to Exit 72 (528 East) to International Drive/Sea World/Convention Center (Exit 1). Turn left onto International Drive. Grande Pines Golf Club is located approximately 1.8miles on the right. **From Orlando International Airport:** Take the north exit from airport. Follow signs to SR528 West (Beeline Expressway). Exit at International Drive/Sea World/Convention Center (Exit 1). Turn left onto International Drive. Grande Pines Golf Club is located approximately 1.8 miles on the right.

TELEPHONE: 407-239-6909

TRAVEL TIME: APPROX 45 MIN.

TOP FIFTEEN MONEY WINNERS, 2005-06

(THROUGH JUNE 2005, INCLUDES TOURNAMENT WINNINGS, CLOSEST TO THE PIN AND LOW PUTTS)

1. L. TRIBOU	\$71	6. L. OAKLEY	\$38	8T. J. O'NEAL	\$30
2. D. THOMPSON	\$57	7. T. KINSEY	\$32	8T. G. BRUESSEL	\$30
3. J. FUSCO	\$52	8T. M. HOGAN	\$30	8T. M. FRAZER	\$30
4. L. PRILL	\$51	8T. J. MARSHALL	\$30	14. J. INGRAM	\$28
5. T. WILSON	\$45	8T. J. SCHMITT	\$30	15. (3 TIED)	\$26

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