

ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION YEARBOOK 2015



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AGA Presidents
(Regrettably a number of past Presidents are unknown)

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|------|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1915 | George Stuart, Montgomery/Norborne | 1967 | Tommy Nicol, Tuscaloosa |
| | R. Clarke, Mobile | 1968 | Wilson Foote, Florence |
| 1916 | Henry Seibels, Birmingham | 1969 | Joe H. King, Anniston |
| 1917 | | 1970 | Robert S. McNeely, Mobile |
| 1918 | | 1971 | James H. Brennan Jr., Dothan |
| 1919 | | 1972 | Harold Wesley, Greenville |
| 1920 | | 1973 | William F. O'Connor, Tuscaloosa |
| 1921 | A.B. (Buck) Harris, M.D., Birmingham | 1974 | Walker Reynolds Jr., M.D., Anniston |
| 1922 | | 1975 | O. B. Evans, M. D., Decatur |
| 1923 | | 1976 | B. R. Roberson, Florence |
| 1924 | | 1977 | Homer "Jug" Wright, Auburn |
| 1925 | F. Taylor Peck, Mobile | 1978 | Tom O'Melia Jr., Grove Hill |
| 1926 | Martin Sullivan | 1979 & 1980 | Jim Spader, Birmingham |
| 1927 | | 1981 & 1982 | Davis Haughton, M.D., Dothan |
| 1928 | | 1983 & 1984 | Albert Elmore, Montgomery |
| 1929 | | 1985 & 1986 | Richard Anthony, Birmingham |
| 1930 | | 1987 & 1988 | Bryan Bergeron, Huntsville |
| 1931 | | 1989 & 1990 | Hamp Greene, Montgomery |
| 1932 | | 1991 & 1992 | Art Gleason Jr., Selma |
| 1933 | | 1993 & 1994 | Ben Dowdey, M.D., Birmingham |
| 1934 | | 1995 & 1996 | Tim Turnham, Auburn |
| 1935 | | 1997 & 1998 | Barney Lanier, Birmingham |
| 1936 | | 1999 & 2000 | Barry Mullins, Tuscaloosa |
| 1937 | Sam Perry, Birmingham | 2001 & 2002 | Jerry Hynson, Mobile |
| 1938 | Sam Perry, Birmingham | 2003 & 2004 | Derrel Curry, Birmingham |
| 1939 | | 2005 & 2006 | Billy Wood, Birmingham |
| 1940 | | 2007 & 2008 | Tab Hudson, Jasper |
| 1941 | | 2009 & 2010 | David Pearce, Selma |
| 1942 | | 2011 & 2012 | George Walker, Mobile |
| 1943 | Harry Pritchett, Tuscaloosa | 2013 & 2014 | John Miller, Birmingham |
| 1944 | Harry Pritchett, Tuscaloosa | 2015 & 2016 | Cody Wesley, Greenville |
| 1945 | William McWane, Birmingham | | |
| 1946 | | | |
| 1947 | | | |
| 1948 | | | |
| 1949 | John Donovan, Birmingham | | |
| 1950 | Bob Gregory, Birmingham | | |
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| 1962 | | | |
| 1963 | | | |
| 1964 | | | |
| 1965 | | | |
| 1966 | Philip (Buddy) Moss, M.D., Selma | | |

Served as President, but year(s) unknown:

C.T. Fairbairn, Birmingham
S.L. Yerkes, Birmingham
Preston Watson, Montgomery
Neal Collins, Montgomery
Robert Lowry Jr., Huntsville (Two terms)
Newton Allen, M.D., Selma (Two terms)
Donald Smith, Mobile
Henry Perkerson, Anniston
Elbert Jemison Jr., Birmingham (Two terms)
Johnny Thames, Montgomery
Horace Horner, Montgomery
Crawford Rainwater, Pensacola
Robert Graves, M.D., Gadsden
R.R. (Red) Coats, Montgomery
Allen Thames, Montgomery
Abner Powell III, Andalusia
Gordon Smith Jr., Mobile (Three terms)

List of WAGA Presidents

| | |
|-----------|--|
| 1929-1951 | Mrs. David Roberts Jr. (Sadie), Birmingham |
| 1952 | Mrs. Julius Hagerty (Ione), Anniston |
| 1953 | Mrs. Louie Reese (Nell), Birmingham |
| 1954-56 | Mrs. Harry Webb (Marty), Huntsville |
| 1957 | Mrs. W.K. Mayson (Lillian), Mobile |
| 1958-59 | Mrs. Martin Anderson (Helen), Birmingham |
| 1960 | Mrs. Sam Upchurch (Ann), Birmingham |
| 1961 | Mrs. H.O. Wolfe (Bess), Mobile |
| 1962 | Mrs. C.H. Chichester Jr. (Betty), Birmingham |
| 1963-64 | Mrs. L.L. Shertzer Jr. (Sally), Montgomery |
| 1965 | Mrs. S.T. Till (Alice), Montgomery |
| 1966 | Mrs. Walker Mattison (Thelma), Birmingham |
| 1967-68 | Mrs. Robert M. Whiting (Sue), Mobile |
| 1969-70 | Mrs. B.G. Gilmer (Jean), Mobile |
| 1971-72 | Mrs. Russell B. Sell (Jeannette), Birmingham |
| 1973-74 | Mrs. James L. Edmondson (Faye), Huntsville |
| 1975-76 | Mrs. James Horton (Betty), Guntersville |
| 1977-78 | Mrs. Ruth Bridges, Huntsville |
| 1979-80 | Mrs. Edwin L. Scott (Sherry), Mobile |
| 1981-82 | Mrs. Roy B. Smalley (Helen), Birmingham |
| 1983-84 | Mrs. Malcolm Smith Jr. (Baker), Birmingham |
| 1985-86 | Mrs. Frederick Haidt Jr. (Joanne), Mobile |
| 1987-88 | Mrs. John Beavers (Virginia), Huntsville |
| 1989-90 | Mrs. D. Lawrence Faulkner (Patty), Birmingham |
| 1991-92 | Mrs. Jesse E. Miller (Jean), Birmingham |
| 1993-94 | Mrs. James Taylor (Judy), Huntsville |
| 1995-96 | Mrs. James C. Gray Jr. (Mary Dean), Birmingham |
| 1997-98 | Mrs. John Solomon (Janie), Dothan |
| 1999-2000 | Mrs. Kenneth Mardick (Janet), Birmingham |
| 2001-02 | Mrs. Claude Songy (Audrey), Huntsville |
| 2003-04 | Mrs. Randall Haines (Janet), Birmingham |
| 2005-06 | Mrs. J. Richard Walker (Helen), Birmingham |
| 2007-10 | Mrs. William A. Lell (Carol), Birmingham |

List of AGA Officers & Directors

Executive Committee Members

President:

Cody Wesley, Greenville

Vice-President:

Grantland Rice III, Birmingham

Secretary/Treasurer:

Carol Lell, Birmingham

Derrel Curry, Birmingham

Walker Grant, Montgomery

Steve Hudson, Birmingham

John Miller IV, Birmingham

ADAMS, BILL

Dothan

1989 Director

ALLEN, NEWTON, D.D.S.

Montgomery

President (Date Unknown)

Director Emeritus (Date Unknown)

ALLGOOD, ALAN

Fairhope

2013-2015 Director

ANTHONY, RICHARD E.

Birmingham

????-1982 Director

1983-1984 Vice-President

1985-1986 President

1987-1996 Director

1997 Director Emeritus

ASHWANDER, WALTON

Decatur

1992-1993 Director

BARNES, ROCKY

Montgomery

1995-2001 Director

BELSER, W. WARREN

Birmingham

1995-1999 Director

BERGERON, BRYAN F., JR.

Huntsville

1981-1984 Director

1985-1986 Vice-President

1987-1988 President

1989-2004 Director

2005 Director Emeritus

BERRY, JAN

Madison

2012-2015 Director

BRADLEY, FLIP

Huntsville

1998-2015 Director

BRENNAN, JAMES H., JR.

Dothan

????-1970 Director

1971 President

1971-1983 Director

1984 Director Emeritus

Deceased

CLARKE, NORTORNE R.

Mobile

(Dates Unknown) Director

COATES, R. R. (Red)

Montgomery

????-1979 Director

President (Date Unknown)

1980 Director Emeritus

COLLINS, NEAL

Montgomery

President (Date Unknown)

CURRY, DERREL G.

Birmingham

1993-1998 Director

1999-2000 Secretary/Treasurer

2001-2002 Vice-President

2003-2004 President

2003-2015 Director

DAVIS, AUSTIN

Birmingham

2008-2015 Director

DONOVAN, JOHN

Birmingham

1949 President

DOVE, EARL

Dothan

1983-1985 Director

DOWDEY, BENJAMIN C., M.D.

Birmingham

1984-1990 Director

1991-1992 Vice-President

1993-1994 President

1995-2000 Director

2001 Director Emeritus

DRUMMOND, PATRICK

Birmingham

2010-2015 Director

DZWONKOWSKI, JOEY

Mobile

2008-2015 Director

ELMORE, ALBERT

Montgomery

????-1980 Director

1981-1982 Vice-President

1983-1984 President

1985-1990 Director

1991 Director Emeritus

EVANS, O. B., M.D.

Gulf Shores

????-1974 Director

1975 President

1976-1986 Director

1987 Director Emeritus

Deceased

FAIRBURN, C. T.

Birmingham

President (Date Unknown)

FITE, FREEMAN

Anniston

2011-2015 Director

FOOTE, WILSON

Florence

????-1967 Director

1968 President

1969-1978 Director

1979 Director Emeritus

GLEASON, ART, JR.

Selma

1983-1988 Director

1989-1990 Vice-President

1991-1992 President

1993-2006 Director

Deceased

GRANT, WALKER

Montgomery

2008-2015 Director

GRAVES, ROBERT, M.D.

Gadsden

????-1986 Director

President (Date Unknown)

1987 Director Emeritus

Deceased

GREENE, HAMP, M.D.
Montgomery
1982-1986 Director
1987-1988 Vice-President
1989-1990 President
1991-2009 Director
2010 Director Emeritus

GREGORY, BOB
Birmingham
1950 President

GRIGGS, THOMAS M., M.D.
Huntsville
1992-1995 Director

HAMILTON, ERIC
Birmingham
1995-2011 Director

HARRIS, A. B. (Buck)
Birmingham
1921 President

HARRIS, W. MARK
Montgomery
1995-2005 Director

HARTWIGER, KATHY
Birmingham
2010-2015 Director

HAUGHTON, DAVIS, M.D.
Dothan
????-1978 Director
1979-1980 Vice-President
1981-1982 President
1983-1986 Director
1987 Director Emeritus

HODGSON, ROBERT H.
Montgomery
1986-1988 Director

HOLDER, BRINSON
Point Clear
2015 Director

HORNER, HORACE
Montgomery
President (Date Unknown)

HOWELL, HOYT W. (Chip)
Anniston
1984-2015 Director

HUDSON, STEVE M.
Birmingham
1995-2015 Director

HUDSON, TRAVIS, II
Jasper
1992-2002 Director
2003-2004 Secretary/Treasurer
2005-2006 Vice-President
2007-2008 President
2009-2015 Director

HYNSON, GERALD R., D.M.D.
Mobile
1986-1998 Director
1999-2000 Secretary/Treasurer
2001-2002 Vice-President
2003-2004 President
2005-2009 Director
2010 Director Emeritus
Deceased

JAMISON, CARL T.
Tuscaloosa
1992-2010 Director

JEMISON, ELBERT
Birmingham
????-1993 Director
President (Two Terms Dates Unknown)
1994 Director Emeritus
Deceased

JONES, AL
Decatur
????-1983 Director

JONES, THOMAS A., JR.
Ft. Payne
1986-1996 Director

KELLUM, SHARON
Leeds
2015 Director

KING, JOE H.
Birmingham
????-1968 Director
1969 President
????-1985 Executive Director
1986-1993 Director
1994 Director Emeritus
Deceased

KING, LUCIE, M.D.
Tuscaloosa
2010-2015

KNISELEY, LARRY
Daphne
2009-2015 Director

LANIER, L. B. (Barney)
Birmingham
1988-1992 Director

1993-1994 Secretary/Treasurer
1995-1996 Vice-President
1997-1998 President
1999-2015 Director

LELL, CAROL
Birmingham
2010-2014 Director
2015 Secretary/Treasurer

LEWIS, WILLIAM (Bill)
Greenville
1998-2015 Director

LOWE, MARVIN LYNN
Gadsden
1991-2015 Director

LOWRY, ROBERT (Bob), JR.
Huntsville
????-1977 Director
1978 President
1979-1988 Director
1989 Director Emeritus
Deceased

MARR, CHRIS
Mobile
2010-2015 Director

MCCARTY, BUFORD
Birmingham
1984-1985 Director
1986-2015 Executive Director

MCGOWIN, WILLIAM (Bill) C.
Montgomery
2012-2015 Director

MCNEELY, ROBERT S. (Bobby)
Mobile
????-1969 Director
1970 President
1971-1989 Director
1990 Director Emeritus

MCWANE, WILLIAM
Birmingham
1945 President

MILLER, JOHN
Birmingham
2005-2008 Director
2009-2010 Secretary/Treasurer
2011-2012 Vice-President
2013-2014 President
2015 Director

List of AGA Officers & Directors (Continued)

MOSS, PHILLIP B. (Buddy), M.D.
Selma
???-1965 Director
1966 President
1967-1986 Director
1987 Director Emeritus
Deceased

MULLINS, BARRY L.
Tuscaloosa
1988-1994 Director
1995-1996 Secretary/Treasurer
1997-1998 Vice-President
1999-2000 President
1999-2009 Director
2010 Director Emeritus
Deceased

NICHOL, THOMAS H.
Alexander City
???-1966 Director
1967 President
1968-1978 Director
1979 Director Emeritus

O'CONNOR, WILLIAM F.
Tuscaloosa
???-1972 Director
1973 President
1974-1988 Director
1989 Director Emeritus
Deceased

O'MELIA, TOM, JR.
Grove Hill
???-1976 Director
1977 Vice-President
1978 President
1979-2008 Director
2008 Director Emeritus

PEARCE, DAVID Y.
Selma
1991-2004 Director
2005-2006 Secretary/Treasurer
2007-2008 Vice-President
2009-2010 President
2011-2015 Director

PECK, F. TAYLOR
Mobile
1925 President

PERKERSON, HENRY
Anniston
President (Date Unknown)

PERRY, SAM
Birmingham
1937-1938 President

POWELL, ABNER
Andalusia
President (Date Unknown)

POWELL, RILEY
Andalusia
1998-2000 Director

PRITCHETT, HARRY
Tuscaloosa
1943-1944 President
1979 Director Emeritus

RAINES, SUE
Florence
2015 Director

RAINWATER, CRAWFORD
Pensacola
President (Date Unknown)

REYNOLDS, WALKER, JR., M.D.
Anniston
???-1973 Director
1974 President
1975-1986 Director
1987 Director Emeritus
Deceased

RICE, GRANTLAND, III
2000-2012 Director
2013-2014 Secretary/Treasurer
2015 Vice-President

ROBERSON, B. R.
Florence
???-1975 Director
1976 President
1977-1991 Director
1992 Director Emeritus

ROBERTS, B. T.
Mobile
1993-1998 Director

SANTA ROSSA, SANDY
Gulf Shores
2010-2015

SEIBELS, HENRY
Birmingham
1916 President

SHERLIN, STAN
Montgomery
2008-2015 Director

SMITH, DONALD
Mobile

President (Date Unknown)

SMITH, GORDON
Mobile
President (Date Unknown)
1979 Director Emeritus

SPADER, JAMES K., JR.
Birmingham
???-1977 Director
1978 Vice-President
1979-1980 President
1981-1991 Director
1992 Director Emeritus
Deceased

STEPHENS, FRED A.
Birmingham
1989-1998 Director
1999-2009 AGA Staff
2010 Director Emeritus

STUART, GEORGE
Montgomery
1915 President

SULLIVAN, MARTIN
(City Unknown)
1926 President

SWIFT, WILL
Birmingham
2010-2015 Director

TEEL, JIM
Auburn
20105 Director

THAMES, ALLYN M.
Montgomery
???-1988 Director
President (Date Unknown)
1979 Director Emeritus

THAMES, JOHNNY
Montgomery
President (Date Unknown)

TURNHAM, TIMOTHY N.
Auburn
1988-1992 Director
1993-1994 Vice-President
1995-1996 President
1997-2007 Director
2008 Director Emeritus

VANN, SAM
Dothan
2014-2015 Director

List of AGA Officers & Directors (Continued)

VINES, FRANK W., JR.
Birmingham
1988-1996 Director

WALKER, A. M. (Buddy)
Tuscaloosa
1984-1991
1992 Director Emeritus
Deceased

WALKER, GEORGE
Mobile
1996-2006 Director
2007-2008 Secretary/Treasurer
2009-2010 Vice-President
2011-2012 President
2013-2015 Director

WATSON, PRESTON
Montgomery
President (Date Unknown)

WESLEY, CODY
Greenville
1995-2010 Director
2011-2012 Secretary/Treasurer
2013-2014 Vice-President
2015 President
WESLEY, HAROLD
Greenville

???-1971 Director
1972 President
1973-1990 Director
1991 Director Emeritus
Deceased

WESSON, JIM
Florence
1993-2012 Director

WEST, SUSAN
Tuscaloosa
2015 Director

WOOD, WILLIAM T.
Birmingham
1988-2000 Director
2001-2002 Secretary/Treasurer
2003-2004 Vice-President
2005-2006 President
2007-2013 Director
2014 Director Emeritus

WRIGHT, HOMER (Jug)
Auburn
???-1976 Director
1977 President
1978-1986 Director
1987 Director Emeritus
Deceased

WRIGHT, JOHN D.
Gulf Shores
1989-2009 Director

YERKES, S. L.
Birmingham
President (Date Unknown)

ZARRA, MICKEY
Birmingham
2008-2011

INCUMBENT = BOLD

Alabama Golf Association Staff
Executive Director:
Andy Priest
Director of Rules & Competitions/
Course Rating:
Brian Scheufler
Manager of Office Facilities &
GHIN:
Donna Stephens
Director of Women's Golf/
Sustaining Member's Club:
Adam Powell
Assistant Office Manager/
Director of Social Media:
Emily Pool

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009

Mrs. Mary Jane Abercromie
Gulf Shores
1989-1992 Ratings Director

Mrs. Charles Adcox (Betty)
Jasper
1973 Vice President

Mrs. Robert Agee
Decatur
1977-1978 Area 1 Director

Mrs. R.E. Allison (Cynthia)
Selma
1984-1985 Area 3 Director

Mrs. Bryan Alloway (Becky)
Dothan
2001 Host Director

Mrs. Martin Anderson (Helen)
Birmingham
1958-1959 President
1952-1953 Secretary/Treasurer
Deceased

Mrs. Charles Arendall
Mobile
Director circa 1950's

Miss Minnie Lee Ashley
Gadsden
1954-1955 Director

Mrs. Bill Atchley (Debbie)
Birmingham
2005-2007 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Arthur Bagby (Bushie)
Birmingham
1958-1959 Director

Mrs. Bruno Baggio (Kathy)
Birmingham
2000-2002 Area 2 Director

Mrs. J.C. Bailey (Avis)
Centreville
1990-1991 Area 3 Director

Mrs. Gary Baker (Rita)
Decatur
1993-1995 Area 1 Director
2002-2003 Senior Director
2005-2007 Area 1 Director

Mrs. M. A. Bane
Tuscaloosa
1970-1972 Handicap Director (South)

Mrs. William Barnes (Coquette)
Birmingham
1993-1994 Area 3 Director

Mrs. Sherrill Hare Barnett
Birmingham
2003-2004 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Ethel F. Barrineau
Demopolis
1972-1973 Junior Director

Mrs. John Beavers (Virginia)
Huntsville
1981-1982 Area 1 Director
1986 Host Director
1987-1988 President
1989 Past President
1990 Director

Mrs. George Beckman
Mobile
1954 Director

Mrs. Rick Bendinger (Suzanne)
Headland
2004-2006 Area 6 Director

Ms. Jan Berry
Madison
2008-2009 Stroke Play Director
2009 Ratings and Handicap Director

Mrs. Dale Bishop (Joann)
Mobile
1985 Secretary

Mrs. Stanly Bobbitt
Anniston
Director circa 1930's

Mrs. E. A. Bornfleth
Mobile
1982 Host Director

Mrs. Robert Brackin (Bee)
Andalusia
1976 Host Director

Mrs. Max Bradshaw
Decatur
1975 Host Director

Mrs. Robert Brackin (Bee)
Andalusia
Director Unknown

Mrs. W.A. Branham (Peggy)
Birmingham
1984-1985 Treasurer

Mrs. Jack K. Bridges (Ruth)
Huntsville
1975-1976 Secretary
1977-1978 President
1979-1980 Director
Deceased

Mrs. Sam Byrd (Rae)
Birmingham
1966 Vice President

Mrs. Edwin S. Bryan (Bonnie)
Florence
1973-1974 Rules Director
1983-1984 Area 1 Director

Mrs. Grover Burchfield, Jr.
Tuscaloosa
1982-1983 Area 2 Director
1983 Senior Director

Mrs. James Burkett (Mary Anne)
Dothan
2001-2003 Area 6 Director

Mrs. W.E. Burton
Tuscaloosa
1953 Director

Mrs. Gilbert Burton
Mobile
Director Unknown

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Mrs. Gillette Burton

Mobile
1953 Director

Mrs. Gerry Cabaniss (Hilary)

Mobile
1992 Host Director

**Mrs. A Catlin Cade, III (Martha)
(Mrs. Don Hays)**

Tuscaloosa
1973 Host Director
1974-1975 Vice President

Mrs. Edward L. Cain (Warren)

Birmingham
2004-2006 Area 3 Director
2008-2009 Junior Director
2007 Vice President
2007 Host Director

Miss Imogene V. Carroll, MD

Tuscaloosa
1973 Handicap Director (North)

Mrs. James E. Chappell (Carolyn)

Birmingham
1986 Ratings Director
Deceased

Mrs. Mary Chappell

Unknown

Mrs. Hop Chichester, Jr. (Betty)

Birmingham
1962 President
1963 Director
Deceased

Mrs. William Clancy (Kathy)

Birmingham
2003 Host Director

Mrs. George R. Clark

Birmingham
1963 Director
1966 Secretary/Treasurer
1968-1972 Treasurer

Mrs. Thornton Clark

Montgomery
1929-1930 Director

Mrs. Larry Clayton (Cathy)

Helena
2008 Host Director

Mrs. Marc Ray Clement

Tuscaloosa
1964 Director

Mrs. B. Cockrell

Gadsden
Director circa 1930's

Mrs. Joseph L. Cobb (Betty)

Birmingham
1982-1983 Vice-President
Deceased

Mrs. Willam E. Cooper, Jr.

Mobile
1973-1974 Handicap Director (South)

Mrs. Bill Cope (Ann)

Birmingham
1986- 1987 Area 2 Director
Deceased

Mrs. E.A. Coppjenjans (Vee)

Mobile
1990 Host Director

Mrs. Charles Cornell

Birmingham
Director circa 1930's

Mrs. R.L. Cosby (Shirley)

Birmingham
1997- 1998 Ratings/Handicap Director
Deceased

Mrs. James Couey (Shirley)

Montrose
1993-1996 Rules Director

Mrs. Zollie S. Cowart, Jr.

Calera
1976-1977 Area 2 Director
1978-1979 Junior Director

Miss Jane Cullpepper

Mobile
1985-1986 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Wayne Culpepper (Sandra)

Dothan
1989-1990 Area 4 Director
1993 Classic Director

Mrs. Ouida T. Cunningham

Birmingham
1981-1983 Rating Director
Deceased 2015

Mrs. Larry Curry Sr.

Birmingham
1992-1994 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Anne Daniels

Birmingham
2007 Area 3 Director

Mrs. J.R. DeOvies

Mobile
1969-1970 Secretary

Mrs. Robert Dethlefs

Anniston
Director circa 1950's

Mrs. William Deyo

Anniston
Director Unknown

Mrs. A.F. DeVan (Mattie)

Mobile
1958 Director
1962 Vice President

Mrs. J.M. Donald

Birmingham
Director Unknown

Mrs. Mari Dunbrack

Gulf Shores
1988-1991 Treasurer
1992-1993 Senior Director
1996-1997 Treasurer

Mrs. James Early (Mary)

Dauphine Island
1988-1989 Senior Director

Mrs. Edward T. Ebert

Birmingham
1962 Secretary/Treasurer

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Miss Dollye Edmondson
Anniston
1981 Host Director

Mrs. James L. Edmondson (Faye)
Huntsville
1971 Handicap Director (North)
1973-1974 President
1975-1976 Director
Deceased 2009

Mrs. Conway Ellers (Gloria)
Enterprise
1977-1978 Area 4 Director

Mrs. James W. Ellis (Sid)
Huntsville
1997-1998 Area 1 Director
2001 Area 1 Director
2002-2003 Treasurer

Mrs. D. Lawrence Faulkner (Patty)
Birmingham
1976-1977 Junior Director
1989-1990 President
1991 Past President

Mrs. Charles Ferguson (Liz)
Wetumpka
1994-1996 Area 4 Director

Mrs. A.F. Flowers, Jr. (Marie)
Dothan
Vice-President 1954

Miss Eleanor Frazier
Mobile
1981-1982 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Sam Friedman
Tuscaloosa
1929-1930 Director

Mrs. Lester.G. Fischer
Montgomery
1957 Director
1962 Director
1963-1964 Junior Director

Ruth Garrison
Tuscaloosa
1967-1968 Junior Director

Mrs. Roy Gavin (Nancy)
Jackson's Gap
2006-2008 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Arthur B. Gerber
Anniston
1929-1930 Vice President

Mrs. B.G. Gilmer (Jean)
Mobile
1967 Vice President
1968 President Elect
1969-1970 President
1971 Director
1975 Senior Director
Deceased 2008

Mrs. Edwin Goodhue
Gadsden
Director Unknown

Mrs. James C. Gray, Jr. (Mary Dean)
Birmingham
1989 Host Director
1990-1991 Senior Director
1992-1993 Vice-President
1994 President Elect
1995-1996 President
1997 Past President

Mrs. Frank Grigg
Scottsboro
1957 & 1960 Director

Mrs. Ben Grimes (Virginia)
Montgomery
1996-1997 Junior Director

Mrs. Julius Hagerty (Ione)
Anniston
1952 President
1953 Director
1958 Director
Deceased 1973

Mrs. Frederick Haidt, Jr. (Joanne)
Mobile
1980 Junior Director
1981-1982 Rules Director
1985-1986 President
1987-1988 Director

Mrs. Randall Haines (Janet)
Birmingham
1991-1992 Secretary
1994-1995 Senior Director
1999-2002 Rules Director
2002 President Elect
2003- 2004 President
2005 Past President
20007-2008 Rules Director

Mrs. Ellis C. Hallmark (Helen)
Birmingham
1983 Host Director
1984-1985 Area 2 Director
1987-1988 Rules Director

Mrs. Howard Hallmark (Bobbie)
Birmingham
1980-1981 Area 2 Director
1985 Host Director

Mrs. Howard Ham (Betty)
Andalusia
2000-01 Senior Director
Deceased 2001

Mrs. Fred Hammers
Huntsville
1977 Host Director

Mrs. Eddie Hammons (Shirley)
Somerville
1991-1992 Area 1 Director

Mrs. James Harris (Sue)
Mobile
1990 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Chris Hartwiger (Kathy)
Birmingham
1998-2000 Area 3 Director
2008-2009 Four-Ball Director

Mrs. John Hauth
Huntsville
1972 Host Director

Mrs. Ken Hawkins (Marilyn)
Wetumpka
2003-2005 Area 4 Director
2006-2007 Junior Director

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Mrs. Ted Hazen (Sarah)
 Chatom
 2002-2004 Area 5 Director
 2005-2006 Rules Director
 2007-2009 WAGA Tales Editor
 2009 Rules Director

BG (Ret.) Millie Hedberg
 Montgomery
 1992-1993 Treasurer

Mrs. John Herring (Barbara)
 Montgomery
 1991 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Carl Hess (Netti)
 Birmingham
 1929-1930 Director
 1958 Director

Mrs. Jerry Higdon (Becky)
 Birmingham
 1999 Host Director

Miss Stone Hodo
 Marion
 1976-1979 Treasurer
 Deceased 2005

Mrs. Jack Holland (Gloria)
 Dothan
 1971 Host Director

Mrs. A.F. Holley
 Brewton
 1955 Director

Mrs. Heide Holmes
 Huntsville
 1987-1988 Secretary

Mrs. John Hope
 Montgomery
 1987 Host Director

Mrs. Max Hooper (Jane)
 Birmingham
 1997-2006 WAGA TALES Editor

Mrs. James Horton, Jr. (Betty)
 Guntersville
 1973 -1974 Secretary
 1975-1976 President
 1977-1978 Director
 Deceased 1985

Mrs. George Houston (Linda)
 Gulf Shores
 2004-2007 Stroke Play Director
 2008-2009 Senior Director

Miss Lillian Howard
 Dadeville
 1986-1987 Senior Director

Mrs. Homer Howell
 Montgomery
 Director Unknown

Mrs. David James (Cynnie)
 Opelika
 1997-1998 Host Director
 2000-2001 Stroke Play Director

Mrs. Crawford Johnson, Jr.
 Birmingham
 1935-1936 Vice President

Mrs. Crawford Johnson, III (Din)
 Birmingham
 1960 Secretary/Treasurer

Mrs. Harold Johnson
 Gadsden
 1960 Vice-President
 1964 Director

Mrs. Cary Jordan
 Gadsden
 1931-1932 Vice President

Mrs. Frank Kane (Joyce)
 Huntsville
 1977-1978 Secretary

Mrs. Hugh Karl
 Birmingham
 Director Unknown

Mrs. Vic Kellum (Sharon)
 Leeds
 2006 - 2007 Senior Director
 2008-2009 Area 3 Director

Mrs. J. W. Kelly (Monica)
 Birmingham
 1993-1996 Secretary

Mrs. Wendall W. Kennard
 Birmingham
 1970-1971 Secretary

Mrs. Richard Kennedy, Jr.
 Birmingham
 1966 Junior Director

Mrs. Oscar Kilby
 Anniston
 Director Unknown

Dr. Lucie King
 Tuscaloosa
 2009 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Julie Kirk
 Daphne
 2009 Secretary

Mrs. Loren Knepp (Katie)
 Dadeville
 1983-1984 Secretary
 1997-1999 Area 4 Director

Mrs. Alan Knox
 Mobile
 Director circa 1930's

Mrs. E. A. Kremer
 Tuscaloosa
 1980 Host Director

Mrs. A. James Kurtts (Gloria)
 Birmingham
 1985-1986 Rules Director
 1989-1990 Secretary
 Deceased

Mrs. Herman Lance (Beverly)
 Birmingham
 2001-2002 Secretary

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Mrs. W.R. Lathrop
Birmingham
1929-1930 Secretary/Treasurer

Mrs. John Lefler
Gadsden
1995 Area 3 Director

Mrs. William A. Lell (Carol)
Birmingham
2001-2003 Area 3 Director
2004-2005 Junior Director
2006 President Elect
2007-2010 President

Ms. Earline Locke
Mobile
2009 Area 5 Director

Mrs. Joseph Locke
Mobile
Director circa 1960's

Mrs. Ken Lowe (Nancy)
Mobile
2004 Host Director
2005 - 2008 Secretary

Mrs. John Lyford, III
Montgomery
1970-1971 Junior Director

Mrs. Frank Lynch
Gadsden
Director circa 1930's

Mrs. Fred Makismowski (Marie)
Huntsville
2004-2005 Senior Director

Mrs. George P. Mann (Lucretia)
Opelika
1998-1999 Stroke Play Director
2000-01 Vice President

Mrs. Kenneth Mardick (Janet)
Birmingham
1994-1995 Stroke Play Director
1996-1997 Senior Director
1998- President Elect
1999-2000-President
2001-Past President
2003-2004 Rules Director

Mrs. Lee Marbury
Birmingham
1959 Secretary/Treasurer

Mrs. Thomas M. Marr (Chris)
Mobile
1993 Founding WAGA
Scholarship Trustee
1993-1995 Area 5 Director
1996- 1997 Vice President

Mrs. F. Ivan Matthews
Birmingham
1963 Vice-President

Mrs. J. A. Mathews (Betty)
Birmingham
1996-1997 Area 3 Directo

Mrs. Walker Mattison (Thelma)
Birmingham
1962 Director
1966 President
1967-1968 Director
1975-1976 & 1985 Ratings Director
Deceased 2012

Mrs. Edmund May
Tuscaloosa
Director Unknown

Mrs. T.D. Maybank
Anniston
Director Unknown

Mrs. W.K. Mayson (Lillian)
Mobile
1955 Vice President
1957 President
Deceased

Mrs. Hal McCall (Neva)
Tuscaloosa
1966-1967 Rules Director

**Miss Joy McCann
(Mrs. Hugh Culverhouse)**
Montgomery
Director circa 1940's

Mrs. Henry McCrary
Birmingham
1936-37 Secretary/Treasurer

**Miss Eunice McCreary
(Mrs. H.Manning Phillips)**
Mobile
Director Unknown

Mrs. Jim McCrory (Betty)
Birmingham
2002 Host Director
2006 Vice President

Miss Mary McCutcheon
Jasper
1958-1959 Director

Mrs. William McDaniel (Joan)
Birmingham
1991 Host Director
Deceased

Miss Bee McWane (Reid)
Birmingham
1953-1954 Director

Mrs. William McWane (Louise)
Birmingham
Director circa 1950's
Deceased

Ann Medley
Dothan
2009 Area 6 Director
Deceased

Mrs. M.G. Merklin
Mobile
1976-1977 Rules Director

Mrs. Malan Merritt (Jeanette)
Dothan
1978 Host Director
1980-1981 Senior Director

Mrs. Bing Miller (Jo Ann)
Mobile
1998-2001 Area 5 Director
2002-2003 Stroke Play Director

Mrs. Gordon Miller
Tuscaloosa
1953 Vice President
1955 Director
1958-1960 Director

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Mrs. Horace Miller
Anniston
1929-1930 Director

Mrs. Jesse E. Miller (Jean)
Birmingham
1976 Host Director
1978-1979 Vice- President
1989-1990 Rules Director
1991-1992 President
1993 Past President
1993 Founding WAGA Scholarship Trustee
Deceased 2015

Mrs. Raymond Miller
Birmingham
1978-1979 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Aubrey L. Mills
Andalusia
1975-1976 Handicap Director (South)
1976 Area 4 Director
1980-1981 Vice President
1984 Ratings Director

Mrs. Dianne Mills
Muscle Shoals
2005 Host Director

Alyson Mitchell (Stuart)
Troy
2008 WAGA Intern
2009 WAGA Executive Director

Mrs. Pete Mixon (Betty)
Dothan
1968 -1970 Rules Director

Mrs. Sam Mogilner
Birmingham
1958 Secretary/Treasurer

Ms. Melissa Motley
Auburn
2004-2005 Treasurer

Mrs. M. E. Moor
Birmingham
Director Unknown

Mrs. A.G. Morton
Birmingham
Director Unknown

Mrs. Gordon R. Mullen (Carolyn)
Ozark
1993-1994 Area 6 Director
1997-1998 Rules Director

Mrs. Michael Mullen (Alice)
Troy
1993-1996 Ratings/Handicap Director
2002-2003 Junior Director
2004-2005 Vice President
2007-2008 Area 6 Director

Mrs. Chris Nail (Jaycelyn)
Birmingham
1990-1991 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Ralph Nichols (Lucile)
Dothan
1957 Director

Mrs. Curtis Nordan
Montgomery
Director circa 1950's

Mrs. Francis Oelerich (Anita)
Eufaula
1998-2000 Area 6 Director

Mrs. J.N. Ogden
Mobile
1957 Secretary/Treasurer

Mrs. James L. O'Neill
Mobile
1974 Host Director

Mrs. John Outlaw
Bayou La Batre
1979-1980
1983-1984 Rules Director

Mrs. John W. Overton, Jr.
Montgomery
1963 Secretary/Treasurer

Mrs. Dave Ozment (Phyllis)
Vinemont
1996 Area 1 Director

Mrs. Taylor Peck
Mobile
Director circa 1940's

Mrs. A.E. Petri
Gadsden
Director circa 1960's

Mrs. J.O. Pierson (Terry)
Monroeville
1996-1997 Area 5 Director
1998-2001 Treasurer

Mrs. Robert Powell
Huntsville
1962 Director

Mrs. Lance Price
Florence
1970 Host Director

Mrs. William Raines (Sue)
Florence
2008-2009 Area 1 Director

Mrs. William A. Rawls (Betty)
Gulf Shores
1984 Host Director

Mrs. Harold Raynor (Barbara)
Gulf Shores
1994-1995 Treasurer

Mrs. Josiah F. Reed, Jr.
Montgomery
1978-1979 Area 3 Director

Mrs. Louie Reese, Jr. (Nell)
Birmingham
1953 President
Deceased 1993

Mrs. R.J. Reynolds (Louise)
Birmingham
1999-2002 Ratings/Handicap Director

Mrs. Sam Reynolds
Anniston
Director Unknown

Mrs. O.P. Richardson
Montgomery
1980-1983 Treasurer

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Mrs. Daniel Roberts, Jr.
Birmingham
1957 Director

Mrs. David Roberts, Jr. (Sadie G.)
Birmingham
1929-1951 President and Founder
1952-1988 Honorary Life Time Director
Deceased 1988

Mrs. Harry Roberts (Lois)
Dadeville
1984-1985 Senior Director
1986-1987 Vice- President

Mrs. Frank Roos
(Mrs. Robert Cooper)
Mobile
Director circa 1950's

Mrs. Allan Rowe (Alvis)
Birmingham
1959 Vice- President
Deceased

Mrs. Ann Rucks
Lanett
1976-1977 Senior Director
Deceased

Mrs. Donnie Russell, Jr. (Cherry)
Selma
1986-1987 Area 3 Director
1988-1989 Junior Director

Mrs. Leon Sanders (Bobbe)
Birmingham
1988-1989 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Bruno Santa Rossa (Sandy)
Orange Beach
2003-2004 Secretary
2005-2007 Area 5 Director
2008-2009 Vice-President

Mrs. Russell B. Sell (Jeannette)
Birmingham
1971-1972 President
1973 Founded Senior Championship
1974 Director

Mrs. Edwin L. Scott (Sherry)
Mobile
1973 - 1975 Treasurer
1976-1977 Vice President
1978 Rules Director
1979-1980 President
1981-1982 Director

Mrs. Calvin Seales (Brenda)
Anniston
1993 Host Director

Mrs. J. Roscoe Shamblin
Tuscaloosa
Director circa 1960's

Mrs. L.L. Shertzer, Jr. (Sally)
Montgomery
1954 Director
1957 Director
1963-1964 President
1977-1978 Ratings Director
Deceased

Mrs. Teresa Shook
Birmingham
Director Unknown

Mrs. Schuster Siegel
Selma
1974-1975 Handicap Director (North)

Mrs. Page Sloss
Birmingham
Director unknown

Mrs. Roy B. Smalley, Jr. (Helen)
Birmingham
1968-1969 Host Director
1970-1971 Vice President
1981-1982 President
1983-1985 Director

Miss Caroline Smith
Mobile
1967 Ratings Director

Mrs. Curtis Smith
Mobile
1971-1972 Rules Director

Mrs. John J. Smith (Sandra)
Birmingham
1992-1993 Area 2 Director
1998-2001 Junior Director

Mrs. Malcolm Smith, Jr. (Baker)
Birmingham
1974 Junior Director
1975 Rules Director
1983-1984 President
1985-1986 Director
1987-1988 Rating Director
Deceased 2013

Miss Margaret Smith (Donaldson)
Mobile
1963 Director

Mrs. Terrell Smith
Tuscaloosa
Director Unknown

Mrs. John Solomon (Janie)
Dothan
1979-1980 Area 4 Director
1984-1986 Junior Director
1994-95 Vice President
1996 President Elect
1997-1998 President
1999 Past President

Mrs. Claude Songy, III (Audrey)
Huntsville
1995-1996 Host Director
1998 Vice President
2000 President Elect
2001-2002 President
2003 Past President

Mrs. Harold P. Sparks (Lena)
Montgomery
1979 Host Director
1980-1981 Area 3 Director

Mrs. Dick Spencer (Jean)
Huntsville
1954-1955 Secretary/Treasurer

Mrs. Paul Stabler
Greenville
1982-1983 Area 3 Director
1983 Junior Director

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

| | | |
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| <p>Ms. Debbe Steele Huntsville 1999- 2000 Area 1 Director</p> | <p>Mrs. Lawrence Tipton Selma 1968 Handicap Director Mrs. Roderick Trilek Birmingham Director Unknown</p> | <p>Mrs. Walter Walker (Taffy) Huntsville 1989-1990 Area 1 Director</p> |
| <p>Mrs. Frances Sullivan (Fran) Huntsville 2002-2004 Area 1 Director</p> | <p>Mrs. O.M. Tucker Decatur 1968 Host Director 1969-1970 Handicap Director (North)</p> | <p>Mrs. John F. Watkins Jr. (Ruth) Prattville 1976-1977 Area 3 Director 1978-1979 Senior Director 1984-1985 Vice- President 1988-1989 Vice-President</p> |
| <p>Mrs. Jude M. Swint Guntersville 1979-1980 Area 1 Director</p> | <p>Mrs. Richard F. Turner Mobile 1966 Ratings Director</p> | <p>Mrs. H.E. Watlington (Ann) Montgomery 1993 Founding WAGA Scholarship Trustee 1992-1995 Junior Director 2000-2002 Area 4 Director Deceased 2014</p> |
| <p>Mrs. Cindy Tanner Florence 2006 Host Director</p> | <p>Mrs. Roger Underwood (Pat) Birmingham 1997-1999 Area 2 Director</p> | <p>Ms. Gwen Watson Montgomery 2009 Area 4 Director</p> |
| <p>Mrs. James Taylor (Judy) Huntsville 1991-1992 Rules Director 1992 President Elect 1993-1994 President 1995 Past President 2003- 2008 Ratings/Handicap Director</p> | <p>Mrs. Sam Upchurch (Ann) Birmingham 1960 President 1967 Junior Director 1967-1968 Vice-President 1979-1980 Ratings Director Deceased 1996</p> | <p>Mrs. Harry Webb (Marty) Huntsville 1953 Director 1954-1956 President Deceased 1977</p> |
| <p>Mrs. Ted Taylor (Leah) Birmingham 1988-1989 Area 3 Director 1990-1991 Junior Director</p> | <p>Mrs. Peter Vredenburgh Montgomery Director Unknown</p> | <p>Mrs. Roberta Webster Mobile 1987-1988 Area 4 Director</p> |
| <p>Mrs. Phil Terrier Mobile 1967-1968 Secretary/Treasurer 1969 Secretary</p> | <p>Miss Annie Lee Walden Florence Director Unknown</p> | <p>Mrs. Charles S. Weeks (Jeanette) Ashford 1993-1994 Host Director 1998-1999 Senior Director</p> |
| <p>Mrs. WM K. Thompson, Jr. Mobile 1979-1980 Secretary</p> | <p>Mrs. J. Richard Walker (Helen) Birmingham 1994-1995 Host Director 1997-2000 Secretary 2002-2003 Vice-President 2004 President Elect 2005-2006 President 2007 Past President</p> | <p>Ms. Erica Wein Birmingham 2008 Executive Director</p> |
| <p>Mrs. S.T. Till (Alice) Montgomery 1972-1974 Ratings Director 1965 President 1966 Past President Deceased</p> | <p>Mrs. Travis Walker (Louise) Huntsville 1985-1986 Area 1 Director 1990-1991 Vice-President</p> | <p>Mrs. Charles Welden (Mary) 1996-1997 Host Director</p> |
| <p>Mrs. Steve Tinchler (Anne) Huntsville 1999 Host Director</p> | | <p>Mrs. Daniel Wendling Birmingham 1957 Vice President</p> |
| | | <p>Mrs. Gene Wesley Unknown 1983-1984 Area 4 Director</p> |

Women's Alabama Golf Association Officers, 1929-2009 (Continued)

Mrs. Robert M. Whiting (Sue)

Mobile
1962-1963 Director
1967-1968 President
1970-1971 Director
Deceased

Mrs. Dan Wiley (Charlene)

Mobile
1996-1997 Classic Director

Miss Beverly Wilson

Mobile
Director Unknown

Mrs. H.O. Wolfe (Bess)

Mobile
1958-1959 Director
1961 President
1962 Director

Mrs. Charles Woodham (Martha)

Dothan
1977 Host Director
1995-1997 Area 6 Director

Mrs. R.T. Woodham

Huntsville
1977 Tournament Director

Mrs. Jack Worley (June)

Florence
1975 Junior Director
1976 Area 1 Director
1981 Junior Director
1986-1987 Treasurer

Mrs. Louis Worrell

Mobile
1960 Director

Mrs. William Wynne (Donna)

Birmingham
1994-1996 Area 2 Director

Mrs. Okey B. Yost (Elaine)

Dothan
2006 - 2010 Treasurer

Mrs. W. Roy Young

Montgomery
1966-1967 Handicap Director

A listing of Alabama Golf Association Member Clubs

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|----|--------------------------------|------------------|----|
| ALABAMA JUNIOR GOLF ASSOCIATION | ASHVILLE | AL | LAKEWOOD GOLF COURSE | PHENIX CITY | AL |
| BIG SPRING LAKE COUNTRY CLUB | ALBERTVILLE | AL | THE LINKS OF TUSCALOOSA | TUSCALOOSA | AL |
| BIRMINGHAM GOLF ASSOCIATION | HOOVER | AL | LIMESTONE SPRINGS | ONEONTA | AL |
| ANNISTON COUNTRY CLUB | ANNISTON | AL | MARION MILITARY INSTITUTE GC | MARION | AL |
| ARROWHEAD GOLF & CC | MONTGOMERY | AL | CYPRESS LAKES GOLF & CC | MUSCLE SHOALS | AL |
| AUBURN UNIVERSITY CLUB | AUBURN | AL | CYPRESS TREE GOLF COURSE | MAXWELL AFB | AL |
| BALLANTRAE GOLF CLUB | PELHAM | AL | COUNTRY CLUB OF MOBILE | MOBILE | AL |
| AZALEA CITY GOLF COURSE | MOBILE | AL | MONTGOMERY COUNTRY CLUB | MONTGOMERY | AL |
| BENT BROOK GOLF CLUB | BESSEMER | AL | MOORE'S MILL GOLF CLUB | AUBURN | AL |
| CC OF BIRMINGHAM | BIRMINGHAM | AL | MOUNTAIN BROOK CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL |
| BEST EVER GOLF ASSOCIATION | HUNTSVILLE | AL | MOUNTAIN VIEW GOLF CLUB | GRAYSVILLE | AL |
| BLACKBERRY TRAIL GOLF COURSE | FLORENCE | AL | MUSGROVE COUNTRY CLUB | JASPER | AL |
| COUNTRY CLUB OF BREWTON | BREWTON | AL | NORTHRIVER YACHT CLUB | TUSCALOOSA | AL |
| BURNINGTREE COUNTRY CLUB | DECATUR | AL | OL' COLONY | TUSCALOOSA | AL |
| CAPITOL HILL GOLF CLUB | PRATTVILLE | AL | OLD OVERTON CLUB | VESTAVIA HILLS | AL |
| TRUSSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB | TRUSSVILLE | AL | PENINSULA GOLF CLUB | GULF SHORES | AL |
| CAHABA FALLS COUNTRY CLUB | CENTREVILLE | AL | PIKEVILLE COUNTRY CLUB | GUIN | AL |
| CHEROKEE RIDGE COUNTRY CLUB | UNION GROVE | AL | THE PINES OF MILLBROOK | MILLBROOK | AL |
| CHEROKEE CC | CENTRE | AL | PINE HILL COUNTRY CLUB | ANNISTON | AL |
| CIDER RIDGE GOLF CLUB | OXFORD | AL | PINE TREE COUNTRY CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL |
| CHESLEY OAKS GOLF COURSE | CULLMAN | AL | POINT MALLARD GOLF CLUB | DECATUR | AL |
| COLONIAL GOLF CLUB | MERIDIANVILLE | AL | PRATTVILLE COUNTRY CLUB | PRATTVILLE | AL |
| COLONIAL GOLF CLUB | MERIDIANVILLE | AL | CASTLE PINES COUNTRY CLUB | GARDENDALE | AL |
| COOSA PINES COUNTRY CLUB | COOSA PINES | AL | QUAIL WALK COUNTRY CLUB | WETUMPKA | AL |
| COTTON CREEK CLUB | GULF SHORES | AL | QUAIL CREEK GOLF COURSE | HARTSELLE | AL |
| CULLMAN GOLF CLUB | HANCEVILLE | AL | COUNTRY CLUB OF ALABAMA | EUFULA | AL |
| GOLF CLUB AT CUMBERLAND LAKE | PINSON | AL | REDMONT RECREATION CLUB | RED BAY | AL |
| DECATUR COUNTRY CLUB | DECATUR | AL | THE LINKS AT REDSTONE | REDSTONE ARSENAL | AL |
| DEERFIELD GOLF CLUB | CHATOM | AL | RIVERCHASE COUNTRY CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL |
| DEMOPOLIS COUNTRY CLUB | DEMOPOLIS | AL | TALLAPOOSA LAKES GOLF COURSE | MONTGOMERY | AL |
| DOTHAN COUNTRY CLUB | DOTHAN | AL | POINT UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB | LANETT | AL |
| DRIVING FORCE WOMEN'S GC | MONTGOMERY | AL | ROCK CREEK GOLF CLUB | FAIRHOPE | AL |
| EAGLE POINT GOLF CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL | SAUGAHATCHEE COUNTRY CLUB | OPELIKA | AL |
| ENTERPRISE COUNTRY CLUB | ENTERPRISE | AL | SELMA COUNTRY CLUB | SELMA | AL |
| EUFULA COUNTRY CLUB | EUFULA | AL | THE SHOALS | MUSCLE SHOALS | AL |
| FARMLINKS GOLF CLUB | SYLACAUGA | AL | SHOAL CREEK | SHOAL CREEK | AL |
| CANEBRAKE GOLF CLUB | ATHENS | AL | SOUTHERN GAYLES GOLF CLUB | ATHENS | AL |
| CANE CREEK GOLF CLUB | ANNISTON | AL | HERON LAKES COUNTRY CLUB | MOBILE | AL |
| FOX RUN GOLF ASSOCIATION | MERIDIANVILLE | AL | SPRING HILL GOLF CLUB | MOBILE | AL |
| GADSDEN COUNTRY CLUB | GADSDEN | AL | SILVER WINGS GOLF COURSE | FORT RUCKER | AL |
| GLENLAKES GOLF CLUB | FOLEY | AL | STEELWOOD CC | LOXLEY | AL |
| GOOSEPOND COLONY | SCOTTSBORO | AL | CAMBRIAN RIDGE GOLF COURSE | GREENVILLE | AL |
| GRAND NATIONAL GOLF COURSE | OPELIKA | AL | HAMPTON COVE | HAMPTON COVE | AL |
| GRAYSON VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL | HIGHLAND OAKS GOLF COURSE | DOTHAN | AL |
| HOOVER COUNTRY CLUB | HOOVER | AL | MAGNOLIA GROVE | MOBILE | AL |
| GREENVILLE COUNTRY CLUB | GREENVILLE | AL | OXMOOR VALLEY - SUNBELT | BIRMINGHAM | AL |
| GREYSTONE GOLF CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL | SILVER LAKES - SUNBELT | GADSDEN | AL |
| GREYSTONE GOLF CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL | TIMBER RIDGE GOLF CLUB | TALLADEGA | AL |
| GREYSTONE FARMS GOLF CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL | TERRAPIN HILLS COUNTRY CLUB | FORT PAYNE | AL |
| GULF SHORES GOLF CLUB | GULF SHORES | AL | TP COUNTRY CLUB | CULLMAN | AL |
| GUNTER'S LANDING GOLF CLUB | GUNTERSVILLE | AL | TIMBER CREEK GOLF CLUB | DAPHNE | AL |
| HUNTSVILLE COUNTRY CLUB | HUNTSVILLE | AL | TIMBERLINE GOLF CLUB | CALERA | AL |
| HOLLY HILLS GOLF COURSE | BAY MINETTE | AL | TROY COUNTRY CLUB | TROY | AL |
| HERITAGE GOLF | ONEONTA | AL | TURTLE POINT YACHT & C C | KILLEN | AL |
| HIDDEN MEADOWS GOLF COURSE | NORTHPORT | AL | TWIN BRIDGES GOLF CLUB | GADSDEN | AL |
| HIGHLAND PARK GOLF | BIRMINGHAM | AL | LEDGES COUNTRY CLUB | HUNTSVILLE | AL |
| INDIAN HILLS COUNTRY CLUB | TUSCALOOSA | AL | VALLEY HILL COUNTRY CLUB | HUNTSVILLE | AL |
| INDIAN PINES GOLF COURSE | AUBURN | AL | VANITY FAIR GOLF & TENNIS CLUB | MONROEVILLE | AL |
| INVERNESS COUNTRY CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL | VESTAVIA COUNTRY CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL |
| JACKSON GOLF ASSOCIATION | JACKSON | AL | VULCAN GOLF CLUB | BIRMINGHAM | AL |
| KIVA DUNES | GULF SHORES | AL | WILLOW POINT GOLF & C C | ALEXANDER CITY | AL |
| LAGOON PARK GOLF COURSE | MONTGOMERY | AL | WOODWARD COUNTRY CLUB | BESSEMER | AL |
| LAKE FOREST Y&CC | DAPHNE | AL | WYNLAKES COUNTRY CLUB | MONTGOMERY | AL |
| LAKEVIEW COUNTRY CLUB | GREENSBORO | AL | | | |
| LAKEWOOD GOLF CLUB | POINT CLEAR | AL | | | |

**99th Men's State Amateur Championship
Mountain Brook Club, Mountain Brook, AL
June 11-14, 2015**

Leading after every round, defending champion **Will Cannon** successfully defended his title in the 99th State Amateur Championship at Mountain Brook Club. The UAB rising senior and Hoover resident had rounds of 65-68-72-68--272, good for 12-under-par 272, and a four-shot win over Patrick Martin (68-71-69-68--276).

He becomes the first player since Montgomery resident and former University of Alabama golfer Hunter Hamrick to win back-to-back State Amateurs, with Hamrick doing so in 2009 and '10. Cannon indicated he hoped to go for three in a row next year when the 100th State Amateur will be hosted by the Country Club of Birmingham. Sam Farlow is the only player to have won three in a row (1986-88).

Cannon had a share of the lead after round one with Matt Johnson. He then led the rest of the way on his own as he successfully kept his challengers at bay.

Martin, the reigning State High School 7A individual champion, recent Spain Park High School graduate and soon-to-be freshman on the Vanderbilt golf team, put some pressure on Cannon, getting within two shots on multiple occasions, but could get no closer in what turned into a two-horse race.

University of Alabama rising senior and Mountain Brook resident Tom Lovelady fired the low round of the day, a 66, to move to



five-under-par overall and a third place finish. Cannon's UAB teammate Taylor Eyster, who played for Mountain Brook High School and will be a sophomore for the UAB Blazers, finished in fourth place.

But it was Cannon's day. After three pars to open his round, he caught fire with birdies on Nos. 4, 5 and 6. After a bogey on hole 8, he rebounded by a birdie on No. 9 to go out in 33 and lead Martin, who started with three birdies in his first five holes, by three.

Cannon played the back nine in one-under-par with bogeys on holes 10 and 15 against birdies on 11, 13 and 18, to close out in style in front of a large group of spectators.

"It really is very special to win the State Amateur," a jubilant Cannon said. "It makes all the hard

work I put in worthwhile. This is why I do work hard...for days like this.

"Patrick put a lot of pressure on me and I was glad to hold him off. I was trying my best to not worry about what he was doing and to play my game, stick to my game plan, but he made it tough. He just didn't make any mistakes."

Martin was pleased with his performance.

"I hit a lot of good shots, but it was tough to get at pins. I'm pleased though with my game and my consistency. I only missed two greens (in regulation) today (Sunday). I got close to Will, but couldn't get close enough."

99th Men's State Amateur Championship Results

| Place | Competitor | Score |
|-------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Will Cannon, Birmingham, AL | 65-68-72-67--272 (-12) |
| 2 | Patrick Martin, Birmingham, AL | 68-71-69-68--276 (-8) |
| 3 | Tom Lovelady, Birmingham, AL | 69-71-73-66--279 (-5) |
| 4 | Taylor Eyster, Birmingham, AL | 71-66-70-73--280 (-4) |
| 5 | Reagan Harrell, Guntersville, AL | 70-69-70-72--281 (-3) |
| T6 | John-Michael O'Toole, Pinson, AL | 70-67-74-71--282 (-2) |
| T6 | Davis Thompson, Auburn, AL | 75-68-70-69--282 (-2) |
| T8 | Steve Muncher, Birmingham, AL | 74-73-69-67--283 (-1) |
| T8 | Garrett Johnson, Kimberly, AL | 71-71-70-71--283 (-1) |
| T10 | Chris Atchley, Huntsville, AL | 72-66-74-72--284 (Even) |
| T10 | Matt Johnson, Dothan, AL | 65-72-75-72--284 (Even) |
| T10 | Robson Copenhaver, Scottsboro, AL | 73-75-68-68--284 (Even) |
| T10 | Woodie Eubanks, Trussville, AL | 71-69-73-71--284 (Even) |
| T14 | Dalton Skinner, Birmingham, AL | 77-70-66-72--285 (+1) |
| T14 | Robby Prater, Birmingham, AL | 67-72-73-73--285 (+1) |
| T14 | Forrest Knight, Clanton, AL | 70-75-70-70--285 (+1) |
| T17 | Forrest Gamble, Birmingham, AL | 70-70-73-73--286 (+2) |
| T17 | Lee Hodges, Athens, AL | 72-70-75-69--286 (+2) |
| T17 | Richard Douglas, Trussville, AL | 72-70-71-73--286 (+2) |
| T20 | Jared Bettcher, Auburn, AL | 73-68-76-70--287 (+3) |
| T20 | Cam Norman, Greenville, AL | 72-73-71-71--287 (+3) |
| T22 | Seth Sargent, Birmingham, AL | 70-72-69-77--288 (+4) |
| T22 | William Walker III, Tuscaloosa, AL | 72-72-71-73--288 (+4) |
| T22 | Clint Provost, Birmingham, AL | 73-72-75-68--288 (+4) |
| T25 | Daniel Schroder, Hoover, AL | 69-72-69-79--289 (+5) |
| T25 | Taylor McCullum, Birmingham, AL | 71-73-74-71--289 (+5) |
| T27 | Andy McRae, Hoover, AL | 72-74-74-70--290 (+6) |
| T27 | Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, AL | 75-71-72-72--290 (+6) |
| T27 | Matthew Gourgeot, Decatur, AL | 72-76-73-69--290 (+6) |
| 30 | Turk Pettit, Auburn, AL | 74-70-70-77--291 (+7) |
| 31 | Jason DeJacomio, Birmingham, AL | 70-72-72-78--292 (+8) |
| T32 | Steven Setterstrom Jr., Mobile, AL | 75-74-73-71--293 (+9) |
| T32 | Freeman Fite, Anniston, AL | 74-71-74-74--293 (+9) |
| T32 | Wesley Hunter, Mobile, AL | 71-74-72-76--293 (+9) |
| T35 | Jonathan Eyster, Birmingham, AL | 72-69-75-78--294 (+10) |
| T35 | Austin Coggin, Vestavia Hills, AL | 77-74-70-73--294 (+10) |
| T37 | Brooks Rabren, Andalusia, AL | 72-76-70-77--295 (+11) |
| T37 | Ben Fuller, Birmingham, AL | 73-73-72-77--295 (+11) |
| T37 | Ben Moody, Vestavia Hills, AL | 73-75-72-75--295 (+11) |
| T40 | Lee Birchall, Birmingham, AL | 73-75-72-76--296 (+12) |
| T40 | Will Swift, Hoover, AL | 76-73-73-74--296 (+12) |
| T42 | Adam Strachan, Tuscaloosa, AL | 75-73-75-74--297 (+13) |

99th Men's State Amateur Championship Results (Continued)

| Place | Competitor | Score |
|-------------------|--|------------------------|
| T42 | Vic Kyatt III, Birmingham, AL | 71-77-72-77--297 (+13) |
| T42 | John Hayden, Birmingham, AL | 74-75-73-75--297 (+13) |
| T42 | Austin Sparks, Red Bay, AL | 72-69-79-77--297 (+13) |
| T42 | Blake Messer, Huntsville, AL | 77-71-77-72--297 (+13) |
| T42 | Daniel Ozley, Trussville, AL | 72-72-77-76--297 (+13) |
| T48 | Nick Davis, Springville, AL | 75-73-80-70--298 (+14) |
| T48 | Chase Feagin, Dothan, AL | 71-75-71-81--298 (+14) |
| T48 | Ryan Beatty, Birmingham, AL | 72-74-78-74--298 (+14) |
| T48 | Reed Hereford, Hoover, AL | 75-68-79-76--298 (+14) |
| T52 | Brinson Holder, Point Clear, AL | 79-72-78-70--299 (+15) |
| T52 | James Salter, Auburn, AL | 74-77-73-75--299 (+15) |
| 54 | Alex Mahlik, Madison, AL | 76-73-77-74--300 (+16) |
| T55 | Bo Farlow, Birmingham, AL | 77-74-71-79--301 (+17) |
| T55 | Michael Hicks, Hoover, AL | 73-78-73-77--301 (+17) |
| T55 | Cody O'Toole, Oneonta, AL | 75-76-73-77--301 (+17) |
| 58 | Shane Wright, Montgomery, AL | 75-76-76-75--302 (+18) |
| T59 | Adam Jacobs, Arab, AL | 75-71-77-80--303 (+19) |
| T59 | Chase Rogers, Troy, AL | 71-79-78-75--303 (+19) |
| T59 | Michael Brown, Birmingham, AL | 73-75-74-81--303 (+19) |
| 62 | Ashton Nix, Auburn, AL | 74-76-72-82--304 (+20) |
| 63 | Jordy Hayden, Fairhope, AL | 75-76-78-77--306 (+22) |
| 64 | Jackson Seawell, Tuscaloosa, AL | 75-72-83-77--307 (+23) |
| 65 | Justin Roberts, Decatur, AL | 75-76-79-78--308 (+24) |
| 66 | Scott Weaver, Madison, AL | 74-75-78-83--310 (+26) |
| 67 | Sheldon Statkewicz, Mobile, AL | 76-72-81-82--311 (+27) |
| 68 | Christopher Hughes, Vestavia Hills, AL | 76-75-77-87--315 (+31) |
| 69 | Matt Ritchie, Mobile, AL | 74-76-81-WD--WD (WD) |
| Missed Cut | | |
| T70 | Andrew Saunders, Dothan, AL | 75-77 (+10) |
| T70 | Emile Vaughan, Pike Road, AL | 74-78 (+10) |
| T70 | Blake Schambeau, Hoover, AL | 79-73 (+10) |
| T70 | Connor Newton, Auburn, AL | 74-78 (+10) |
| T74 | George Walker, Mobile, AL | 77-76 (+11) |
| T74 | Richard Sexton III, Chelsea, AL | 76-77 (+11) |
| T74 | John Coles III, Birmingham, AL | 77-76 (+11) |
| T74 | Eli Hodges, Tuscumbia, AL | 78-75 (+11) |
| T74 | John Catanzaro, Gadsden, AL | 75-78 (+11) |
| T74 | John Snoddy, Birmingham, AL | 76-77 (+11) |
| T74 | Felix Ronderos, Mobile, AL | 80-73 (+11) |
| T74 | Preston Jones, Northport, AL | 74-79 (+11) |
| T74 | Taylor Hereford, Hoover, AL | 76-77 (+11) |
| T74 | Adam Cranford, Birmingham, Alabama | 77-76 (+11) |
| T74 | Evan Holland, Guntersville, AL | 81-72 (+11) |

99th Men's State Amateur Championship Results (Continued)

| Place | Competitor | Score |
|-------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| T85 | Tyler McLelland, Huntsville, AL | 82-72 (+12) |
| T85 | Lew Mitchell, Birmingham, AL | 82-72 (+12) |
| T85 | Vasili Kartos, Hoover, AL | 79-75 (+12) |
| T85 | Bo Hayes, Southside, AL | 81-73 (+12) |
| T85 | James Watkins, Hoover, AL | 77-77 (+12) |
| T85 | Ivan Truss, Clanton, AL | 79-75 (+12) |
| T85 | Zac McCurdy, Fort Payne, Alabama | 72-82 (+12) |
| T85 | Chad Elliott, Woodstock, AL | 74-80 (+12) |
| T85 | John Hamn, Decatur, AL | 76-78 (+12) |
| T85 | Sam Audia III, Birmingham, AL | 78-76 (+12) |
| T85 | Lance Moore, Hamilton, AL | 78-76 (+12) |
| T96 | Clint Calvert, Birmingham, AL | 81-74 (+13) |
| T96 | Joshua Priestley, Helena, AL | 76-79 (+13) |
| T96 | Mark Woods, Hoover, AL | 75-80 (+13) |
| T96 | Torrie Coghlin, Irondale, AL | 76-79 (+13) |
| T96 | David Cordell, Northport, AL | 77-78 (+13) |
| T96 | Jordan Maynor, Andalusia, AL | 80-75 (+13) |
| T96 | James Medley, Athens, AL | 83-72 (+13) |
| T96 | Caleb O'Toole, Pinson, Alabama | 73-82 (+13) |
| T96 | Philip Nader Jr., Tuscaloosa, AL | 78-77 (+13) |
| T105 | Doug Davis, Birmingham, AL | 77-79 (+14) |
| T105 | Neil Gannaway, Birmingham, AL | 78-78 (+14) |
| T105 | Patrick Newsom, Decatur, AL | 78-78 (+14) |
| T105 | Dennis McLaughlin, Mobile, AL | 74-82 (+14) |
| T105 | Will Thrash, Prattville, AL | 82-74 (+14) |
| T105 | Ike Alexander, Florence, AL | 80-76 (+14) |
| T105 | Jon Key, Hoover, AL | 77-79 (+14) |
| T112 | Hunter Bronson, Montgomery, AL | 78-79 (+15) |
| T112 | Parker Morris, Birmingham, AL | 79-78 (+15) |
| T112 | Walker Grant, Alexander City, AL | 81-76 (+15) |
| T112 | Jim McClary, Athens, AL | 75-82 (+15) |
| T112 | Jackson King, Birmingham, AL | 79-78 (+15) |
| T112 | Hayden Huseeth, Elkmont, AL | 78-79 (+15) |
| T112 | Jesse Redman, Spanish Fort, AL | 78-79 (+15) |
| T112 | Kevin Trimm, Vestavia Hills, AL | 81-76 (+15) |
| T112 | John Quinn, Birmingham, AL | 78-79 (+15) |
| T121 | Mike Thomas, Auburn, AL | 80-78 (+16) |
| T121 | Jason Owenby, Birmingham, AL | 80-78 (+16) |
| T121 | David Baker, Madison, AL | 80-78 (+16) |
| T121 | Jordan Smith, Florence, AL | 79-79 (+16) |
| T125 | Jeffrey Dunn, Montgomery, AL | 80-79 (+17) |
| T125 | Dakota Terry, Trinity, AL | 72-87 (+17) |

99th Men's State Amateur Championship Results (Continued)

| Place | Competitor | Score |
|-------|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| T125 | Chris Key, McCalla, AL | 77-82 (+17) |
| T128 | Tommy Coggin, Vestavia Hills, AL | 79-81 (+18) |
| T128 | Trey Rose, Tuscaloosa, AL | 83-77 (+18) |
| T128 | Bill Brewster, Florence, AL | 83-77 (+18) |
| T131 | Bradley Hamner, Owens Cross Roads, AL | 82-79 (+19) |
| T131 | Connor Smith, Birmingham, AL | 82-79 (+19) |
| T131 | David Malone, Birmingham, AL | 81-80 (+19) |
| T131 | Earle Bidez, Birmingham, AL | 79-82 (+19) |
| T131 | Tom Jungkind, Birmingham, AL | 81-80 (+19) |
| T131 | Cole Skaggs, Fort Payne, AL | 78-83 (+19) |
| T131 | Brant Bishop, Tuscumbia, AL | 81-80 (+19) |
| T138 | Scot Schroder, Hoover, AL | 80-82 (+20) |
| T138 | Keith Rains, Birmingham, AL | 83-79 (+20) |
| T138 | Wilson Simmons, Birmingham, AL | 78-84 (+20) |
| T138 | Jonas Bailey, Muscle Shoals, AL | 79-83 (+20) |
| 142 | Talbert Griffin III, Birmingham, AL | 84-79 (+21) |
| 143 | Chase Kennedy, Morris, AL | 81-83 (+22) |
| 144 | Andrew Joiner, Daphne, AL | 89-76 (+23) |
| T145 | Jeff Hall, Madison, AL | 81-85 (+24) |
| T145 | Rick Riley, Calera, AL | 85-81 (+24) |
| T147 | Stephen Cole, Huntsville, AL | 85-83 (+26) |
| T147 | Tyler Bowen, Birmingham, AL | 84-84 (+26) |
| T149 | Sam Prater, Birmingham, AL | 88-81 (+27) |
| T149 | John Kramer, Huntsville, AL | 91-78 (+27) |
| T151 | Michael Sullivan, Birmingham, AL | 88-82 (+28) |
| T151 | Bill Best, Tuscaloosa, Alabama | 88-82 (+28) |
| 153 | Chris Scrip, Madison, AL | 88-86 (+32) |
| 154 | Haymes Snedeker, Fairhope, AL | 73-WD (WD) |
| T155 | Jake Miller, Oneonta, AL | 91-WD (WD) |
| T155 | Matthew Kelley, Birmingham, AL | 101-WD (WD) |

State Amateur Championship Champions

STROKE PLAY (1955-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|-------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| 2015 | Will Cannon, Hoover | 272 | Mountain Brook Club |
| 2014 | Will Cannon, Hoover | 280 | Lakewood Golf Club |
| 2013 | Michael Johnson, Birmingham | 272 | Hoover Country Club |
| 2012 | Andy McRae, Hoover | 137** | Kiva Dunes |
| 2011 | Saylie Knafman, Vestavia Hills | 272 | FarmLinks Golf Club |
| 2010 | Hunter Hamrick, Montgomery | 279 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 2009 | Hunter Hamrick, Montgomery | 282 | Greystone Golf & Country Club |
| 2008 | Will Wilcox, Pell City | 275 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 2007 | Garrett Osburn, Birmingham | 274 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 2006 | Ben Moody, Tuscaloosa | 273 | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 2005 | Will Swift, Birmingham | 275 | Limestone Springs |
| 2004 | Lance Goodson, Birmingham | 280 | Rest Brook Golf Course |
| 2003 | Clark Brown, Birmingham | 280 | Cotton Creek Club |
| 2002 | Will Swift, Birmingham | 281 | Hoover Country Club |
| 2001 | Tyler McKeever, Auburn | 287 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 2000 | Payton Osborn, Birmingham | 279 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1999 | Payton Osborn, Birmingham | 290 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 1998 | Scott Westheist, Port Payne | 277 | Riverchase Country Club |
| 1997 | Richard Jeffers, Mobile | 287 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1996 | John Coles III, Moody | 285 | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 1995 | Jasen Burwa, Decatur | 278 | Pine Tree Country Club |
| 1994 | Eric Hamilton, Anniston | 275 | Birmingham Country Club |
| 1993 | Bob Fouser, Selma | 279 | Green Valley Country Club |
| 1992 | Stewart Clark, Florence | 277 | Cotton Creek |
| 1991 | Winston Walker, Huntsville | 286 | Willow Post Golf & Country Club |
| 1990 | Robbie Cotten, Brewton | 278 | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1989 | John Wright, Gulf Shores | 292 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1988 | Sam Farlow, Birmingham | 286 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1987 | Sam Farlow, Birmingham | 284 | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 1986 | Sam Farlow, Birmingham | 279 | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 1985 | Tom Jones, Port Payne | 295 | Turtle Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1984 | Talbert Griffin III, Montgomery | 210† | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1983 | Sam Farlow, Birmingham | 292 | Pine Tree Country Club |
| 1982 | John Fridge III, Mobile | 292 | Dodson Country Club |
| 1981 | Steve Lowery, Birmingham | 290 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1980 | Cecil Ingram III, Birmingham | 287 | Riverchase Country Club |
| 1979 | Jed Starkard, Florence | 290 | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 1978 | Steve Goldstein, Huntsville | 288 | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1977 | Ronny Mobley, Brundidge | 295 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1976 | Richard Anthony, Birmingham | 284 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 1975 | Buddy Gardner, Montgomery | 294 | Olympia Spa Country Club |
| 1974 | Buddy Gardner, Montgomery | 291 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1973 | Phillip Hancock, Greenville | 274 | Birmingham Country Club |
| 1972 | Charles Krenkel, Birmingham | 210† | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1971 | Jackie Cummings, Tuscaloosa | 293 | Vestavia Country Club |
| 1970 | Craig Clemens, Opp | 290 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1969 | Charles (Bobba) Major, Birmingham | 271 | Selma Country Club |
| 1968 | Hubert Green, Birmingham | 285 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 1967 | Hubert Green, Birmingham | 281 | Dodson Country Club |
| 1966 | R.R. (Mac) McLendon Jr., Montgomery | 288 | Indian Hills Country Club |

State Amateur Championship Champions (Continued)

STROKE PLAY (1955-present)

(cont)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| 1965 | Jackie Cummings, Tuscaloosa | 221 [†] | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1964 | M C Fitts, Tuscaloosa | 280 | Huntsville Country Club |
| 1963 | M C Fitts, Tuscaloosa | 280 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1962 | B R (Mac) McLendon Jr., Montgomery | 283 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1961 | Jackie Cummings, Tuscaloosa | 287 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1960 | Bob Woodfin Jr., Selma | 280 | Selma Country Club |
| 1959 | Art Gleason Jr., Selma | 284 | Gaithers Country Club |
| 1958 | Elbert Jernison Jr., Birmingham | 299 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1957 | Elbert Jernison Jr., Birmingham | 287 | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1956 | Nelson DeBardeleben, Birmingham | 281 | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1955 | Frank (Sanny) Holt II, Selma | 283 | Montgomery Country Club |

*Pensacola was a part of the original formation of the Alabama Golf Association, which included western Florida. The association changed its By-Laws to include only the State of Alabama in 1955. In 1955, the format was changed to 72 Holes at Stroke Play.

** reduced to 36 holes due to weather

†reduced to 54 holes due to weather

MATCH PLAY (1915-1954)

| Year | Winner/Runner-Up | Score | Site |
|------|---|----------|----------------------------|
| 1954 | Billy O'Connor, Tuscaloosa def Tommy Nixel | 2 and 1 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1953 | Marian Vickers, Mobile def Sanny Holt | 1 up | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1952 | Pat Poyner, Dothan def Jack Horner | 10 and 8 | Dothan Country Club |
| 1951 | M. C. Fitts, Tuscaloosa def Lesie Crismon | 2 up | Selma Country Club |
| 1950 | Jimmy Ryan, Greenville def Elbert Jernison | 6 and 5 | Gaithers Country Club |
| 1949 | Gardner Dickinson Jr., Dothan def Buddy DeBardeleben | 5 and 4 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1948 | Gordon Smith III, Mobile def Weldon Doe | 2 and 1 | Pensacola Country Club* |
| 1947 | Gordon Smith III, Mobile def Press Thornton, Sr. | 1 up | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1946 | Jack Horner, Montgomery def Peek Leslie | 2 and 1 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1945 | Snoddy Horner, Montgomery Harry Pritchett | 3 and 1 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1944 | Snoddy Horner, Montgomery Fred Bradbury | 2 and 1 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1943 | Harry Pritchett, Tuscaloosa Gordon Smith, Jr. | 2 and 1 | Selma Country Club |
| 1942 | Sam Perry, Birmingham def Gordon Smith, Jr. | 5 and 4 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1941 | Sam Perry, Birmingham Johnny Thomas | 2 and 1 | Anniston Country Club |

State Amateur Championship Champions (Continued)

MATCH PLAY (1915-1954)

| Year | Winner/Runner-up | Score | Site (cont) |
|------|--|---------------|----------------------------|
| 1940 | Snoddy Horner, Montgomery def Sam Perry | 2 and 6 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1939 | Weldon Doe, Montgomery def Ken Rogers | 3 and 2 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1938 | Lewis Crisman, Selma def Harry Pritchett | 1 up | Selma Country Club |
| 1937 | Duncan McDavid, Pensacola def Leslie Crisman | 1 up | Pensacola Country Club* |
| 1936 | Johnny Morris, Birmingham def Ed Finch | 7 and 6 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1935 | Sam Perry, Birmingham def Frank Sitz | 10 and 9 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1934 | Files Cresskew, Montgomery def Blue Harris | 11 and 10 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1933 | Johnny Thomas, Birmingham def Frank Blackford | 5 and 4 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1932 | W L Cope, Mobile def Glenn Crisman | 5 and 4 | Pensacola Country Club* |
| 1931 | Gordon Smith Jr., Mobile def Harry Pritchett | 9 and 7 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1930 | W L Cope, Mobile def Sam Perry | 38 holes | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1929 | Sam Perry, Birmingham def J.B. Barfield | 4 and 3 | Reebuck Country Club |
| 1928 | Harry Pritchett, Tuscaloosa def Gordon Smith, Jr. | 2 and 1 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1927 | Bob Manger, Birmingham def Bill Moughan | 4 and 3 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1926 | Glenn Crisman, Selma def Charles Cullum | 7 and 5 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1925 | Glenn Crisman, Selma def H.W. Woodward | 10 and 9 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1924 | Jimmy Hillhouse, Birmingham def Jacks Gillen | score unknown | Reebuck Country Club |
| 1923 | Glenn Crisman, Selma def Bob Gregory | 5 and 4 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1922 | Henry Seibels, Birmingham def John W. Tullis | 7 and 5 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1921 | Dr. A B Harris, Birmingham def Leslie Browder | 5 and 3 | Reebuck Country Club |
| 1920 | Files Cresskew, Montgomery def W. Temple Seibels | 7 and 5 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1919 | Bob Gregory, Birmingham def Bob Brooke | 1 up | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1918 | Tournament pre-empted by WWI | | |
| 1917 | Tournament pre-empted by WWI | | |

State Amateur Championship Champions (Continued)

MATCH PLAY (1915-1954)

(con't)

| Year | Winner/Runner-up | Score | Site |
|------|--|-----------|-------------------------|
| 1916 | Dr. A. R. Harris, Birmingham def E.M. Tutwiler, Jr. | 4 and 3 | Reebok Country Club |
| 1915 | Jack Allison, Birmingham def Norborne R. Clarke | 13 and 12 | Montgomery Country Club |

**33rd State Four-Ball Championship
Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club, Killen, AL
May 6-9, 2015**

The team of Matt Gourgeot and Tony Olive won the 33rd State Four-Ball Championship at Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club in Killen.

On the final day, Gourgeot, who lives in Decatur and played golf the University of North Alabama, and Olive, who lives in Florence, first beat William Sellers and Steven Setterstrom Jr., both on the University of Alabama golf team, in the semifinals 3 & 2 and then beat Joey Holley and Chase Rogers by 5 & 3 to win this Alabama Golf Association championship.

Holley and Rogers beat Patrick Twesme and Austin Sparks in their semifinal 1 up.

Gourgeot, 29, plays golf at Burningtree Country Club in

Decatur, while Olive, 55, plays at Cypress Lakes in Muscle Shoals. It was their first time to pair up in the State Four-Ball and it's safe to say it won't be their last.

"In the final we got off to a hot start (4 up through eight holes) and that was huge as we never let them back in the match," Gourgeot said.

"College kids may be used to six matches in four days, but we are not. We got a little tired the second 18 both days, but got through it."

It is the first state title for both players. Gourgeot said he made a lot of birdies in the match play format and he was freed up to do so by Olive's consistency.

"Tony understands the game so well. He hits it straight, doesn't

make many mistakes and is usually in every hole. That's key. He's a really smart, great partner."

Gourgeot used to play Turtle Point while playing on the golf team at UNA every week, but it has been a number of years since he played there.

"This is really special for us both," Gourgeot continued. "I made it to the semifinals of last year's State Match Play (before bowing out) and I know what that felt like. I'm thrilled to have gone on from there."



Tony Olive (left) Matt Gourgeot (right)

33rd State Four-Ball Championship Results
Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club
Match Play Results

Round of 16

| | | | | | |
|-----|--|------|------|--------------------------------|----------|
| (1) | Austin Sparks / Patrick Twesome | def. | (16) | Erud Dahlke / Matt Johnson | 3 and 2 |
| (8) | Alan Allgood / Jonathan Spurr | def. | (9) | Arden Jacobs / Tim McClary | 23 holes |
| (4) | Joey Holley / Chase Rogers | def. | (13) | Zac McCordy / Blake Watts | 3 and 2 |
| (5) | Chris Cook / Nick Davis | def. | (12) | Austin Gean / Jordan Smith | 4 and 3 |
| (2) | Corey Minks / Dustin Wright | def. | (15) | Daniel Creel / Whitney Ford | 5 and 4 |
| (7) | Matthew Gourgout / Tony Olive | def. | (10) | Ross Mitchell / Ray Nease | 4 and 3 |
| (3) | William Sellers / Steven Setterstrom Jr. | def. | (14) | Steven Crew / Michael Donnelly | 6 and 5 |
| (6) | Robson Copenhaver / Blake Mosley | def. | (11) | Walker Grant / Stan Shertin | 2 and 1 |

Quarterfinal

| | | | | | |
|------|--|------|------|----------------------------------|----------|
| (1) | Austin Sparks / Patrick Twesome | def. | (8) | Alan Allgood / Jonathan Spurr | 3 and 1 |
| (4) | Joey Holley / Chase Rogers | def. | (5) | Chris Cook / Nick Davis | 2 up |
| (15) | Matthew Gourgout / Tony Olive | def. | (10) | Corey Minks / Dustin Wright | 19 holes |
| (3) | William Sellers / Steven Setterstrom Jr. | def. | (11) | Robson Copenhaver / Blake Mosley | 3 and 1 |

Semifinal

| | | | | | |
|------|-------------------------------|------|-----|--|---------|
| (1) | Joey Holley / Chase Rogers | def. | (4) | Austin Sparks / Patrick Twesome | 1 up |
| (10) | Matthew Gourgout / Tony Olive | def. | (3) | William Sellers / Steven Setterstrom Jr. | 3 and 2 |

Final

| | | | | | |
|-----|-------------------------------|------|------|----------------------------|---------|
| (4) | Matthew Gourgout / Tony Olive | def. | (10) | Joey Holley / Chase Rogers | 5 and 3 |
|-----|-------------------------------|------|------|----------------------------|---------|

State Four-Ball Stroke Play Scores

| Place | Team | Score |
|-------|--|-------------------|
| 1 | Austin Sparks / Patrick Twesme | 65-64--129 (-15) |
| 2 | Daniel Creel / Whitney Ford | 66-65--131 (-13) |
| 3 | William Sellers / Steven Setterstrom Jr. | 69-67--136 (-8) |
| T4 | Chris Cook / Nick Davis | 66-71--137 (-7) |
| T4 | Joey Holley / Chase Rogers | 67-70--137 (-7) |
| 6 | Walker Grant / Stan Sherlin | 69-69--138 (-6) |
| 7 | Russ Mitchell / Ray Neese | 71-68--139 (-5) |
| T8 | Adam Jacobs / Jim McClary | 70-70--140 (-4) |
| T8 | Alan Allgood / Jonathan Spann | 72-68--140 (-4) |
| T8 | Matthew Gourgeot / Tony Olive | 71-69--140 (-4) |
| T8 | Robson Copenhaver / Blake Mozley | 70-70--140 (-4) |
| T12 | Austin Gean / Jordan Smith | 69-72--141 (-3) |
| T12 | Brad Dahlke / Matt Johnson | 73-68--141 (-3) |
| T12 | Corey Murks / Dustin Wright | 74-67--141 (-3) |
| T12 | Steven Crew / Michael Donnelly | 70-71--141 (-3) |
| T12 | Zac McCurdy / Blake Watts | 72-69--141 (-3) |
| T17 | Cody Causey / Kyle Demeester | 72-70--142 (-2) |
| T17 | Juddy Carlton / Vincent Cave Jr | 70-72--142 (-2) |
| T17 | Micah Jett / Deane Rikard | 73-69--142 (-2) |
| T17 | Nicholas Cortez / Taylor McCullum | 71-71--142 (-2) |
| T17 | Ryan Campbell / Andy McAlpin | 73-69--142 (-2) |
| 22 | John Coles III / T Chris Jones | 70-73--143 (-1) |
| 23 | Andrew Collins / Chad Hendon | 71-73--144 (Even) |
| T24 | Andrew Hillis / Luke Tucker | 72-73--145 (+1) |
| T24 | Clint Compton / Mike Lewis | 71-74--145 (+1) |
| T24 | Joey Dambro / Bradley Hamner | 67-78--145 (+1) |
| T24 | Jordan Wheelles / Russell Wheelles | 75-70--145 (+1) |
| T24 | N. H. Holt / Ed Kinzer | 72-73--145 (+1) |
| T24 | Preston Jones / Steven Smith | 74-71--145 (+1) |
| T24 | Ryan Mayberry / Derek Schroeder | 76-69--145 (+1) |
| T31 | Randy Jones / Justin Roberts | 69-77--146 (+2) |
| T31 | Rusty Baynes / Will Jourdan | 75-71--146 (+2) |
| T33 | Gene Clements / Russell Hulsey | 71-76--147 (+3) |
| T33 | Shane Childress / Joseph Tucker | 73-74--147 (+3) |
| 35 | Joe Guthrie / Matthew Myers | 78-71--149 (+5) |
| T36 | Chase Bullington / Bryant West | 75-75--150 (+6) |
| T36 | John Fulkerson / Rhett Lambert | 74-76--150 (+6) |
| T38 | Fred Boughner / Jimmy Oliver | 76-77--153 (+9) |
| T38 | Jeremy Burns / Kevin Carden | 79-74--153 (+9) |
| 40 | Brad Bishop / Steve Davis | 81-79--160 (+16) |
| 41 | John Chapman / Gregory Clardy | 90-81--171 (+27) |

State Four-Ball Championship Champions

STATE FOUR-BALL (2011-present)

| Year | Winner & Runner-up | Score | Site |
|------|---|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 2015 | Mark Gougeon & Tony Olive def. Joey Hickey & Chase Rogers | 5 and 3 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 2014 | Wilson McDonald & Ty Thompson def. Hunter Brinson & Brinson Holder | 2 and 1 | Steechwood |
| 2013 | Hunter Brinson & Brinson Holder def. Bo Farlow & John Fulkerson | 2 and 1 | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 2012 | Tommy Coggins & Doug Davis def. Vic Kyatt, III & Andy McKee | 4 and 2 | Carebrook Club |
| 2011 | Woodie Babanks & Forrest Crahn def. Del Wood, III & Alan Coshatt | 3 and 2 | Lakewood Golf Club |

STATE FOUR-BALL (1983-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|--|----------------------------------|
| 2010 | Alex Bales & John Harean | Pine Tree Country Club |
| 2009 | Adam West & Blake West | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 2008 | Adam West & Blake West | Wynakes Golf & Country Club |
| 2007 | Alan Coshatt & Del Wood, III | Greystone Golf & Country Club |
| 2006 | Tom Jauchkind & Mark Lindsey | FarmLinks Golf Club |
| 2005 | Joe Guthrie & Andrew Medley | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 2004 | Patton Kizzire & Gator Todd | Margrove Country Club |
| 2003 | Lance Walker & Wesley Pate | Limestone Springs |
| 2002 | Joey Dzurankowski & Richard Jeffers | Indian Hills Country Club |
| 2001 | John Coles & Stan Sherlin | The Ledges |
| 2000 | Sollie Foy & Lee Williams | Kiva Dunes |
| 1999 | Brian Wright & John Fulkerson | Riverchase Country Club |
| 1998 | David Barnett & Matt Turner | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1997 | Eric Hamilton & Patrick Cashman | Margrove Country Club |
| 1996 | Joey Dzurankowski & Richard Jeffers | Kiva Dunes |
| 1995 | Mike Greer & Robbie Cotton | Old Overton Club |
| 1994 | Terry Mobley & Joey Hickey | Green Valley Country Club |
| 1993 | Tom Jauchkind & David Minshew | CC of Birmingham (East) |
| 1992 | Mike Greer & John Stewart | Riverchase Country Club |
| 1991 | Lynn Pangburn & Patrick Levin | Green Valley Country Club |
| 1990 | Thomas A. Jones, Jr. & Frank W. Vines, Jr. | Wynakes Golf & Country Club |
| 1989 | Benjamin C. Downley & Joe F. Terrell | Wynakes Golf & Country Club |
| 1988 | Benjamin C. Downley & Joe F. Terrell | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 1987 | Sam Farlow & Maiken Kent | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 1986 | Sam Farlow & Maiken Kent | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 1985 | Sam Farlow & Maiken Kent | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 1984 | Benjamin C. Downley & Joe F. Terrell | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 1983 | Benjamin C. Downley & Joe F. Terrell | Riverchase Country Club |

**18th State Senior Championship
Musgrove Country Club, Jasper, AL
May 15-17, 2015**

David Hancock shot the lowest score of the week as he ran away with 18th State Senior Amateur Championship at Musgrove Country Club in Jasper.

Hancock of Greenville carded a closing 67, added to his earlier rounds of 71-70, to finish on 208, five-under-par.

Hancock competed in the 50-56 age group and won that age group by nine from Claud Cooper of Birmingham (71-73-73--217). He won the overall title by five from Steve Hudson (69-74-70--213) and Mike Greer (73-72-68--213), both of whom play in the 57-64 age group. Hudson won a multi-hole playoff to capture the 57-64 age group.

Wayne Gardner of Mobile shot 71-74-72--217 to win the 65+ age group.

This was Hancock's second win in an AGA championship; he also won the State Senior Four Ball with Ralph Matthews.

"I drove the ball very well again," Hancock said. "I kept it in play and had (birdie) chances all day. I didn't make any mistakes. No three-putts all week. I could have shot a really, really low score.



David Hancock

"I've been in the lead in the final group on the final day multiple times and not got it done. I've not been able to close the door. I finally got one done. My brother (Phil Hancock) has won just about every AGA championship (State Amateur and State Junior). It's very nice to get one too. "

Hancock credited Moore's Mill

(in Auburn) teaching professional Will Blackmon with a helping him with his game.

"I got a lesson last week and it really helped me. This win has inspired me to keep working harder and harder on my game."

18th State Senior Championship Results **Musgrove Country Club**

Championship

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| 1 | David Hancock, Greenville, Ala. | 71-70-67--208 (-5) |
| T2 | Mike Greer, Birmingham, Ala. | 73-72-68--213 (Even) |
| T2 | Steve Hudson, Birmingham, Ala. | 69-74-70--213 (Even) |
| 4 | John Coles III, Birmingham, Ala. | 73-70-72--215 (+2) |
| T5 | Claud Cooper, Birmingham, Ala. | 71-73-73--217 (+4) |
| T5 | David Head, Sterrett, Ala. | 69-72-76--217 (+4) |
| 7 | Hamp Andrews, Mobile, Ala. | 75-71-72--218 (+5) |
| T8 | George Walker, Mobile, Ala. | 71-73-75--219 (+6) |
| T8 | Tony Olive, Muscle Shoals, Ala. | 73-77-69--219 (+6) |
| 10 | Greg Jones Sr, Mobile, Ala. | 72-78-71--221 (+8) |
| T11 | Robert Parmar, Mobile, Ala. | 83-71-69--223 (+10) |
| T11 | William Berkmeier, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-78-73--223 (+10) |
| T13 | Al DelGreco, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-75-77--224 (+11) |
| T13 | Bill Griffin, Birmingham, Ala. | 77-69-78--224 (+11) |
| T15 | Crute Parker, Athens, Alabama | 75-77-73--225 (+12) |
| T15 | Doug Davis, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-72-75--225 (+12) |
| T17 | Kevin Newton, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-74-74--226 (+13) |
| T17 | Mark Hereford, Hoover, Ala. | 74-75-77--226 (+13) |
| T19 | Mark Corley, Owens Cross Roads, Ala. | 81-74-73--228 (+15) |
| T19 | Robert Pewitt, Birmingham, Ala. | 70-78-80--228 (+15) |
| T21 | Harry Kirkland, Decatur, Ala. | 78-74-77--229 (+16) |
| T21 | Jim Ryan, Brewton, Ala. | 76-78-75--229 (+16) |
| T21 | Stan Sherlin, Montgomery, Ala. | 74-75-80--229 (+16) |
| T21 | Walker Grant, Alexander City, Ala. | 76-77-76--229 (+16) |
| T25 | Robert Pittenger, Mobile, Ala. | 79-76-75--230 (+17) |
| T25 | Sam Calloway, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 78-77-75--230 (+17) |
| 27 | David Zauchin, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 77-77-78--232 (+19) |
| T28 | Dana Amberson, Decatur, Ala. | 81-71-81--233 (+20) |
| T28 | Michael Blankenship, Harvest, Ala. | 72-78-83--233 (+20) |
| 30 | Steve Corbett, Phenix City, Ala. | 74-77-83--234 (+21) |
| T31 | Charles Wright, Auburn, Ala. | 76-80-79--235 (+22) |
| T31 | John Stewart, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-78-79--235 (+22) |
| T31 | Terry Gurganus, Jasper, Ala. | 81-75-79--235 (+22) |
| T31 | Tony Parrish, Prattville, Ala. | 78-80-77--235 (+22) |
| 35 | Michael Donnelly, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 77-79-80--236 (+23) |
| T36 | Cal Stanford, Florence, Ala. | 83-75-79--237 (+24) |
| T36 | Donnie Cooper, Huntsville, Ala. | 79-78-80--237 (+24) |
| T36 | Scot Schroder, Hoover, Ala. | 78-80-79--237 (+24) |
| 39 | Ricky McCombs, Kimberly, Ala. | 81-78-79--238 (+25) |
| T40 | David Joffrion, Huntsville, Ala. | 78-80-82--240 (+27) |
| T40 | Steven Crew, Northport, Ala. | 77-81-82--240 (+27) |
| T42 | Bill Moquin, Huntsville, Ala. | 77-81-83--241 (+28) |
| T42 | Philip Hudson, Jasper, Ala. | 81-79-81--241 (+28) |
| 44 | John Mann III, Auburn, Ala. | 81-79-82--242 (+29) |
| 45 | Chip Howell, Anniston, Ala. | 82-78-83--243 (+30) |
| T46 | Don Manuel, Birmingham, Ala. | 76-79-WD--WD (WD) |
| T46 | Frank Dial, Auburn, Ala. | 76-77-WD--WD (WD) |
| T46 | Ralph Mathews, Andalusia, Ala. | 80-78-WD--WD (WD) |

Missed Cut

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| T49 | Clayton Calkins, Jacksonville, Ala. | 78-83--161 (+19) |
| T49 | Jim Skinner, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 80-81--161 (+19) |

18th State Senior Championship Results (Continued)

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| T49 | Scott Martin, Tuscumbia, Ala. | 82-79--161 (+19) |
| T52 | Jimmy Tom Goostree, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 81-81--162 (+20) |
| T52 | Mark Moe, Madison, Ala. | 79-83--162 (+20) |
| T52 | Tim Kreider, Vestavia Hills, Ala. | 81-81--162 (+20) |
| T52 | Tommy Beck, Huntsville, Ala. | 82-80--162 (+20) |
| T56 | Bill Best, Tuscaloosa, Alabama | 83-80--163 (+21) |
| T56 | Jack Doane, Montgomery, Ala. | 83-80--163 (+21) |
| T56 | Rick Stukes, Jasper, Ala. | 81-82--163 (+21) |
| 59 | Richard Harwell, Gulf Shores, Ala. | 84-80--164 (+22) |
| 60 | Earle Bidez, Birmingham, Ala. | 81-84--165 (+23) |
| T61 | Andy Kreider, Birmingham, Ala. | 82-84--166 (+24) |
| T61 | Greg Frazier, Hoover, Ala. | 85-81--166 (+24) |
| T61 | Wendell Underwood, Auburn, Ala. | 87-79--166 (+24) |
| 64 | John Johnson, Duncanville, Ala. | 85-82--167 (+25) |
| 65 | Forrest Wade, Hayden, Ala. | 83-86--169 (+27) |
| T66 | Gary Martin, Hoover, Ala. | 85-85--170 (+28) |
| T66 | Ronny Woodall, Scottsboro, Ala. | 84-86--170 (+28) |
| 68 | Mike McFarland, Birmingham, Ala. | 86-85--171 (+29) |
| 69 | Jimmy Akins, Hoover, AL | 94-100--194 (+52) |
| 70 | Tom Jungkind, Birmingham, Ala. | 75-WD (WD) |
| T71 | Alan Garner, Buhl, Ala. | WD (WD) |
| T71 | Buzz Coons, Birmingham, Ala. | WD (WD) |
| T71 | Rick McLeroy, Huntsville, Ala. | WD (WD) |

Super Senior (65+)

| | | |
|----|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Wayne Gardner, Mobile, Ala. | 71-74-72--217 (+4) |
| 2 | David Fry, Montgomery, Ala. | 74-72-78--224 (+11) |
| 3 | Don Blanton, Selma, Ala. | 74-75-78--227 (+14) |
| 4 | Ron Aldy, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 77-76-76--229 (+16) |
| T5 | Allen Hasbrouck, Huntsville, Ala. | 80-75-75--230 (+17) |
| T5 | Fred Clark, Mobile, Ala. | 78-74-78--230 (+17) |
| 7 | John Gibbs, Oneonta, Ala. | 77-79-76--232 (+19) |
| 8 | Norris Ray, Piedmont, Ala. | 79-79-75--233 (+20) |
| T9 | Chip Woddail, Mobile, Ala. | 80-78-77--235 (+22) |
| T9 | Rick Clay, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-80-83--235 (+22) |
| T9 | Terry Kent, Cullman, Ala. | 82-80-73--235 (+22) |
| 12 | Tom Page, Fort Payne, Ala. | 83-81-75--239 (+26) |
| 13 | David Martin, Piedmont, Ala. | 78-85-79--242 (+29) |
| 14 | Gary Hodge, Madison, Ala. | 83-82-83--248 (+35) |
| 15 | Mike McCollum, Decatur, Ala. | 82-81-DQ--DQ (DQ) |

Missed Cut

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| 16 | Ralph Hamn, Decatur, Ala. | 84-84--168 (+26) |
| T17 | Wayne Fuller, Cullman, Ala. | 86-87--173 (+31) |
| T17 | Wayne McCaleb, McCalla, Ala. | 91-82--173 (+31) |
| 19 | Lyn Malcom, Birmingham, Ala. | 86-92--178 (+36) |
| 20 | Happel Terrell, Madison, Ala. | 85-96--181 (+39) |
| 21 | Bobby Boone, Muscle Shoals, Ala. | 85-99--184 (+42) |
| 22 | Rene Williams, Dora, Ala. | 70-WD (WD) |
| 23 | Henry Patton, Akron, Ala. | WD (WD) |

State Senior Championship Champions

STATE SENIOR (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|---------------|-------|------------------------------|
| 2015 | David Hancock | 208 | Musgrove Country Club |
| 2014 | Steve Hudson | 208 | Selma Country Club |
| 2013 | Emile Vaughn | 214 | Wynlakes Golf & Country Club |
| 2012 | Tom Junkind | 209 | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 2011 | Steve Hudson | 211 | Saugahatchee Country Club |

STATE SENIOR (1998-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|-----------------|-------------------------|
| 2010 | Ralph Mathews | Country Club of Brewton |
| 2009 | Don Blanton | Selma Country Club |
| 2008 | Bob Dumas | Riverchase Country Club |
| 2007 | Emile Vaughan | Limestone Springs |
| 2006 | Frank Johnson | Auburn University Club |
| 2005 | Richard Jeffers | Musgrove Country Club |
| 2004 | Sam Farlow | Hoover Country Club |
| 2003 | Sam Farlow | Country Club of Mobile |
| 2002 | Sam Farlow | Selma Country Club |
| 2001 | Sam Farlow | Musgrove Country Club |
| 2000 | Sam Farlow | Gadsden Country Club |
| 1999 | Joe Terrell | Country Club of Brewton |
| 1998 | Sam Farlow | Country Club of Brewton |

**70th State Junior Championship
Azalea City Golf Course, Mobile, AL
July 28-30, 2015**

William Buhl of Fairhope ended up winning the 70th State Junior Championship at Azalea City Golf Course in Mobile after rounds of 69-67-72--208, eight-under-par, by four shots from Todd DeZoort and Alex Green, but for most of the final round the margin was a lot closer.

Tuscaloosa's Jake DeZoort was tied with Buhl, 18, with three holes to go, but his second shot flew 20 yards over the green on No. 16 leading to a double bogey against Buhl's birdie and the margin was now three.

Defending champion Alex Green of Point Clear would move into a tie for second after DeZoort made bogey on the final hole.

Buhl will be a freshman on the golf team at the University of Arkansas next year and has won the State High School 3-A Individual Championship the last two years playing for Bayside Academy.

He played in his first, and last, State Junior as he will age out next year.

"The thing I learned the most today (Thursday) was patience," Buhl said. "I found myself thinking ahead too many times and that put me in a hole on the front nine as I was pressing as I got off to a slow start."

It was certainly an up-and-down contest between Buhl and DeZoort. After a first hole bogey, DeZoort was quickly three behind, but he had reduced the deficit to just one through seven holes. Buhl made his first birdie of the round on the tough ninth and was two ahead as they made the turn.

However, his approach flew the green on No. 10 resulting in a double bogey and a tie.

A two-putt birdie on No. 11 put Buhl back in front, before an incredible turn of events on No. 12. Buhl found tree trouble and was 25 yards short of the green in three on the par 4 12th. Staring double bogey in the face, he pitched in for an unlikely par. DeZoort made birdie and they were tied again.

"That (chip in) was the shot that kept me in it. Anything could have happened there," Buhl said.

DeZoort birdied the next hole to take the lead for the first time, but he gave it right back with a bogey on No. 14. Things changed again on No. 15 as Buhl found the water with his second shot resulting in bogey and they were tied again.

Then came the turn of events on No. 16 which put Buhl firmly in the drivers seat.

DeZoort will play golf for the University of Alabama in the fall of 2016 and recently participated in the U.S. Junior Amateur and qualified for match play before losing on the final hole in the Round of 64, felt like he "barely missed a shot, but it just wasn't to be."

"I had 140 yards out of the rough into 16 and it flew the green by 20 yards with a gap wedge. I couldn't believe that. I was dead



back there.

"I really felt like I could have shut the door a few times, but never made enough birdies."

Green, who shot 64 in last year's final round at Gadsden CC to win the State Junior by two shots from Steven Setterstrom Jr., started out strong with two birdies on the first two holes, but couldn't get any closer and went three over par for holes 5-7. There was no coming back for him and only a late charge got him a tied for second

This was the final junior tournament for Buhl and Green, with Green set to start his college golf career at the University of Alabama next month, but DeZoort, 17, will get one more crack at it next year.

Andrew Graves of Mobile won the 14-15 age group, with Jacob LeCroy of Anniston second.

Mac Scott of Birmingham won the 12-13 age group, with Birmingham's Evans Gross second.

70th State Junior Championship Results

Azalea City

14-18 Division

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|-----|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | William Buhl, Fairhope, Ala. | 69-67-72--208 (-8) |
| T2 | Alex Green, Point Clear, Ala. | 74-66-72--212 (-4) |
| T2 | Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 67-71-74--212 (-4) |
| T4 | Andrew Graves, Mobile, Ala. | 72-73-71--216 (Even) |
| T4 | Matt Lorenz, Gulf Shores, Ala. | 70-72-74--216 (Even) |
| T4 | Sam Goldasich, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-70-74--216 (Even) |
| T4 | William Walker III, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 72-72-72--216 (Even) |
| T8 | Cody Maddox, Guin, Ala. | 72-73-73--218 (+2) |
| T8 | Harlan Winn, Birmingham, Ala. | 74-68-76--218 (+2) |
| T8 | John Racciatti Jr, Fairhope, Ala. | 70-72-76--218 (+2) |
| T11 | Carden McCay, Trussville, Ala. | 68-73-78--219 (+3) |
| T11 | Connor Newton, Auburn, Ala. | 71-73-75--219 (+3) |
| T11 | Jacob LeCroy, Anniston, Ala. | 72-70-77--219 (+3) |
| T11 | John Snoddy, Birmingham, Ala. | 70-77-72--219 (+3) |
| T11 | Kyle Cornelius, Theodore, Ala. | 73-73-73--219 (+3) |
| T16 | Addison Nix, Auburn, Ala. | 73-74-73--220 (+4) |
| T16 | Harrison Mink, Birmingham, Ala. | 75-73-72--220 (+4) |
| T16 | J. P. Cave, Mobile, Ala. | 73-75-72--220 (+4) |
| T16 | Payton Massey, Theodore, Ala. | 69-77-74--220 (+4) |
| T20 | Blakely Burrow, Birmingham, Ala. | 73-78-70--221 (+5) |
| T20 | Drew Mathers, Mobile, Ala. | 75-73-73--221 (+5) |
| T22 | Felix Ronderos, Mobile, Ala. | 70-78-74--222 (+6) |
| T22 | Reed Love, Trussville, Ala. | 74-75-73--222 (+6) |
| T22 | Spencer Arnold, Mobile, Ala. | 73-73-76--222 (+6) |
| T25 | Austin Coggin, Vestavia Hills, Ala. | 70-73-80--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Crawford Flach, Birmingham, Ala. | 77-70-76--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Jonathan Eyster, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-73-78--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Matthew Parker, Birmingham, Ala. | 75-77-71--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Michael Brown, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-74-71--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Padraic Sim, Spanish Fort, Ala. | 75-76-72--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Thomas Iturbe, Mobile, Ala. | 74-74-75--223 (+7) |
| T25 | Thomas Speigner, Headland, Ala. | 72-77-74--223 (+7) |
| T33 | Charles Wood, Spanish Fort, Ala. | 73-76-75--224 (+8) |
| T33 | Connor Doyal, Homewood, Ala. | 77-75-72--224 (+8) |
| T33 | Jake Tiffin, Hartselle, Ala. | 73-78-73--224 (+8) |
| T33 | John Catanzaro, Gadsden, Ala. | 73-75-76--224 (+8) |
| T33 | Reed Hereford, Hoover, Ala. | 77-71-76--224 (+8) |
| T38 | Brendan Winters, Spanish Fort, Ala. | 74-75-76--225 (+9) |
| T38 | Brent Wright, Mobile, Ala. | 73-77-75--225 (+9) |
| T38 | Harrison Martin, Gadsden, Ala. | 79-71-75--225 (+9) |
| T38 | Preston Jones, Northport, Ala. | 81-71-73--225 (+9) |
| T38 | Sam Murphy, Decatur, Ala. | 76-75-74--225 (+9) |
| T38 | Thomas Ponder, Dothan, Ala. | 75-74-76--225 (+9) |
| T44 | Anthony Lumpkin, Horton, Ala. | 74-77-75--226 (+10) |
| T44 | Noah Whittington, Frisco City, Ala. | 76-76-74--226 (+10) |
| T44 | Trevor Lane, Anniston, Ala. | 74-74-78--226 (+10) |
| T47 | Eli Hodges, Tuscumbia, Ala. | 75-74-78--227 (+11) |
| T47 | Harrison Howell, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 73-77-77--227 (+11) |
| T47 | Jack Sims, Glencoe, Ala. | 73-78-76--227 (+11) |
| T47 | John Hamn, Decatur, Ala. | 76-73-78--227 (+11) |
| T47 | Nicholas Welden, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-73-76--227 (+11) |
| T52 | Blake Schambeau, Hoover, Ala. | 71-77-80--228 (+12) |

70th State Junior Championship Results (Continued)

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| T52 | Conley Miller, Hoover, Ala. | 78-72-78--228 (+12) |
| T52 | Sam Prater, Birmingham, Ala. | 76-75-77--228 (+12) |
| T52 | Wade Duke, Creola, Ala. | 75-77-76--228 (+12) |
| T56 | Austin Gean, Florence, Ala. | 72-79-78--229 (+13) |
| T56 | Chace Lake, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 76-74-79--229 (+13) |
| 58 | Nicholas Cortez, Birmingham, Ala. | 75-75-80--230 (+14) |
| T59 | Garrett Reist, Hartselle, AL | 71-79-82--232 (+16) |
| T59 | Will McFadden, Mobile, Ala. | 73-77-82--232 (+16) |
| T59 | William Speigner, Headland, Ala. | 77-75-80--232 (+16) |
| 62 | Hunter Battles, Tuscumbia, Ala. | 81-72-81--234 (+18) |
| 63 | Justin Vincent, Athens, Ala. | 73-80-83--236 (+20) |
| 64 | Connor Reid, Auburn, Ala. | 77-76-84--237 (+21) |

Missed Cut

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| T65 | Brett Nelson, Auburn, Ala. | 76-77--153 (+9) |
| T65 | Dakota Terry, Trinity, Ala. | 78-75--153 (+9) |
| T65 | Reid Baggett, Athens, Ala. | 80-73--153 (+9) |
| T65 | Tee Brown, Gadsden, Ala. | 77-76--153 (+9) |
| T69 | Brendan Reilly, Mobile, Ala. | 73-81--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Brett Batchelor, Madison, Ala. | 77-77--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Bryce Roush, Fairhope, Ala. | 80-74--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Ethan Hagood, Hoover, Ala. | 80-74--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Hal Dove, Dothan, Ala. | 76-78--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Lee Thornton, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 79-75--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Mac Murphy, Decatur, Ala. | 78-76--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Reynolds Lambert, Birmingham, Ala. | 76-78--154 (+10) |
| T69 | Ryan Sanderson, Auburn, Ala. | 77-77--154 (+10) |
| T78 | Jack Goldasich, Birmingham, Ala. | 83-72--155 (+11) |
| T78 | Jackson Seawell, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 76-79--155 (+11) |
| T78 | Joshua Seal, Russellville, Ala. | 74-81--155 (+11) |
| T78 | Russell Hyde, Huntsville, Ala. | 78-77--155 (+11) |
| T82 | Brant Bishop, Tuscumbia, Ala. | 79-77--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Brendan Keller, Huntsville, Ala. | 76-80--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Ike Alexander, Florence, Ala. | 83-73--156 (+12) |
| T82 | John Gross IV, Birmingham, Ala. | 81-75--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Matt Stuart, Birmingham, Ala. | 76-80--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Nick Robillard, Birmingham, Ala. | 77-79--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Travis Williams, Jasper, Ala. | 78-78--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Varun Yerramsetti, Vestavia Hills, Ala. | 83-73--156 (+12) |
| T82 | Will Solomon, Auburn, Ala. | 78-78--156 (+12) |
| T91 | Benjamin Harris, Homewood, Ala. | 79-78--157 (+13) |
| T91 | Brason Francisco, Enterprise, Ala. | 79-78--157 (+13) |
| T91 | Jordan Smith, Florence, Ala. | 80-77--157 (+13) |
| T91 | Thomas Luther, Hoover, Ala. | 77-80--157 (+13) |
| T91 | William Wethington, Gadsden, Ala. | 79-78--157 (+13) |
| T96 | David Baker, Auburn, Ala. | 82-76--158 (+14) |
| T96 | Hugh Thomas, Birmingham, Ala. | 80-78--158 (+14) |
| T96 | John Kramer, Huntsville, Ala. | 79-79--158 (+14) |
| T96 | Matthew Williams, Gadsden, Ala. | 77-81--158 (+14) |
| T96 | Stephen Cole, Huntsville, Ala. | 77-81--158 (+14) |
| T96 | Stewart Miller, Oneonta, Ala. | 80-78--158 (+14) |
| T96 | Willis Hagan, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-80--158 (+14) |
| T103 | Drennen Beam, Lincoln, Ala. | 76-83--159 (+15) |
| T103 | Jordan Hartsell, Hartselle, Ala. | 79-80--159 (+15) |
| T103 | Logan Wright, Moundville, Ala. | 81-78--159 (+15) |
| T103 | Payton Marsh, Montgomery, Ala. | 84-75--159 (+15) |

70th State Junior Championship Results (Continued)

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| T107 | Chase Thompson, Jasper, Ala. | 79-81--160 (+16) |
| T107 | Christopher Edwards, Trussville, Ala. | 82-78--160 (+16) |
| T107 | Daniel Fontenot, Mobile, Ala. | 81-79--160 (+16) |
| T107 | Noah Olive, Muscle Shoals, Ala. | 81-79--160 (+16) |
| T107 | Tanner Foster, Mobile, Ala. | 79-81--160 (+16) |
| T107 | William Wann, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-82--160 (+16) |
| T107 | Zack Holton, Birmingham, Ala. | 75-85--160 (+16) |
| T114 | Landon Carner, Birmingham, Ala. | 80-81--161 (+17) |
| T114 | Matt Brown, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-83--161 (+17) |
| T114 | Noah Martino, Mobile, Ala. | 81-80--161 (+17) |
| T117 | Andrew Cook, Madison, Ala. | 81-81--162 (+18) |
| T117 | Andrew Ramey, Trussville, Ala. | 79-83--162 (+18) |
| T117 | Logan McCracken, Trussville, Ala. | 80-82--162 (+18) |
| T117 | Ryan Rutherford, Huntsville, Ala. | 85-77--162 (+18) |
| T117 | William Goldasich, Birmingham, Ala. | 82-80--162 (+18) |
| T122 | Chris Doebling, Daphne, Ala. | 80-83--163 (+19) |
| T122 | Hunter Hendricks, Clay, Ala. | 80-83--163 (+19) |
| T122 | Luke Shaw, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 85-78--163 (+19) |
| T125 | Britton Stutts Jr., Birmingham, Ala. | 82-82--164 (+20) |
| T125 | Chase McLelland, Huntsville, Ala. | 89-75--164 (+20) |
| T125 | Gauge Cornelius, Luverne, Ala. | 82-82--164 (+20) |
| T125 | Timothy Morton, Florence, Ala. | 86-78--164 (+20) |
| 129 | Kenneth Goforth, Birmingham, Ala. | 84-81--165 (+21) |
| 130 | Rily McRoy, Huntsville, Ala. | 85-81--166 (+22) |
| 131 | Braxton Lemley, Decatur, Ala. | 86-81--167 (+23) |
| 132 | Jack Blair, Auburn, Ala. | 84-85--169 (+25) |
| 133 | Price Brown, Mobile, Ala. | 79-91--170 (+26) |
| 134 | Chase Foster, Mobile, Ala. | 88-83--171 (+27) |
| T135 | Kristian Haikala, Birmingham, Ala. | 84-88--172 (+28) |
| T135 | Noah Huckeba, Oxford, Ala. | 90-82--172 (+28) |
| 137 | Johnny Nathan, Birmingham, Ala. | 82-91--173 (+29) |
| 138 | James McAlindon, Auburn, Ala. | 88-87--175 (+31) |
| 139 | Sam Brewbaker, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 89-89--178 (+34) |
| 140 | Charlie Smith, Anniston, Ala. | 99-100--199 (+55) |
| 141 | Blake Batchelor, Madison, Ala. | 101-102--203 (+59) |
| T142 | Andrew Brewster, Birmingham, Ala. | 76-WD (WD) |
| T142 | Bay Simpson, Florence, Ala. | WD (WD) |

12-13 Division

| | | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Mac Scott, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-75-75--222 (+6) |
| 2 | Evans Gross, Birmingham, Ala. | 71-73-80--224 (+8) |
| 3 | Dawson Garrett, Fort Payne, Ala. | 74-76-78--228 (+12) |
| 4 | Matthew Streitman, Dothan, Ala. | 76-78-77--231 (+15) |
| 5 | Will Klecka, Huntsville, Ala. | 75-75-84--234 (+18) |

Missed Cut

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|----|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| 6 | Wells Keaton, Mobile, Ala. | 80-77--157 (+13) |
| 7 | Emmett Lee, Dothan, Ala. | 82-76--158 (+14) |
| 8 | Ryley Heath, Decatur, Ala. | 84-79--163 (+19) |
| T9 | B Thames, Mobile, Ala. | 85-87--172 (+28) |
| T9 | Thomas Gaal, Mobile, Ala. | 83-89--172 (+28) |
| 11 | Jake McDonald, Dothan, Ala. | 89-87--176 (+32) |
| 12 | John Gaal, Mobile, Ala. | 83-94--177 (+33) |
| 13 | Ben Andrews, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 92-104--196 (+52) |

9-11 Division (9 Holes)

| | | |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Joseph Sharpe, Mobile, Ala. | 58-47-57--162 (+54) |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------|

State Junior Championship Champions

STATE JUNIOR (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|----------------|-------|--------------------------|
| 2015 | William Buhl | 208 | Azalea City Golf Course |
| 2014 | Alex Green | 201 | Gadsden Country Club |
| 2013 | Connor Slane | 202 | Heron Lakes Country Club |
| 2012 | Forrest Gamble | 65* | Mountain Brook Club |
| 2011 | Stewart Jolly | 212 | Valley Hill Country Club |

*Reduced to one round due to inclement weather

STATE JUNIOR (1984-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 2010 | Bobby Wyatt | Country Club of Mobile |
| 2009 | Bobby Wyatt | Lakewood Golf Club |
| 2008 | Bobby Wyatt | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 2007 | Bobby Wyatt | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 2006 | Jacob Randall | Ol' Colony Golf Complex |
| 2005 | Glenn Northcutt | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 2004 | Patton Kizzire | Indian Hills Country Club |
| 2003 | Patton Kizzire | Gadsden Country Club |
| 2002 | Andrew Medley | Wynlakes Golf & Country Club |
| 2001 | Andrew Medley | Selma Country Club |
| 2000 | Lee Williams | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1999 | Justin Elliott | Musgrove Country Club |
| 1998 | Neil Self | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1997 | Forrest Crabtree | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 1996 | Zach Davis | Hoover Country Club |
| 1995 | Scott Weatherly | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1994 | Cullen Thompson | Vestavia Country Club |
| 1993 | Scott Weatherly | Woodward Country Club |
| 1992 | Chip Deason | Indian Hills Country Club |
| 1991 | Chip Deason | Selma Country Club |
| 1990 | Stewart Cink | Florence Country Club |
| 1989 | Ryan Gump | Anniston Country Club |
| 1988 | Brian Gay | Gulf Shores |
| 1987 | Jimmy Green Jr. | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1986 | Jim Strong | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1985 | Jimmy Green Jr. | Country Club of Andalusia |
| 1984 | Jack Coker Jr. | Bonnie Crest Country Club |

STATE JUNIOR (1947-1983)

| Year | Winner |
|------|------------------|
| 1983 | Chris Gustin |
| 1982 | Chris Gustin |
| 1981 | Greg Jones |
| 1980 | Steve Strickland |
| 1979 | Joey Dzwonkowski |
| 1978 | Robert Nelson |
| 1977 | Steve Lowery |
| 1976 | Steve Cantrell |
| 1975 | Allen Ritchie |
| 1974 | Ralph Mathews |
| 1973 | Steve Brabner |
| 1972 | Bud Smith |
| 1971 | Pete Cobb |

State Junior Championship Champions (Continued)

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----------------|
| 1983 | Chris Gustin | 1964 | Lee Harper |
| 1982 | Chris Gustin | 1963 | Richard Anthony |
| 1981 | Greg Jones | 1962 | B. R. McLendon |
| 1980 | Steve Strickland | 1961 | B. R. McLendon |
| 1979 | Joey Dzwonkowski | 1960 | David Outland |
| 1978 | Robert Nelson | 1959 | Hamp Greene |
| 1977 | Steve Lowery | 1958 | Larry Campbell |
| 1976 | Steve Cantrell | 1957 | Frost Walker |
| 1975 | Allen Ritchie | 1956 | Robert Maness |
| 1974 | Ralph Mathews | 1955 | Robert Maness |
| 1973 | Steve Brabner | 1954 | Roger Suttle |
| 1972 | Bud Smith | 1953 | Jackie Maness |
| 1971 | Pete Cobb | 1952 | Jackie Maness |
| 1970 | Phillip Hancock | 1951 | Milton Wigley |
| 1969 | Jimmy Ryan Jr. | 1950 | Milton Wigley |
| 1968 | Mike Smith | 1949 | Bobby McNeely |
| 1967 | Mike Smith | 1948 | Bobby McNeely |
| 1966 | Ralph Smallman | 1947 | Gilbert Wesley |
| 1965 | Lee Harper | 1946 | Walter Wood |

**15th State Match Play Championship
Montgomery Country Club, Montgomery, AL
August 5-8, 2015**

Patrick Martin has achieved a great deal in his relatively young golf career, but he had yet to win an Alabama Golf Association State Championship.

He rectified that this year by claiming the 15th State Match Play Championship at Montgomery Country Club in a well-contested match with Lee Hodges.

Martin will be an incoming freshman at Vanderbilt and this marked his last tournament of the summer before heading off to start his college career.

The morning of the final day saw him see off former Vanderbilt golfer Richard Douglas of Trussville in the semifinal, going two extra holes to the 20th hole, before edging Douglas.

In the other semifinal current UAB golfer Hodges of Elkmont took down Jake DeZoort, 17, of Tuscaloosa, who will be a freshman on the University of Alabama golf team in the fall of 2016, by a score of 2 up.

In the final, after a brief break for lunch, Martin was always ahead and staked himself to a 3 up lead through 13 holes over Hodges. The match and championship looked to be his in a stroll, but Hodges had other ideas rolling in birdie putts on Nos. 14 and 17 to take the match to the final hole.

Both players hit the 18th green in regulation, but Martin was close to 50 feet above the hole, while Hodges had around 10 feet left for birdie. Martin's putt gathered

pace and ended up six feet below the cup. Hodges could not hole his putt to force extra holes and Martin made his uphill come-backer to claim the title.

"Those (the semifinal and final) were two very good matches," Martin, who graduated from Spain Park High School in May, said.

"I had to play well in both. Lots of good shots, from all players, were on display."

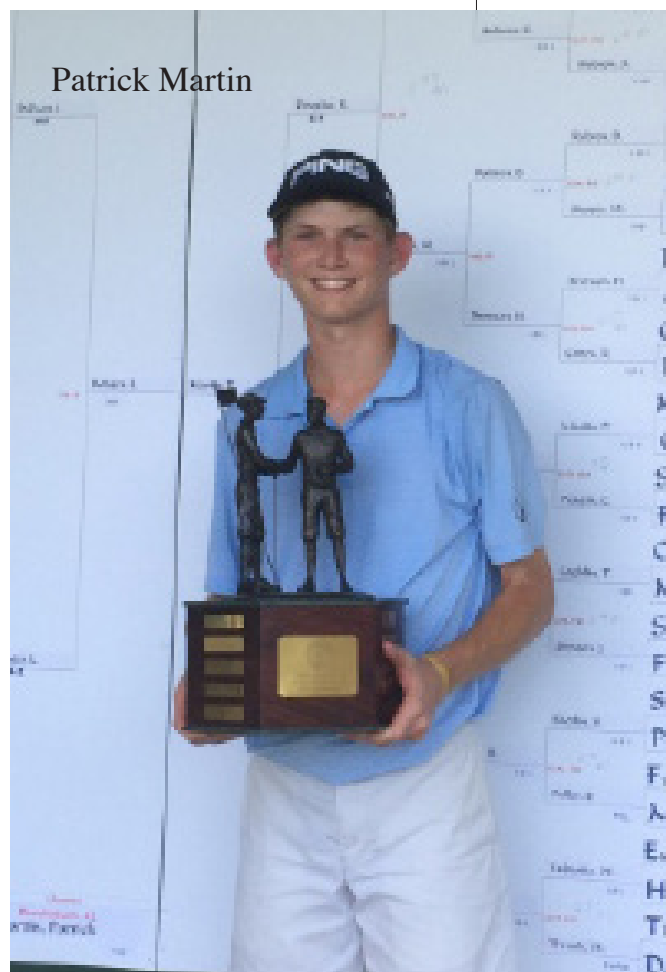
Martin, who finished second in the State Amateur earlier this summer to two-time champion Will Cannon, had to dig deep to close

out the win.

"I've learned a lot this summer and in this championship about staying in the moment with every shot. I've been wanting to win a golf tournament for a while and it was my week to do it."

He thanked his swing instructor, Wayne Flint, and his Dad, Greg Martin, for helping him work on his game.

The championship was a true test of endurance as Martin had to survive six matches over three days to lift the trophy.



15th State Match Play Championship Results
August 6-8, 2015

Upper Half

| Round of 64 08/06/2015 | Round of 32 08/06/2015 | Round of 16 08/07/2015 | Quarterfinal 08/07/2015 | Semifinal 08/08/2015 | |
|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 Matt Johnson, Dothan, AL 7:30 am | Johnson 7 and 6 | | | | |
| 84 Trey Nelson, Birmingham, AL | 11:40 am Hayden 5 and 4 | Hayden 5 and 4 | | | |
| 88 Erich Egul, Hoover, AL 7:37 am | Hayden 7 and 5 | | | | |
| 89 John Hayden, Birmingham, AL | | 7:30 am | DeZorri 4 and 3 | | |
| 90 Jake DeZorri, Tuscaloosa, AL 7:44 am | DeZorri 4 and 2 | DeZorri 4 and 2 | | | |
| 49 David Garcia, Birmingham, AL 12:00 pm | Thompson 19 holes | | | | |
| 17 Claud Cooper, Birmingham, AL 7:51 am | | | | | |
| 48 Todd Thompson, Auburn, Alabama | | | 11:40 am | DeZorri 1 up | |
| 9 Taylor McCullum, Birmingham, AL 7:58 am | Doane 21 holes | | | | |
| 87 Jack Doane, Montgomery, AL 12:25 pm | Schroder 19 holes | Schroder 19 holes | | | |
| 89 Chris Cook, Calera, AL 8:05 am | Schroder 4 and 3 | 7:30 am | Holley 3 and 1 | | |
| 48 Daniel Schroder, Hoover, AL | | | | | |
| 9 Joey Holley, Troy, AL 8:12 am | Holley 19 holes | Holley 1 up | | | |
| 88 Justin Gravesman, Tuscaloosa, AL 12:15 pm | Hunter 8 and 6 | | | | |
| 34 Wesley Hunter, Mobile, AL 8:18 am | | | | | |
| 41 Taylor Jones, Birmingham, Alabama | O'Toole 8 and 6 | O'Toole 5 and 4 | | | |
| 4 John-Michael O'Toole, Pinson, AL 8:28 am | Gean 3 and 1 | 7:40 am | O'Toole 1 up | | |
| 81 Ryan Gean, Hoover, AL 12:30 pm | Wright 5 and 3 | Nix 2 and 1 | | | |
| 89 Austin Gean, Florence, AL 8:33 am | | | | | |
| 88 Connor Poole, Birmingham, AL 8:40 am | 1:12 pm Nix 19 holes | | | | |
| 10 Shane Wright, Montgomery, Alabama | | | | | |
| 88 Josh Flitay, Montgomery, AL 8:47 am | | | | | |
| 39 Joseph Forner, Birmingham, AL | | | | | |
| 48 Ashton Nix, Auburn, AL | | | | | |
| 9 Sheldon Skalkewicz, Mobile, AL 8:54 am | Skalkewicz 5 and 3 | O'Toole 5 and 4 | | | |
| 88 Jeremy Woody, Auburn, AL 1:05 pm | O'Toole 2 and 1 | 7:54 am | Hodges 4 and 3 | | |
| 39 Jordan Maynor, Antebuck, AL 8:01 am | | | | | |
| 87 Cody O'Toole, Crestola, Alabama | | | | | |
| 12 Lee Hodges, Athens, AL 8:08 am | Hodges 9 and 8 | Hodges 4 and 3 | | | |
| 88 Nick Massey, Carbon Hill, AL 12:55 pm | | | | | |
| 21 Carl Norman, Greenville, AL 8:15 am | Norman 4 and 2 | | | | |
| 44 Juddy Catton, Florence, AL | | | | | |
| | | | | | Final Sat, Aug 8 11:50 am |
| | | | | | Champion 1 up Martin, Patrick |

15th State Match Play Championship Results
August 6-8, 2015

Lower Half

| Semifinal 08/08/2015 | Quarterfinal 08/07/2015 | Round of 16 08/07/2015 | Round of 32 08/06/2015 | Round of 64 08/06/2015 |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| | | | March 1 up | Will Carson, Birmingham, AL 2 |
| | | Douglas 1 up | 11:50 am | 7:30 am Payton Marsh, Montgomery, AL 68 |
| | | | Douglas 6 and 5 | Richard Douglas, Trussville, AL 81 |
| | Douglas 1 up | 8:02 am | | 7:37 am Ivan Truss, Clark, AL 84 |
| | | Hudson 5 and 4 | Watkins 2 and 1 | Sleeve Manchester, Birmingham, AL 18 |
| | | | 12:07 pm | 7:44 am James Watkins, Hoover, AL 89 |
| | | | Hudson 1 up | Sleeve Hudson, Birmingham, AL 18 |
| | | | | 7:51 am Garrett Moores, Huntsville, AL 47 |
| | 11:50 am | | | Brenda Rabren, Ardabara, AL 7 |
| | | Rabren 2 and 1 | Rabren 4 and 2 | 7:58 am Paul McGee, Birmingham, AL 88 |
| | | | 12:30 pm | Lea Mitchell, Birmingham, AL 38 |
| | | | Hosper 1 up | 8:05 am Wells Hosper, Montgomery, AL 39 |
| | Blomson 3 and 2 | 8:10 am | | Hunter Blomson, Montgomery, AL 10 |
| | | Blomson 3 and 2 | Blomson 2 and 1 | 8:12 am Robbie Alt, Montgomery, AL 87 |
| | | | 12:37 pm | Robbie Colten, Brewton, AL 38 |
| | | | Colten 2 and 1 | 8:18 am Bradley Pale, Birmingham, AL 42 |
| | | | | Patrick Marlin, Birmingham, AL 8 |
| | | | Marlin 4 and 3 | 8:28 am Michael Gallups, Montgomery, AL 62 |
| | | Marlin 2 up | 12:20 pm | Jordan Smith, Florence, AL 38 |
| | | | Fosgh 5 and 4 | 8:33 am Chase Fosgh, Dallas, AL 37 |
| | Marlin 5 and 3 | 8:18 am | | Tonie Coghlin, Irondale, AL 14 |
| | | | Coghlin 3 and 1 | 8:40 am Bill McGowan, Montgomery, AL 81 |
| | | Silmsen 4 and 2 | 12:50 pm | Jacob Silmsen, Montgomery, AL 18 |
| | | | Silmsen 3 and 1 | 8:47 am Zack Freeman, Placem, AL 48 |
| | 12:25 pm | | | Shan Shealin, Montgomery, AL 8 |
| | | | Shelin 4 and 3 | 8:54 am Sara Proler, Birmingham, AL 88 |
| | | Fuller 3 and 1 | 12:44 pm | Ben Fuller, Birmingham, AL 27 |
| | | | Fuller Disqualified | 9:01 am Conner McConaghy, Sabana, AL 38 |
| | Fuller 2 up | 8:28 am | | Woodie Eubanks, Trussville, AL 11 |
| | | | Eubanks 3 and 2 | 9:08 am Bairson Holder, Point Clear, AL 84 |
| | | Thrash 5 and 3 | 12:57 pm | Will Thrash, Prichville, AL 22 |
| | | | Thrash Forfeit | 9:15 am Jason DeLuccano, Birmingham, AL 48 |
| Marlin 20 holes | 7:38 am | | | |

15th State Match Play Championship (Continued)

Round of 64

- (1) Matt Johnson, Dothan, Ala. def. (64) Trey Nelson, Birmingham, Ala. , 7 and 6
- (33) John Hayden, Birmingham, Ala. def. (32) Erich Egui, Hoover, Ala. , 7 and 5
- (16) Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (49) David Gannon, Birmingham, Ala. , 4 and 2
- (48) Todd Thompson, Auburn, Alabama def. (17) Claud Cooper, Birmingham, Ala. , 19 holes
- (57) Jack Doane, Montgomery, Ala. def. (8) Taylor McCullum, Birmingham, Ala. , 21 holes
- (40) Daniel Schroder, Hoover, Ala. def. (25) Chris Cook, Calera, Ala. , 4 and 3
- (9) Joey Holley, Troy, Ala. def. (56) Justin Graveman, Trussville , Ala. , 19 holes
- (24) Wesley Hunter, Mobile , Ala. def. (41) Taylor Jones, Birmingham, Alabama , 8 and 6
- (4) John-Michael O'Toole, Pinson, Ala. def. (61) Ryan Nance, Hoover, Ala. , 8 and 6
- (29) Austin Gean, Florence, Ala. def. (36) Conner Pratt, Birmingham, Ala. , 3 and 1
- (13) Shane Wright, Montgomery, Alabama def. (52) Josh Finlay, Montgomery, Ala. , 5 and 3
- (45) Ashton Nix, Auburn, Ala. def. (20) Joseph Fortner, Birmingham, Ala. , 19 holes
- (5) Sheldon Statkewicz, Mobile, Ala. def. (60) Jeramy Woody, Auburn, Ala. , 5 and 3
- (37) Cody O'Toole, Oneonta, Alabama def. (28) Jordan Maynor, Andalusia, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (12) Lee Hodges, Athens, Ala. def. (53) Nick Massey, Carbon Hill, Ala. , 9 and 8
- (21) Cam Norman, Greenville, Ala. def. (44) Juddy Carlton, Florence, Ala. , 4 and 2
- (63) Payton Marsh, Montgomery, Ala. def. (2) Will Cannon, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up
- (31) Richard Douglas, Trussville, Ala. def. (34) Ivan Truss, Clanton, Ala. , 6 and 5
- (50) James Watkins, Hoover, Ala. def. (15) Steve Muncher, Birmingham, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (18) Steve Hudson, Birmingham, Ala. def. (47) Garrett Moores, Huntsville, Ala. , 1 up
- (7) Brooks Rabren, Andalusia, Ala. def. (58) Paul McGee, Birmingham, Ala. , 4 and 2
- (39) Wells Hooper, Montgomery, Ala. def. (26) Lew Mitchell, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up
- (10) Hunter Bronson, Montgomery, Ala. def. (55) Robbie Abt, Montgomery, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (23) Robbie Cotten, Brewton, Ala. def. (42) Bradley Pate, Birmingham, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (3) Patrick Martin, Birmingham, Ala. def. (62) Michael Gallops, Montgomery, Ala. , 4 and 3
- (35) Chase Feagin, Dothan, Ala. def. (30) Jordan Smith, Florence, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (14) Torrie Coghlin, Irondale, Ala. def. (51) Bill McGowin, Montgomery, Ala. , 3 and 1
- (19) Jacob Stinson, Montgomery, Ala. def. (46) Zack Freeman, Pinson, Ala. , 3 and 1
- (6) Stan Sherlin, Montgomery, Ala. def. (59) Sam Prater, Birmingham, Ala. , 4 and 3
- (27) Ben Fuller, Birmingham, Ala. def. (38) Conner McConaghy, Satsuma, Ala. , Disqualified
- (11) Woodie Eubanks, Trussville, Ala. def. (54) Brinson Holder, Point Clear, Ala. , 3 and 2
- (22) Will Thrash, Prattville, Ala. def. (43) Jason DeJiacomo, Birmingham, Ala. , Forfeit

Round of 32

- (33) John Hayden, Birmingham, Ala. def. (1) Matt Johnson, Dothan, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (16) Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (48) Todd Thompson, Auburn, Alabama , 4 and 2
- (40) Daniel Schroder, Hoover, Ala. def. (57) Jack Doane, Montgomery, Ala. , 19 holes
- (9) Joey Holley, Troy, Ala. def. (24) Wesley Hunter, Mobile , Ala. , 1 up
- (4) John-Michael O'Toole, Pinson, Ala. def. (29) Austin Gean, Florence, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (45) Ashton Nix, Auburn, Ala. def. (13) Shane Wright, Montgomery, Alabama , 2 and 1
- (37) Cody O'Toole, Oneonta, Alabama def. (5) Sheldon Statkewicz, Mobile, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (12) Lee Hodges, Athens, Ala. def. (21) Cam Norman, Greenville, Ala. , 4 and 3
- (31) Richard Douglas, Trussville, Ala. def. (63) Payton Marsh, Montgomery, Ala. , 1 up
- (18) Steve Hudson, Birmingham, Ala. def. (50) James Watkins, Hoover, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (7) Brooks Rabren, Andalusia, Ala. def. (39) Wells Hooper, Montgomery, Ala. , 2 and 1

15th State Match Play Championship (Continued)

- (10) Hunter Bronson, Montgomery, Ala. def. (23) Robbie Cotten, Brewton, Ala. , 3 and 2
(3) Patrick Martin, Birmingham, Ala. def. (35) Chase Feagin, Dothan, Ala. , 2 up
(19) Jacob Stinson, Montgomery, Ala. def. (14) Torrie Coghlin, Irondale, Ala. , 4 and 2
(27) Ben Fuller, Birmingham, Ala. def. (6) Stan Sherlin, Montgomery, Ala. , 3 and 1
(22) Will Thrash, Prattville, Ala. def. (11) Woodie Eubanks, Trussville, Ala. , 5 and 3

Round of 16

- (16) Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (33) John Hayden, Birmingham, Ala. , 4 and 3
(9) Joey Holley, Troy, Ala. def. (40) Daniel Schroder, Hoover, Ala. , 3 and 1
(4) John-Michael O'Toole, Pinson, Ala. def. (45) Ashton Nix, Auburn, Ala. , 1 up
(12) Lee Hodges, Athens, Ala. def. (37) Cody O'Toole, Oneonta, Alabama , 4 and 3
(31) Richard Douglas, Trussville, Ala. def. (18) Steve Hudson, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up
(10) Hunter Bronson, Montgomery, Ala. def. (7) Brooks Rabren, Andalusia, Ala. , 3 and 2
(3) Patrick Martin, Birmingham, Ala. def. (19) Jacob Stinson, Montgomery, Ala. , 5 and 3
(27) Ben Fuller, Birmingham, Ala. def. (22) Will Thrash, Prattville, Ala. , 2 up

Quarterfinal

- (16) Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (9) Joey Holley, Troy, Ala. , 1 up
(12) Lee Hodges, Athens, Ala. def. (4) John-Michael O'Toole, Pinson, Ala. , 3 and 2
(31) Richard Douglas, Trussville, Ala. def. (10) Hunter Bronson, Montgomery, Ala. , 2 and 1
(3) Patrick Martin, Birmingham, Ala. def. (27) Ben Fuller, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up

Semifinal

- (12) Lee Hodges, Athens, Ala. def. (16) Jake DeZoort, Tuscaloosa, Ala. , 2 up
(3) Patrick Martin, Birmingham, Ala. def. (31) Richard Douglas, Trussville, Ala. , 20 holes

Final

- (3) Patrick Martin, Birmingham, Ala. def. (12) Lee Hodges, Athens, Ala. , 1 up

State Match Play Championship Champions

STATE MATCH PLAY (2011-present)

| Year | Winner/Runner-up | Score | Site |
|------|---|----------|-----------------------------|
| 2015 | Patrick Martin def. Lee Hodges | 2 up | Montgomery Country Club |
| 2014 | Tyler Hitchner def. Sheldon Statkewicz | 19 holes | Cherokee Ridge Country Club |
| 2013 | Thomas Sutton def. Sam Love | 4 and 3 | Moore's Mill Club |
| 2012 | Casey O'Toole def. Thomas Sutton | 19 holes | Lakewood Golf Club |
| 2011 | McLain Leberte def. Casey O'Toole | 2 and 1 | Limestone Springs Golf Club |

STATE MATCH PLAY (2001-2009)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2010 | Michael Johnson | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 2009 | Scott Strohmeier | Dothan Country Club |
| 2008 | Glenn Northcutt | Ol' Colony Golf Complex |
| 2007 | Joseph Sykora | FarmLinks |
| 2006 | Patton Kizzire | Kiva Dunes |
| 2005 | Joseph Sykora | Steelwood Country Club |
| 2004 | Garrett Osborn | Saugahatchee Country Club |
| 2003 | Patton Kizzire | Hoover Country Club |
| 2002 | Lee Williams | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 2001 | Will Swift | Limestone Springs |

27th State Mid-Amateur Championship **Wynlakes Golf & Country Club, Montgomery, AL** **September 18-20, 2015**

Jeff Taylor led wire-to-wire as he captured the 27th State Mid-Amateur Championship at his home course, Wynlakes Golf & Country Club in Montgomery, after rounds of 68-70-73-211, five-under-par.

Freeman Fite of Anniston (70-73-71) and Shaw Pritchett of Montgomery (72-71-71) finished tied for second on 214.

The last time Wynlakes hosted the Mid-Amateur in 2010, Taylor was also in the thick of the action, eventually losing in a playoff to Steve Hudson. This year, he went one better.

He started with an opening birdie, after two towering shots to reach the par 5 in two, and added another birdie on No. 16. In-between, he had bogeys on holes 3, 4 and 11, but managed to get the job done.

Former University of Alabama

golfer Fite got as close as one through 13 holes, but a bogey on 14 coupled with Taylor's birdie on 16 meant the eventual difference was three shots.

"I know it sounds funny, but I was struggling with my swing so much (in the final round) that I was more focused on that (than the situation)," Taylor said.

"Normally I hit a lot more drivers than I did, but I was struggling with what is normally my go-to club."

No matter as his 3-wood stood him in good stead as he made a lot of solid pars to consolidate his position and win the day.

"I didn't know where I stood (in the championship), which is a good thing because I'm a naturally nervous and anxious individual. I said to myself if I could shoot level par (in the final round) I'd be happy with that and if somebody

beat me, they beat me.

"I enjoy golf. Competition is fun, but I don't want to do it all the time. Playing at home is great for me.

"My joy lies in my family (his wife Emily and their two children)."

Taylor played college golf for Wallace State Junior College from 1989-91 and Troy University the following two years. Born and raised in Montgomery, he now lives adjacent to the 15th green at Wynlakes.

He came into the championship riding the confidence of shooting a 65 last week with his usual group of buddies.

"I was more nervous the first two days for some reason. I just told myself whatever happens happens (in the final round)."

What happened is he is now a State champion.

"Some redemption from last time here (when he lost to Steve Hudson in a playoff for the 2010 State Mid-Amateur.)"



27th State Mid-Amateur Championship Results
Wynlakes Country Club

| Place | Competitor | Score |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Jeff Taylor, Montgomery, Ala. | 68-70-73--211 (-5) |
| T2 | Shaw Pritchett, Montgomery, Ala. | 72-71-71--214 (-2) |
| T2 | Freeman Fite, Anniston, Ala. | 70-73-71--214 (-2) |
| T4 | Haymes Snedeker, Fairhope, Ala. | 74-72-71--217 (+1) |
| T4 | Matt Johnson, Dothan, Ala. | 70-75-72--217 (+1) |
| T6 | Emile Vaughan, Pike Road, Ala. | 72-70-76--218 (+2) |
| T6 | Ryan Campbell, Meridianville, Ala. | 72-72-74--218 (+2) |
| T6 | Steve Hudson, Birmingham, Ala. | 74-72-72--218 (+2) |
| T6 | Vic Kyatt III, Birmingham, Ala. | 69-74-75--218 (+2) |
| T6 | Lew Mitchell, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-72-74--218 (+2) |
| T11 | Hunter Bronson, Montgomery, Ala. | 69-74-76--219 (+3) |
| T11 | Robert Nelson, Fairhope, Ala. | 74-73-72--219 (+3) |
| T13 | Andy McRae, Hoover, Ala. | 72-75-73--220 (+4) |
| T13 | Clay Guerin, Birmingham, Ala. | 74-77-69--220 (+4) |
| T13 | Woodie Eubanks, Trussville, Ala. | 72-69-79--220 (+4) |
| T13 | John Wright, Gulf Shores, Ala. | 76-72-72--220 (+4) |
| T17 | Collin McCrary, Troy, Ala. | 73-73-75--221 (+5) |
| T17 | Walker Grant, Alexander City, Ala. | 74-76-71--221 (+5) |
| T19 | Claud Cooper, Birmingham, Ala. | 70-77-75--222 (+6) |
| T19 | Matthew Gurgeot, Decatur, Ala. | 74-74-74--222 (+6) |
| T19 | Robbie Abt, Montgomery, Ala. | 71-75-76--222 (+6) |
| T19 | Tobin Ayers, Auburn, Ala. | 74-74-74--222 (+6) |
| 23 | Robbie Cotten, Brewton, Ala. | 78-72-73--223 (+7) |
| 24 | Adam Jacobs, Arab, Ala. | 73-79-73--225 (+9) |
| T25 | Jonathan Spann, Huntsville, Ala. | 75-77-74--226 (+10) |
| T25 | Scott Cornette, Montgomery, Ala. | 77-69-80--226 (+10) |
| T27 | Chris Lemley, Decatur, Ala. | 73-77-77--227 (+11) |
| T27 | John Darby, Pelham, Ala. | 77-76-74--227 (+11) |
| T27 | Kyle Demeester, Madison, Ala. | 77-71-79--227 (+11) |
| T30 | David Head, Sterrett, Ala. | 79-74-75--228 (+12) |
| T30 | Jordy Hayden, Fairhope, Ala. | 77-72-79--228 (+12) |
| T32 | Ralph Mathews, Andalusia, Ala. | 77-78-74--229 (+13) |
| T32 | Ty Patterson, Hoover, Ala. | 74-80-75--229 (+13) |
| T32 | Richard Schmidt, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-78-73--229 (+13) |
| T35 | Will Swift, Hoover, Ala. | 77-77-76--230 (+14) |
| T35 | Alan King, Enterprise, Ala. | 74-82-74--230 (+14) |
| T37 | Cypress Hathorn, Pell City, Ala. | 82-74-75--231 (+15) |
| T37 | Tony Parrish, Prattville, Ala. | 75-77-79--231 (+15) |
| T37 | Mark Corley, Owens Cross Roads, Ala. | 79-77-75--231 (+15) |
| T37 | Torrie Coghlin, Irondale, Ala. | 74-75-82--231 (+15) |
| 41 | Robson Copenhaver, Scottsboro, Ala. | 81-71-80--232 (+16) |
| T42 | Thomas Porter, Prattville, Ala. | 79-76-78--233 (+17) |
| T42 | Trip Smalley, Mobile, Ala. | 77-77-79--233 (+17) |
| 44 | Brannan Ward Reaves, Montgomery, Ala. | 78-79-77--234 (+18) |
| T45 | Alan Allgood, Fairhope, Ala. | 81-75-79--235 (+19) |
| T45 | Tony Raycraft, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-73-84--235 (+19) |
| T45 | Dustin Schaefer, Huntsville, Ala. | 80-77-78--235 (+19) |
| T45 | Keith Rains, Birmingham, Ala. | 79-77-79--235 (+19) |
| T49 | Jordan Maynor, Andalusia, Ala. | 71-84-81--236 (+20) |
| T49 | Bradley Pate, Birmingham, Ala. | 77-79-80--236 (+20) |

27th State Mid-Amateur Championship Results (continued)

| | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| T51 | Jeffrey Dunn, Montgomery, Ala. | 79-75-83--237 (+21) |
| T51 | Cody Causey, Elmore, Ala. | 75-82-80--237 (+21) |
| 53 | David Baker, Madison, Ala. | 76-81-81--238 (+22) |
| T54 | Chris Hancock, Scottsboro, Ala. | 81-76-82--239 (+23) |
| T54 | Earle Bidez, Birmingham, Ala. | 77-80-82--239 (+23) |
| 56 | Jeff Parker, Pike Road, Ala. | 77-79-86--242 (+26) |
| T57 | Elliott Jones, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 75-81-87--243 (+27) |
| T57 | James Debray, Pike Road, Ala. | 78-80-85--243 (+27) |
| T59 | John Coles III, Birmingham, Ala. | 74-80-DQ--DQ (DQ) |
| Missed Cut | | |
| T59 | Jim McClary, Athens, Ala. | 78-79-DQ--DQ (DQ) |
| T61 | Alan Coshatt, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-81 (+15) |
| T61 | Josh Finlay, Montgomery, Ala. | 79-80 (+15) |
| T61 | Brandon Griffin, Birmingham, Ala. | 79-80 (+15) |
| T64 | Clint Calvert, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-82 (+16) |
| T64 | Stan Sherlin, Montgomery, Ala. | 81-79 (+16) |
| T64 | Lance Cabaniss, Russellville, Ala. | 80-80 (+16) |
| T67 | Eric Shore, Auburn, Ala. | 84-77 (+17) |
| T67 | Joseph Fortner, Birmingham, Ala. | 85-76 (+17) |
| T67 | Corey Ray, Boaz, Ala. | 80-81 (+17) |
| T70 | Alex Balog, Millbrook, Ala. | 78-84 (+18) |
| T70 | George Walker, Mobile, Ala. | 84-78 (+18) |
| T70 | Stan Scott, Dothan, Ala. | 82-80 (+18) |
| 73 | Clark Alexander, Prattville, Ala. | 83-80 (+19) |
| T74 | Anoop Sattineni, Auburn, Ala. | 84-80 (+20) |
| T74 | Chase Kennedy, Morris, Ala. | 87-77 (+20) |
| T74 | Chris Cook, Calera, Ala. | 82-82 (+20) |
| T77 | James McMinn, Madison, Ala. | 79-86 (+21) |
| T77 | James Eli Griffith, Huntsville, Ala. | 86-79 (+21) |
| T77 | Brian Foy, Huntsville, Ala. | 84-81 (+21) |
| 80 | Eric Neiman, Florence, Ala. | 81-86 (+23) |
| T81 | Jeremy Burns, Birmingham, Ala. | 79-91 (+26) |
| T81 | Forrest Wade, Hayden, Ala. | 82-88 (+26) |
| 83 | Patrick Taylor, Birmingham, Ala. | 88-84 (+28) |
| T84 | Porter Reaves, Montgomery, Ala. | 91-82 (+29) |
| T84 | Ryan Nance, Hoover, Ala. | 87-86 (+29) |
| T84 | Drew Stevens, Vestavia Hills, Ala. | 91-82 (+29) |
| T84 | Samuel Wallace, Decatur, Ala. | 88-85 (+29) |
| 88 | Jason Eubanks, Dothan, Alabama | 83-91 (+30) |
| 89 | Wendell Underwood, Auburn, Ala. | 85-91 (+32) |
| 90 | Matthew Morris, Helena, Ala. | 93-84 (+33) |
| 91 | Ron Jordan, Mobile, Ala. | 93-85 (+34) |
| 92 | Russell Jennings, Birmingham, Ala. | 88-95 (+39) |
| 93 | Greg Frazier, Hoover, Ala. | 90-95 (+41) |
| T94 | Kenny Capouya, Montgomery, Ala. | 97-89 (+42) |
| T94 | Nicholas Hall, Opelika, Ala. | 90-96 (+42) |
| T96 | Darryl Parker, Birmingham, Ala. | 85-DQ (DQ) |
| T96 | Chad Applin, Owens Cross Roads, Ala. | 88-WD (WD) |
| T96 | Jace Gordon, Birmingham, Ala. | 84-DQ (DQ) |

State Mid-Amateur Championship Champions

STATE MID-AMATEUR (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|----------------|-------|----------------------------------|
| 2015 | Jeff Taylor | 211 | Wynlakes Golf & Country Club |
| 2014 | Vic Kyatt, III | 206 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 2013 | Torrie Coghlin | 205 | Canebreak Country Club |
| 2012 | Steve Hudson | 208 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 2011 | Matt Johnson | 205 | Gadsden Country Club |

STATE MID-AMATEUR (1989-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| 2010 | Steve Hudson | Wynlakes Golf & Country Club |
| 2009 | Robert Nelson | FarmLinks |
| 2008 | Woodie Eubanks | The Ledges |
| 2007 | Will Swift | Mountain Brook Club |
| 2006 | Will Swift | Country Club of Mobile |
| 2005 | Robbie Cotton | Country Club of Brewton |
| 2004 | Richard Jeffers | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 2003 | Scott Weaver | Wynlakes Golf & Country Club |
| 2002 | Scott Weaver | Gadsden Country Club |
| 2001 | Scott Weaver | Riverchase Country Club |
| 2000 | Eric Hamilton | Anniston Country Club |
| 1999 | Robbie Cotton | Hoover Country Club |
| 1998 | Mike Gree | Musgrove Country Club |
| 1997 | Stan Sherlin | Terri Pines Country Club |
| 1996 | Stan Sherlin | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1995 | Patrick Levio | Woodward Country Club |
| 1994 | Eric Hamilton | Musgrove Country Club |
| 1993 | Mike Greer | Inverness Country Club |
| 1992 | Mike Greer | Selma Country Club |
| 1991 | Allen Yeilding | Indian Hills Country Club |
| 1990 | Tab Hudson | Green Valley Country Club |
| 1989 | Emile Vaughn | Chace Lake Country Club |

21st State Senior Four-Ball Championship
The Ledges of Huntsville Mountain, Huntsville, AL
October 9-11, 2015

The team of Del Wood III and Doug Davis captured the 21st State Senior Four-Ball Championship at The Ledges of Huntsville Mountain after rounds of 64-66-65—195, 18-under-par. They won by two over Dana Amberson of Decatur and Ray Halbrooks of Hartselle who combined for rounds of 67-66-64—197.

Wood of Vestavia Hills and Birmingham's Davis have now won both the Senior and Regular Four-Ball State Championships. Wood won the Regular with Alan Coshatt and Davis won with Tommy Coggin.

They began the final round trailing overnight leaders Clint Compton and Mike Lewis by two, but a strong final round from Wood and Davis was good enough, as Compton and Lewis struggled the final day.

Wood and Davis had birdies on

Nos. 5, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15 and 17 against bogeys on Nos. 10 and 18.

They played together in the championship last year in their first year to be eligible as a team, but did not factor. They certainly did this year.

"We've known each other a long time and have played in

goal of ours to do well in it."

Davis credited Wood with strong play in the final round.

"I played OK, but Del played real well. We knew we were in the lead towards the end, but were never totally comfortable.

"There are not that many players to have won the junior and senior four ball. That's pretty cool."

Wood said his back "had been out of kilter for about four months," but getting ready for this championship got him going.

"It feels really good right now to win. The whole situation is very speciAL"

Del Wood III and Doug Davis



a number of Member-Member tournaments at Vestavia (Country Club)," Davis said.

"We started talking about pairing up (in the State Senior Four Ball) a few years ago and it was a

21st State Senior Four-Ball Championship Results

The Ledges

Place Team Score

| | | |
|-----|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Doug Davis / Del Wood III | 64-66-65--195 (-18) |
| 2 | Dana Amberson / Ray Halbrooks | 67-66-64--197 (-16) |
| 3 | Sam Gannaway / Robert Pewitt | 67-67-65--199 (-14) |
| 4 | Clark Alexander / Tony Parrish | 71-67-63--201 (-12) |
| T5 | Clint Compton / Mike Lewis | 63-65-74--202 (-11) |
| T5 | David Clayton / Kevin Newton | 69-70-63--202 (-11) |
| T5 | David Hancock / Ralph Mathews | 68-70-64--202 (-11) |
| 8 | Walker Grant / Robert Nelson | 65-69-69--203 (-10) |
| T9 | Don Blanton / Claud Cooper | 66-71-68--205 (-8) |
| T9 | Joey Holley / Steve Hudson | 70-71-64--205 (-8) |
| T9 | Mike Greer / Tom Jungkind | 73-68-64--205 (-8) |
| T9 | Tommy Beck / Mark Corley | 67-69-69--205 (-8) |
| T9 | William Berkmeier / Scot Schroder | 69-70-66--205 (-8) |
| T14 | John Coles III / Bill Griffin | 64-70-72--206 (-7) |
| T14 | Richard Jeffers / Mark Miller | 70-71-65--206 (-7) |
| T14 | Scott Martin / Tony Olive | 70-71-65--206 (-7) |
| T17 | Anthony Jones / Harry Lioce | 67-67-73--207 (-6) |
| T17 | Jeff Hall / Tim Ryberg | 64-71-72--207 (-6) |
| 19 | Flip Bradley / Bill Moquin | 72-67-69--208 (-5) |
| 20 | Collin McCrary / Mints McGowin | 72-68-69--209 (-4) |
| T21 | John Gibbs / Ted Sartin | 68-75-67--210 (-3) |
| T21 | Mark Barron / Lee McDaniel | 73-67-70--210 (-3) |
| T21 | Rick Houston / Dave Wallenstein | 69-72-69--210 (-3) |
| 24 | Scott McCary / Bill Scrip | 71-69-72--212 (-1) |
| T25 | David Joffrion / John Watts | 68-71-74--213 (Even) |
| T25 | Drew Bass / Steve Norman | 69-71-73--213 (Even) |
| 27 | Gene Clements / Russell Hulsey | 75-66-73--214 (+1) |
| 28 | Mike Cochran / Benji Willmon | 70-73-73--216 (+3) |
| T29 | David Carden / Donnie Cooper | 71-68-78--217 (+4) |
| T29 | John Cook / Bruce Umstaedter | 72-71-74--217 (+4) |
| T29 | Paul Crowell / Ray Whitt | 68-72-77--217 (+4) |
| 32 | David Harwell / Allen Hasbrouck | 73-71-78--222 (+9) |

Missed Cut

| | | |
|-----|---------------------------------|------------|
| T33 | Greg McCormick / Scott Seeley | 73-72 (+3) |
| T33 | Ricky McCombs / Larry Quick | 69-76 (+3) |
| T35 | Joe Davidson / Bryan Keim | 71-76 (+5) |
| T35 | Mike Fosdick / Chip Woddail | 75-72 (+5) |
| T37 | Dave Beard / Steve Cragon | 73-75 (+6) |
| T37 | David Williams / Tommy Williams | 74-74 (+6) |
| T37 | Philip Traylor / Walter Watts | 73-75 (+6) |

21st State Senior Four-Ball Championship Results
The Ledges

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|-----|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 40 | John Harvilla / Kenneth Wright | 74-75 (+7) |
| T41 | Jeff Fenton / Louis Tominack II | 75-75 (+8) |
| T41 | Scott Tillery / Ken Warmath | 75-75 (+8) |
| T43 | Dondi Burcham / Mike Haghighi | 74-77 (+9) |
| T43 | John Beatty / Rick McLeroy | 72-79 (+9) |
| T43 | Roscoe Johnson / Carl Jones | 78-73 (+9) |
| 46 | Randy Fowler / Mike Tatum | 76-76 (+10) |
| 47 | Scott Fulmore / Happel Terrell | 78-76 (+12) |
| T48 | Fred Lemberg / Doug Schram | 75-80 (+13) |
| T48 | Joe Atnip / Randel Carden | 78-77 (+13) |
| T50 | John Bynum / Ronny Woodall | 77-79 (+14) |
| T50 | Michael Brown / Robert Stacey | 78-78 (+14) |
| 52 | James Sears / David Tomlinson | 74-84 (+16) |
| 53 | David Mahlik Jr / Dwight Potter | 80-80 (+18) |
| 54 | James Craft / Harold Huggins | 86-89 (+33) |

State Senior Four Ball Championship Champions

STATE SENIOR FOUR-BALL (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| 2015 | Del Wood, III & Doug Davis | 195 | The Ledges of Huntsville Mountain |
| 2014 | Robert Nelson & Walker Grant | 193 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 2013 | Mike Greer & Tom Jungkind | 199 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 2012 | Joey Holley & Stan Sherlin | 192 | Vestavia Country Club |
| 2011 | Mike Greer & Tom Jungkind | 196 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |

STATE SENIOR FOUR-BALL (1995-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2010 | Mike Greer & Tom Jungkind | Gadsden Country Club |
| 2009 | Ralph Mathews & David Hancock | Huntsville Country Club |
| 2008 | Richard Jeffers & Mark Miller | Musgrove Country Club |
| 2007 | Earle Bidez & Jon Golden | Heron Lakes Country Club |
| 2006 | Don Blanton & Sam Farlow | Riverchase Country Club |
| 2005 | John Stewart & Robert Straub | Montgomery Country Club |
| 2004 | C. D. Bale & Ron Gaiser | Selma Country Club |
| 2003 | David Fry & John Pitcher | Montgomery Country Club |
| 2002 | C.D. Bale & Ron Gaiser | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 2001 | David Stanfield & Dave Pruett | Kiva Dunes |
| 2000 | Don Blanton & Sam Farlow | Musgrove Country Club |
| 1999 | Don Blanton & Sam Farlow | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1998 | Art Gleason & Don Blanton | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1997 | Sam Farlow & Mailon Kent | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 1996 | Jackie Cummings & Art Gleason | Kiva Dunes |
| 1995 | Tom O'Melia & John Pryor | Cotton Creek Club |

Florida Wins the Southeastern Challenge Match

The Southeastern Challenge Match is an annual competition among male amateur golfers representing the states of Alabama, Florida and Georgia in odd numbered years and female amateur golfers representing the same states in even numbered years. The teams consist of eight mid-amateur and four senior golfers selected by their respective golf associations. The host site rotates among the three states.

It was Alabama's turn to host the men's matches and they did so at scenic Willow Point Golf & Country Club in Alexander City, Oct. 17-18, with Florida coming out on top on 25 points, Georgia second on 22.5 and the hosts third on 15.5 points.

Florida's winning team was Gordon Marshall, Rick Woulfe, Kelly Gosse, Tim Hume, Bob Campione, Will Davenport, Brian Keenan, Paul Royak, Joe Alfieri,

Jimmy Jones, Steve Anderson and Jeronimo Esteve.

Georgia fielded Chris Hall, Doug Hanzel, Jack Hall, Billy Mitchell, Cameron Hooper, Scotty Scott, Stan Gann, Jr., Bob Royak, Bobby Brent, David Noll, Jr., Mike Cromer and Cres Dodd.

The team members were Hunter Bronson, Matt Johnson, Matt Gourgeot, Richard Douglas, Vic Kyatt, Jeff Taylor, Freeman Fite, Woodie Eubanks, Robert Nelson, Mike Greer, Joey Holley and David Hancock.

The format was as follows: Saturday morning – Four-Ball Match Play; Saturday afternoon – Foursomes Match Play; and Sunday morning – Three-ball Match Play.

The Men's Southeast Challenge Match debuted at Lake Nona Golf Club in Orlando, Fla., in 1989 as an event intended to promote goodwill and competition

between the best amateur players, playing as a team, from Alabama, Florida and Georgia.

The men's series now stands at seven wins for Florida, five for Georgia and one win for Alabama.

The inaugural playing of the Women's Southeastern Challenge Match took place in 2012 at The Country Club of Ocala in Ocala, Fla., with the 2014 matches at Reynolds Plantation, Great-Waters, Eatonton, Ga. and next year's matches will be hosted in August by Alabama at Lakewood Golf Club in Point Clear.

Florida has won the first two women's matches.

Team Florida



Men's Southeastern Challenge Match Results
Willow Point Golf & Country Club, Alexander City, AL
October 17-18, 2015

| Year | Champion | Score |
|----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| 2015 | Florida | FL 25, GA 22.5, AL 15.5 |
| 2013 | Florida | FL 25, GA 24, AL 14 |
| 2012*** | No Matches | No Matches |
| 2010 | Florida | FL 25, GA 22 1/2, AL 15 1/2 |
| 2008 | Georgia | GA 26 1/2, AL 21 1/2, FL 15 |
| 2006 | Georgia | GA 32 1/2, FL 15 1/2, AL 15 |
| 2004 | Georgia | GA 28, AL 17 1/2, FL 17 1/2 |
| 2002 | Georgia | GA 26 1/2, FL 19 1/2, AL 17 |
| 2000 | Georgia | GA 25 1/2, FL 24 1/2, AL 13 |
| 1998 | Florida | FL 31, GA 29, AL 24 |
| 1997* | No Matches | No Matches |
| 1996 | Florida | FL 31 1/2, GA 29, AL 23 1/2 |
| 1995 | Florida | FL 33 1/2, GA 27, AL 23 1/2 |
| 1994 | Florida | FL 41, GA 29, AL 14 |
| 1993 | No Matches | No Matches |
| 1992 | No Matches | No Matches |
| 1991 | Alabama | |
| 1990 | Georgia | |
| 1989 | Florida | FL 32, GA 21 1/2, AL 18 1/2 |

43rd Women's State Senior Championship
Glenlakes Golf Club, Foley, AL
April 22-24, 2015

Tuscaloosa's **Susan West** led wire-to-wire as she captured her first state title, the 43rd annual Women's State Senior Championship, at Glenlakes Golf Club in Foley.

She fired rounds of 73-79-76-228 to be beat fellow Tuscaloosa native Lucie King, who shot 79-75-79--233, by five.

This AGA championship was open to ladies who are 50 years of age and older and featured three rounds of stroke play.

West played in both the U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur and U.S. Women's Senior Amateur championships last year. She advanced to the quarter finals of the U.S. Women's Senior Amateur.

In the second round she had a big lead, but stumbled down the

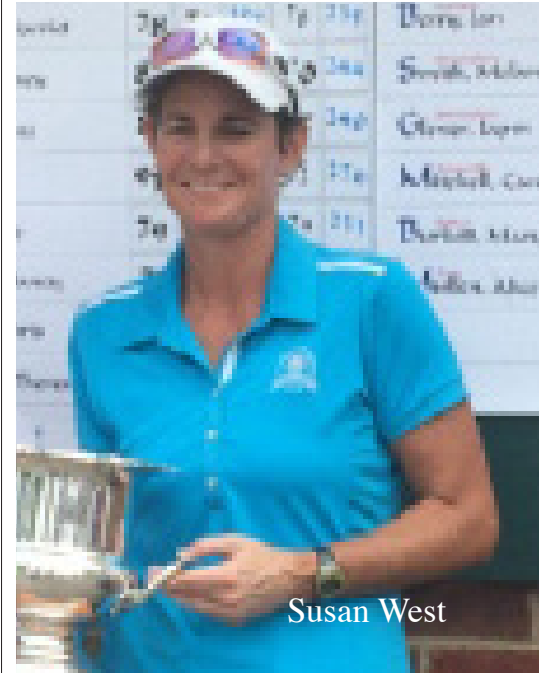
stretch. This did not deter her, as she played her first 14 holes in her final round in level par, with three birdies against three bogeys, and opened up a big lead again.

However, she struggled on the 16th hole for the second day in a row, but no matter as she had a lot of strokes to play with.

"I was so pleased with how patient I stayed in the (final) round. I tried hard not to get ahead of myself. The one time I allowed myself to wonder (where she stood in the championship) was on 16 and that did not go well, but I finished with two good pars on two tough holes," West said.

"I love to work hard (on my game) and it is nice to see that work pay off. There are the names of so many people on the (Wom-

en's State Senior) trophy that I admire. What a thrill for me (to have her named added)."



Susan West

43rd Women's State Senior Championship Results
Hosted by: Glenlakes Golf Club

Championship

| | | |
|----|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1 | Susan West, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 73-79-76--228 |
| 2 | Lucie King, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 79-75-79--233 |
| 3 | Chris Spivey, Pell City, Ala. | 78-79-77--234 |
| T4 | Harriet Cauthen, Orange Beach, Ala. | 78-79-78--235 |
| T4 | Nancy Schlich, Auburn, Ala. | 74-82-79--235 |
| 6 | Tami Green, Fairhope, Ala. | 85-80-75--240 |
| 7 | Nancy Gavin, Jackson Gap, Ala. | 86-78-80--244 |
| 8 | Laurie Strite, Foley, Ala. | 80-95-79--254 |
| 9 | Theresa Stratton, Opelika, Ala. | 85-85-92--262 |
| 10 | Antoinette Aila, Ozark, Ala. | 89-89-91--269 |
| 11 | Lisa Jones, Guntersville, Ala. | 91-93-92--276 |

First Flight

| | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| 1 | Melanie Smith, Hoover, Ala. | 82-89-82--253 |
| 2 | Barbee Bryant, Birmingham, Ala. | 89-81-85--255 |
| 3 | Jan Berry, Madison, Ala. | 85-85-88--258 |
| 4 | Lynn Glover, Birmingham, Ala. | 88-85-87--260 |
| 5 | Candy Mitchell, Springville, Ala. | 85-88-90--263 |
| 6 | Alice Mullen, Troy, Ala. | 86-88-91--265 |
| 7 | Mary Anne Burkett, Dothan, Ala. | 90-84-94--268 |

Second Flight

| | | |
|----|------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1 | Sandra Smith, Birmingham, Ala. | 87-89-90--266 |
| 2 | Sharon Mills, Deatsville, Ala. | 88-94-90--272 |
| 3 | Marilyn Hawkins, Wetumpka, Ala. | 89-90-95--274 |
| 4 | Chris Marr, Mobile, Ala. | 93-86-96--275 |
| T5 | Mary Dean Gray, Birmingham, Ala. | 96-87-94--277 |
| T5 | Sherrill Barnett, Birmingham, Ala. | 96-87-94--277 |
| 7 | Jane McGriff, Mountain Brook, Ala. | 91-95-92--278 |

Third Flight

| | | |
|----|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| T1 | Bok Stamper, Chelsea, Ala. | 94-95-86--275 |
| T1 | Susan Dwyer, Magnolia Springs, Ala. | 97-93-85--275 |
| 3 | Deb Stewart, Fairhope, Ala. | 96-92-89--277 |
| 4 | Jessie Hsia, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 91-97-90--278 |
| 5 | Vicki Oda, Montgomery, Ala. | 93-98-94--285 |
| T6 | Sharon Alexander, Millbrook, Ala. | 95-93-100--288 |
| T6 | Shelley Klein, Orange Beach, Ala. | 92-95-101--288 |

Fourth Flight

| | | |
|----|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | Sara Sirmon, Fairhope, Ala. | 98-93-90--281 |
| 2 | Linda Houston, Gulf Shores, Ala. | 95-102-88--285 |
| T3 | Mavis Hines, Citronelle, Ala. | 95-102-99--296 |
| T3 | Warren Cain, Birmingham, Ala. | 98-102-96--296 |
| 5 | Stephanie Johnson, Bay Minette, Ala. | 96-98-104--298 |
| 6 | Susan McDaniel, Hoover, Ala. | 94-111-109--314 |
| 7 | Sarah Hazen, Chatom, Ala. | 116-110-108--334 |

Super Senior (36 Hole Format)

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|---|------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Mary Ann Erdman, Gulf Shores, Ala. | 96-91--187 |
| 2 | Carolyn Blue, Foley, Ala. | 96-93--189 |
| 3 | Vickie Matranga, Gulf Shores, Ala. | 94-102--196 |
| 4 | Ardys Kussman, Foley, Ala. | 96-107--203 |

Women's State Senior Champions

WOMEN'S STATE SENIOR (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|-------------|-------|--------------------------------|
| 2015 | Susan West | 228 | Glenlakes Golf Club |
| 2014 | Tami Green | 238 | Heron Lakes Country Club |
| 2013 | Martha Lang | 237 | Mountain Brook Club |
| 2012 | Sue Raines | 222 | Huntsville Country Club |
| 2011 | Tami Green | 232 | Prattville Golf & Country Club |

WOMEN'S STATE SENIOR (1973-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 2010 | Tami Green | Cypress Lakes |
| 2009 | Martha Lang | Arrowhead Country Club |
| 2008 | Harriet Cauthen | Cypress Bend at Cotton Creek |
| 2007 | Martha Lang | Heron Lakes Country Club |
| 2006 | Chris Spivey | Selma Country Club |
| 2005 | Chris Spivey | Dothan Country Club |
| 2004 | Chris Spivey | Redstone Arsenal GC |
| 2003 | Mary Isbell | Indian Hills Country Club |
| 2002 | Mary Isbell | Burningtree Country Club |
| 2001 | Mary Isbell | Country Club of Ozark |
| 2000 | Chris Spivey | Country Club of Brewton |
| 1999 | Mary Isbell | Willow Point G & Country Club |
| 1998 | Mary Isbell | Arrowhead Country Club |
| 1997 | Mary Isbell | Vestavia Country Club |
| 1996 | Mary Isbell | Andalusia Country Club |
| 1995 | Mary Isbell | Terri Pines Country Club |
| 1994 | Harriet Cauthen | Glenlakes Country Club |
| 1993 | Quida Cunningham | Inverness Country Club |
| 1992 | Bobbie Hallmark | Burningtree Country Club |
| 1991 | Barbara Jones | Troy Country Club |
| 1990 | Janet Fulton | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1989 | Maisie Stripling | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1988 | June Mayson | StillWaters Resort |
| 1987 | June Mayson | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1986 | Gloria Ellers | Grayson Valley Country Club |
| 1985 | Hazel Burns | Olympia Spa Resort |
| 1984 | June Mayson | Lake Forest Y & Country Club |
| 1983 | Ruth Garrison | StillWaters Resort |
| 1982 | Betty Mixon | Dothan Country Club |
| 1981 | Carolyn Smith | Bonnie Crest Country Club |
| 1980 | Carolyn Smith | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1979 | Ruth Garrison | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1978 | Gloria Ellers | Skyline Country Club |
| 1977 | Gloria Ellers | Willow Point Country Club |
| 1976 | Sally Shertzer | Huntsville Country Club |
| 1975 | Gloria Ellers | Gulf Shores Country Club |
| 1974 | Sally Shertzer | Selma Country Club |
| 1973 | Ceil Watkins | Montgomery Country Club |

**52nd Girls State Junior Championship
Heron Lakes Country Club, Mobile, AL
July 7-9, 2015**

At just 13 years old, **Michaela Morard** of Huntsville is believed to be the youngest ever winner of Girls State Junior which she won at Heron Lakes Country Club in Mobile. And this was the 52nd playing of this state championship.

Morard carded rounds of 76-72-72--220 to edge Micheala Williams of Athens (74-75-72--221).

She played up in the 14-15 age group, so she was eligible to win the overall title, along with girls in 16-18.

Morard must like Mobile as she is the reigning State 6A-7A individual champion shooting seven-under-par at Magnolia Grove in Mobile as a seventh grader in May.

In a close contest, Morard fell back after back-to-back double bogeys early in her round on Nos. 2 and 3.

"I counted up how many holes were left -- 15 -- and told myself I needed to birdie four or more of them, with no bogeys, to get back in it."

Her math proved prophetic as she actually added five birdies in holes 4, 6, 11, 12 and 15, against a lone bogey on No. 13, to play her final 15 holes four-under-par and win by one.

She attends Huntsville Middle School and plays golf for Huntsville High School. She plays golf at both Valley Hill and The Ledges, both in Huntsville.

"It means a lot to win as I'm



Michaela Morard

only 13 and I think (one of the only) other people to win it under (age) 15 was Gabi Oubre (of Mobile), when she was 14."

Morard entered the day with a one shot lead over Williams and that was her margin of victory. They were paired together along with Spain Park High School's Jordan Susce, who led after the first round and finished tied third with Grand Bay's Aleesha Smith.

After Morard's poor start Williams took the lead and matched birdies on Nos. 5 and 17 against bogeys on 10 and 16. However, Morard pegged her back and won by the slimmest of margins.

Williams, who is from Athens, finished second in the Girls State

Junior last year and third in 2013, as well as tied second individually in the 2015 6A-7A State High School Championship, is second after a 74-75--149.

Brooke Gober of Orange Beach won the 9-11 age group (nine hole scores of 39-40-40--19); while Carolina MacVicar of Tuscaloosa won the 12-13 (83-87-81--251), by one from Berry's Erika Allen (86-83-83--252).

52nd Girls State Junior Championship Results

Heron Lakes Country Club

Girls 14-18

| | | |
|-----|---|----------------------|
| 1 | Michaela Morard, Huntsville, Ala. | 76-72-72--220 (+4) |
| 2 | Micheala Williams, Athens, Ala. | 74-75-72--221 (+5) |
| T3 | Aleesha Smith, Grand Bay, Ala. | 78-73-75--226 (+10) |
| T3 | Jordan Susce, Birmingham, Ala. | 72-78-76--226 (+10) |
| 5 | Virginia Green, Point Clear, Ala. | 75-81-74--230 (+14) |
| 6 | Ashton Maddaloni, Eclectic, Ala. | 78-77-76--231 (+15) |
| 7 | Madison Sanders, Clanton, Ala. | 80-84-71--235 (+19) |
| 8 | Ally Williams, Athens, Ala. | 78-81-79--238 (+22) |
| 9 | Carson McKie, Hoover, Ala. | 83-79-77--239 (+23) |
| 10 | Karlee Allen, Berry, Ala. | 80-81-79--240 (+24) |
| 11 | Sarah Battye, Auburn, Ala. | 82-75-85--242 (+26) |
| 12 | Anna Reid, Demopolis, Ala. | 84-79-80--243 (+27) |
| T13 | Ryan MacVicar, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 78-82-86--246 (+30) |
| T13 | Stephenie Fowler, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 81-84-81--246 (+30) |
| T15 | Anne Simmons, Birmingham, Ala. | 79-87-85--251 (+35) |
| T15 | Hannah Pope, Killen, Alabama | 83-85-83--251 (+35) |
| 17 | Layne Dyar, Anniston, Ala. | 82-82-88--252 (+36) |
| T18 | Alexis Berger, Alabaster, Ala. | 93-78-84--255 (+39) |
| T18 | Molly Norris, Winfield, Ala. | 84-87-84--255 (+39) |
| 20 | Grace Wann, Birmingham, Ala. | 88-89-81--258 (+42) |
| 21 | Grace Wang, Auburn, Ala. | 90-80-91--261 (+45) |
| 22 | Sydney Turner, Montgomery, Ala. | 91-89-84--264 (+48) |
| 23 | Mary Shannon Kelley, Mobile, Ala. | 90-93-88--271 (+55) |
| 24 | Mary Trammell, Birmingham, Ala. | 95-90-91--276 (+60) |
| 25 | Anna Margaret Hays, Muscle Shoals, Ala. | 94-92-92--278 (+62) |
| 26 | Hanna Dyar, Anniston, Ala. | 100-98-88--286 (+70) |
| 27 | Emily Simpson, Birmingham, Ala. | 96-102-98--296 (+80) |

Girls 12-13

| | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Caroline MacVicar, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 83-87-81--251 (+35) |
| 2 | Erika Allen, Berry, Ala. | 86-83-83--252 (+36) |
| 3 | Kate MacVicar, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 85-86-86--257 (+41) |
| 4 | Emma Pittman, Pike Road, Ala. | 94-98-102--294 (+78) |

Girls 9-11 (9 Holes)

| | | |
|---|--|---------------------|
| 1 | Brooke Gober, Orange Beach, Ala. | 39-40-40--119 (+11) |
| 2 | Virginia Anne Holmes, Montgomery, Ala. | 52-49-47--148 (+40) |
| 3 | Laura Burch, Mobile, Ala. | 52-48-51--151 (+43) |

Girls State Junior Champions

GIRL'S STATE JUNIOR (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------|
| 2015 | Michaela Morard | 220 | Heron Lakes Country Club |
| 2014 | Virginia Green | 147* | T.P. Country Club |
| 2013 | Tatum Jackson | 214 | Decatur Country Club |
| 2012 | Gabi Oubre' | 216 | Troy Country Club |
| 2011 | Alex Harrell | 216 | Country Club of Birmingham |

*Reduced to 36 holes due to inclement weather

GIRL'S STATE JUNIOR (1999-2010)

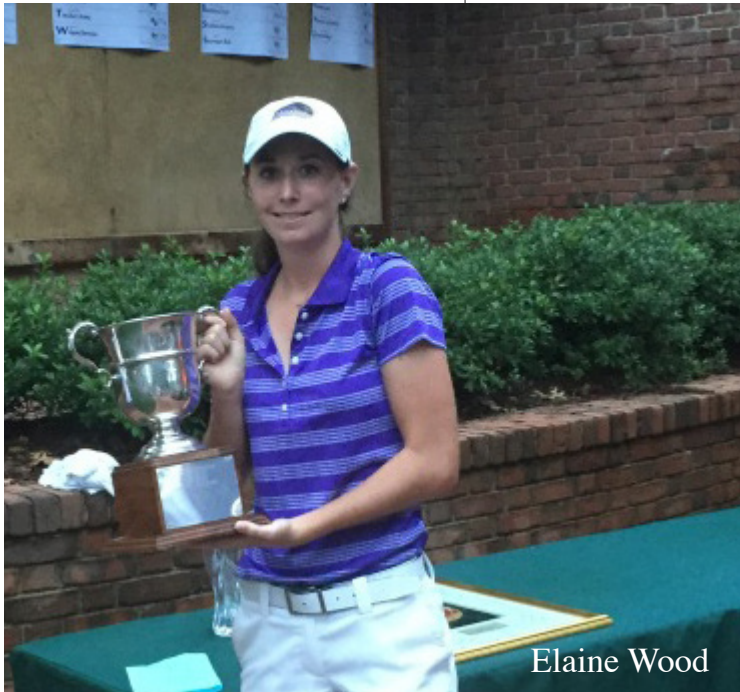
| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 2010 | Bailey Gray | Anniston Country Club |
| 2009 | Gabi Oubre' | The Golf Club of the Wharf |
| 2008 | Haley Wilson | Selma Country Club |
| 2007 | Betsy Birchall | Shoal Creek |
| 2006 | Haley Sanders | Burningtree Country Club |
| 2005 | Jordan Hardy | Greystone Country Club |
| 2004 | Jordan Hardy | Pikeville Country Club |
| 2003 | Alyson Mitchell | Enterprise Country Club |
| 2002 | Laura Goodwin | Troy Country Club |
| 2001 | Amy Middleton | Azalea City GC |
| 2000 | Amy Middleton | Decatur Country Club |
| 1999 | Kathy Birchall | Grayson Valley Country Club |

GIRL'S STATE JUNIOR (1963-1998)

| Year | Winner | Year | Winner |
|------|-------------------|------|--------------------------------|
| 1998 | Amy Middleton | 1997 | Lacy Shay Shelton |
| 1996 | Mary Claire Dent | 1995 | Kami Smith |
| 1994 | Margaret McDowell | 1993 | Kami Smith |
| 1992 | Stacy Buersmeyer | 1991 | Meg Lindsey |
| 1990 | Amy Miller | 1989 | Natalie Moore |
| 1988 | Lori Sherer | 1987 | Missy Tuck |
| 1986 | Missy Tuck | 1985 | Girl's State Junior Not Played |
| 1984 | Lynn Bradley | 1983 | Nikki Payne |
| 1982 | Beck Cross | 1981 | Wendy Lawson |
| 1980 | Virginia Derby | 1979 | Johndra Culp |
| 1978 | Shannon McAleer | 1977 | Karen Mayson |
| 1976 | Shannon McAleer | 1975 | Leah Oldacre |
| 1974 | Kim Evans | 1973 | Rebecca Jordan |
| 1972 | Debbie Nelson | 1971 | Denise Snellman |
| 1970 | Martha Jones | 1969 | Martha Jones |
| 1968 | Martha Jones | 1967 | Martha Jones |
| 1966 | Beth Barry | 1965 | Candy Phillips |
| 1964 | Carol Sanderson | 1963 | Judy Jehle |

25th Women's State Stroke Play Championship
Shoal Creek, Shoal Creek, AL
July 21-23 2015

Last year **Elaine Wood** won the Women's State Amateur title; this year she claimed the Women's State Stroke Play Championship.



After a multi-hour rain delay, she overtook overnight leaders Alison Hovatter and Micheala Williams to capture the 25th playing of this state championship, with Shoal Creek the host this year. Wood of Spanish Fort and the University of Montevallo fired rounds of 71-75-72--218, good for a two-over-par total and a one shot win

over Athens' Williams (73-72-74--219).

Overnight leader and defending champion Hovatter of Meridianville and Ole Miss shot 72-69-80 to finish tied third with former two-time Girls State Junior champion Gabi Oubre of Mobile and Mississippi State (74-75-72--221).

Wood got off to a hot start with birdies on Nos. 4, 5 and 6 before a double bogey on No. 9 slowed her momentum.

An up-and-down back nine saw her mix birdies on Nos. 11, 15 and 16 against four bogeys, but it proved just enough to edge Williams, 17, who finished second in the Girls State Junior last year and third in 2013, as well as tied second individually in the 2015 6A-7A State High School Championship.

25th Women's Stroke Play Championship Results

Shoal Creek

Championship

| | | |
|-----|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Elaine Wood, Spanish Fort, Ala. | 71-75-72--218 (+2) |
| 2 | Micheala Williams, Athens, Ala. | 73-72-74--219 (+3) |
| T3 | Alison Hovatter, Meridianville, Ala. | 72-69-80--221 (+5) |
| T3 | Gabi Oubre', Mobile, Ala. | 74-75-72--221 (+5) |
| 5 | Michaela Morard, Huntsville, Ala. | 77-76-71--224 (+8) |
| 6 | Tatum Jackson, Mountain Brook, Ala. | 75-74-76--225 (+9) |
| 7 | Kathy Hartwiger, Birmingham, Ala. | 75-79-74--228 (+12) |
| T8 | Heather Nail, Hartselle, Ala. | 78-76-76--230 (+14) |
| T8 | Jordan Susce, Birmingham, Ala. | 77-75-78--230 (+14) |
| T10 | Grayson Gladden, Helena, Ala. | 78-78-75--231 (+15) |
| T10 | LeeAnn Cahoon, Prattville, Ala. | 81-71-79--231 (+15) |
| T10 | Mychael O'Berry, Hoover, Ala. | 81-74-76--231 (+15) |
| T13 | Julie Baker, Hoover, Ala. | 84-72-76--232 (+16) |
| T13 | Virginia Green, Point Clear, Ala. | 75-75-82--232 (+16) |
| T15 | Linda Jeffery, Prattville, Ala. | 77-80-77--234 (+18) |
| T15 | Morgan Natale, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-74-82--234 (+18) |
| 17 | Susan West, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 76-81-78--235 (+19) |
| 18 | Ally Williams, Athens, Ala. | 82-78-76--236 (+20) |
| 19 | Caroline Waldrop, Birmingham, Ala. | 78-78-81--237 (+21) |
| 20 | Jesse Lawley, Rainbow City, Ala. | 79-82-78--239 (+23) |
| 21 | Hannah Sager, Wetumpka, Ala. | 80-80-82--242 (+26) |
| 22 | Rebecca Chandler, Northport, Ala. | 84-77-82--243 (+27) |
| 23 | Logan Chaney, Scottsboro, Ala. | 83-76-85--244 (+28) |
| 24 | Beth Ann Compton, Hartselle, Ala. | 80-82-83--245 (+29) |
| T25 | Abby Parks, Birmingham, Ala. | 85-82-79--246 (+30) |
| T25 | Theresa Mahlik, Madison, Ala. | 82-83-81--246 (+30) |
| 27 | Lea Green, McCalla, Ala. | 86-79-82--247 (+31) |
| 28 | Emily Lankford, Huntsville, Ala. | 86-79-85--250 (+34) |
| 29 | Nancy Schlich, Auburn, Ala. | 83-80-88--251 (+35) |
| 30 | Lucie King, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 86-80-86--252 (+36) |
| T31 | Brooklyn Terry, Muscle Shoals, Ala. | 81-85-87--253 (+37) |
| T31 | Carson McKie, Hoover, Ala. | 85-83-85--253 (+37) |
| 33 | Grace Wann, Birmingham, A L | 82-84-93--259 (+43) |
| 34 | Laura Beth Yates, Lake View, Ala. | 81-90-90--261 (+45) |
| 35 | Jaycy Nail, Birmingham, Ala. | 90-90-87--267 (+51) |
| 36 | Heather Gillenwaters, Madison, Ala. | 91-94-96--281 (+65) |
| 37 | Sloan Davis, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 95-97-92--284 (+68) |
| 38 | Alexis Berger, Alabaster, Ala. | 90-96-99--285 (+69) |
| T39 | Ashton Maddaloni, Eclectic, Ala. | 87-76-WD--WD (WD) |
| T39 | Kyra Plotner, Saraland, Ala. | 93-92-WD--WD (WD) |
| T39 | Madison Sanders, Clanton, Ala. | 75-83-WD--WD (WD) |
| T39 | Martha Lang, Birmingham, Ala. | 79-82-WD--WD (WD) |
| T39 | Neysa Dechachutinan, Hoover, Ala. | 92-90-WD--WD (WD) |
| T39 | Savannah Payne, Leeds, Ala. | 84-85-WD--WD (WD) |
| T39 | Tami Green, Fairhope, Ala. | 95-88-WD--WD (WD) |

25th Women's Stroke Play Championship Results (continued)

1st Flight

| | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Molly Norris, Winfield, Ala. | 80-79-76--235 (+19) |
| 2 | Anna Reid, Demopolis, Ala. | 83-82-79--244 (+28) |
| 3 | Cynthia Parrish, Madison, Ala. | 85-78-82--245 (+29) |
| 4 | Melanie Smith, Hoover, Ala. | 86-83-84--253 (+37) |
| 5 | Jessica Howard, Anniston, Ala. | 87-80-89--256 (+40) |
| 6 | Savannah Johnson, Hampton Cove, Ala. | 88-80-90--258 (+42) |
| 7 | Jacquelyn Bickerton, Auburn, Ala. | 81-88-93--262 (+46) |
| 8 | Sarah Vandervoort, Montgomery, Ala. | 89-81-WD--WD (WD) |

2nd Flight

| | | |
|----|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Brenda Wilson, Madison, Ala. | 88-86-97--271 (+55) |
| 2 | Anne Tincher, Huntsville, Ala. | 93-85-96--274 (+58) |
| 3 | Candy Mitchell, Springville, Ala. | 92-93-91--276 (+60) |
| T4 | April Godsey, Rainbow City, Ala. | 91-90-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Deb Stewart, Fairhope, Ala. | 98-87-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Jessie Hsia, Tuscaloosa, Ala. | 96-92-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Lynn Cassady, Birmingham, Ala. | 101-90-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Patsy Ryan, Madison, Ala. | 90-93-WD--WD (WD) |

3rd Flight

| | | |
|----|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | Lynn Glover, Birmingham, Ala. | 97-95-97--289 (+73) |
| 2 | Keri Rutledge, Birmingham, Ala. | 108-99-103--310 (+94) |
| T3 | Avonne Shelton, Decatur, Ala. | 105-105-WD--WD (WD) |
| T3 | Bok Stamper, Chelsea, Ala. | 93-102-WD--WD (WD) |
| T3 | Joy Mills, Decatur, Ala. | 98-101-WD--WD (WD) |
| T3 | Lisa Jones, Guntersville, Ala. | 108-97-WD--WD (WD) |
| T3 | Stephanie Hanna, Fayette, Ala. | 104-104-WD--WD (WD) |
| T3 | Vicki Hogue, Cropwell, Ala. | 101-105-WD--WD (WD) |

4th Flight

| | | |
|----|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| T1 | Janet Haines, Birmingham, Ala. | 103-108-107--318 (+102) |
| T1 | Shea Johnson, Guntersville, Ala. | 104-115-99--318 (+102) |
| 3 | Sue Arroyo, Athens, Ala. | 107-107-116--330 (+114) |
| T4 | Bobbie Gordon, Decatur, Ala. | 121-126-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Maleah Durham, Pelham, Ala. | 126-126-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Sherre Goodner, Brownsboro, Ala. | 114-109-WD--WD (WD) |
| T4 | Shirley Hammons, Somerville, Ala. | 119-113-WD--WD (WD) |

Women's Stroke Play Champions

WOMEN'S STATE STROKE PLAY (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|-----------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| 2015 | Elaine Wood | 218 | Shoal Creek |
| 2014 | Alison Hovatter | 218 | Canebrake Club |
| 2013 | Cammie Gray | 220 | Cherokee Ridge Country Club |
| 2012 | Cammie Gray | 219 | Selma Country Club |
| 2011 | Haley Lawrence | 221 | Grayson Valley Country Club |

WOMEN'S STATE STROKE PLAY (2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 2010 | Maegan Rice | Selma Country Club |
| 2009 | Betsy Birchall | Cherokee Ridge |
| 2008 | Candace Schepperle | The Ledges |
| 2007 | Karlin Beck | CypressBend |
| 2006 | Jill Stupiansky | CypressBend |
| 2005 | Jordan Hardy | Cotton Creek Club |
| 2004 | Kathy Hartwiger | Cotton Creek Club |
| 2003 | Annie Kirkland | CypressBend/Cotton Creek |
| 2002 | Kathy Hartwiger | Cotton Creek Club |
| 2001 | Anne Hutto | Cotton Creek Club |
| 2000 | Lacy Shelton | CypressBend/Cotton Creek |
| 1999 | Anne Hutto | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1998 | Anne Hutto | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1997 | Virginia Derby Grimes | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1996 | Kathy Hartwiger | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1995 | Virginia Derby Grimes | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1994 | Beth Barry | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1993 | Women's Stroke Play Not Played | |
| 1992 | Missy Tuck | Country Club of Ozark |
| 1991 | Beth Barry | Cotton Creek Club |
| 1990 | Virginia Derby | Gulf Shores Golf Club |

**8th Women's State Four-Ball Championship
Lakewood Golf Club, Point Clear, AL
September 24-25, 2015**

Michaela Morard and **Micheala Williams** paired up in the eighth annual Women's State Four Ball Championship at Lakewood Golf Club in Point Clear thinking it "would be fun to play together and that we could do well as a team," Morard said.

You could say such as they shot rounds of 63-60-123, for a record-breaking 21-under-par totAL

The two teenagers beat defending champions Kathy Hartwiger and Lea Green, who shot 65-64-129, a total that would have won any previous year.

This Alabama Golf Association championship featured 36 holes of best ball.

Hartwiger, Morard and Williams also finished a very commendable tied sixth representing Alabama in the USGA Women's State Team Championship.

Morard of Huntsville, is only 13, and she won the Girls State Junior this summer. She also won the individual title in the 6A-7A State High School Championship this year. She is in eighth grade at Huntsville Junior High School.

Williams, 17, of Athens, has finished second in the Girls State Junior the last two years (this year by a shot to Morard) and third in 2013, as well as tied second individually in the 2015 6A-7A State High School Champion-



Michaela Morard and Micheala Williams

ship. She also won an AJGA event earlier this year in St. Louis. She is a senior at Athens High School and will play college golf for the University of Tennessee.

What made a special day even more special was the fact that Williams had a hole-in-one on No. 17 using a 9-iron from 115 yards. It was her first ace.

"The sun was slightly in my eyes and I knew it was right on line, but I didn't see it go in. But then Michaela shouted that it had gone in!"

Williams, who takes instruction from Hank Johnson at Timberline Golf Club in Calera, said that she and Morard combined really well together. "I'd make a birdie, then she'd make a birdie...we were having a lot of fun."

"I'm very excited about the scores we shot," Morard said. "We came to the final hole and we

knew we had putts to shoot 59. Micheala's was about 30 feet and it lipped out. Mine was about 18 feet and it just stayed left of the hole. We both got them to the hole."

Morard said that she had had a hole-in-one herself as an 8-year-old. While not in competition, it was at her Valley Hill, her home course, and was also from 115 yards. She used a 6-iron.

She credited Jay McLelland, the head golf professional at Valley Hill, with helping her with her swing.

Both girls talked of their respect for Hartwiger and Green and how much they enjoyed playing with them both days in the championship.

Two days that none of these four golfers will forget in a long time.

8th Women's State Four-Ball Championship Results
Lakewood Golf Club

Championship

| | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | Michaela Morard / Micheala Williams | 63-60--123 (-21) |
| 2 | Lea Green / Kathy Hartwiger | 65-64--129 (-15) |
| 3 | Lucie King / Sue Raines | 70-68--138 (-6) |
| 4 | Nancy Gavin / Pam Holcombe | 72-69--141 (-3) |
| 5 | Linda Jeffery / Theresa Stratton | 72-71--143 (-1) |
| 6 | Ann Lanier / Cindy Norton | 77-74--151 (+7) |
| 7 | Tami Green / Vicki Hogue | 77-76--153 (+9) |
| 8 | Nancy Carmack / Carolyn Helton | 77-82--159 (+15) |

First Flight

| | | |
|---|---------------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | Lisa Graham / Laurie Strite | 78-77--155 (+11) |
| 2 | Lynn Glover / Candy Mitchell | 79-80--159 (+15) |
| 3 | Lisa Jones / Amanda Miller | 81-79--160 (+16) |
| 4 | Shea Johnson / Denise Saint | 80-81--161 (+17) |
| 5 | Sara Sirmon / Deb Stewart | 83-83--166 (+22) |
| 6 | Patty Harris / Betty Povlacs | 82-85--167 (+23) |
| 7 | Mary Ann Erdman / Linda Houston | 82-93--175 (+31) |

Second Flight

| | | |
|----|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | Diana Hogan / June Mayson | 84-85--169 (+25) |
| 2 | Vicki Oda / Sandi Parrish | 89-81--170 (+26) |
| 3 | Mary Blankenship / Rhonda Henderson | 84-89--173 (+29) |
| 4 | Mary Dean Gray / Chris Marr | 87-89--176 (+32) |
| T5 | Sharon Kellum / Insook Pokorski | 88-89--177 (+33) |
| T5 | Stephanie Hanna / Sandra Holliman | 88-89--177 (+33) |
| 7 | Janet Haines / Helen Walker | 89-90--179 (+35) |

Third Flight

| | | |
|----|---------------------------------|------------------|
| 1 | Sharon Alexander / Sharon Mills | 91-85--176 (+32) |
| 2 | Dianne Mann / Dianne Whitaker | 93-86--179 (+35) |
| 3 | Sherre Goodner / Carole Maner | 93-91--184 (+40) |
| 4 | Sarah Hazen / Mavis Hines | 92-95--187 (+43) |
| 5 | Cherie Allred / Cathy Jaskolski | 91-98--189 (+45) |
| T6 | Diane Hill / Mitzi Hill | 94-99--193 (+49) |
| T6 | Joyce Hardy / Jo Smith | 98-95--193 (+49) |

Women's State Four Ball Champions

WOMEN'S STATE FOUR-BALL

(2011-present)

| Year | Winner | Score | Site |
|------|-------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| 2015 | Michaela Morard & Michaela Williams | 123 | Lakewood Golf Club |
| 2014 | Kathy Hartwiger & Lea Green | 136 | Moore's Mill Club |
| 2013 | Kathy Hartwiger & Lucie King | 139 | Gulf Shores Country Club |
| 2012 | Suzanne Stanely & Heather Nail | 197 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 2011 | Lea Green & Linda Jeffery | 210 | Troy Country Club |

54 holes stroke play 2011-2012; 36 holes stroke play 2013-2015

WOMEN'S STATE FOUR-BALL

(2008-2010)

| Year | Winner | Site |
|------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| 2010 | Kathy Hartwiger & Lea Green | Cypress Bend |
| 2009 | Kathy Hartwiger & Lea Green | Mountain Brook Club |
| 2008 | Kathy Hartwiger & Missy Gooden | Old Overton Club |

**83rd Women's State Amateur Championship
Gadsden Country Club, Gadsden, AL
June 24-26, 2015**

Heather Nail defeated Kathy Hartwiger in the 18-hole final of the 83rd Women's State Amateur Championship at Gadsden Country Club by a score of 1 up.

In a closely contested match, Nail led most of the way, but a resilient Hartwiger took her all the way to the final green before coming up just short.

Nail, 19, hails from Hartselle and just finished her sophomore year on the golf team at the University of Mobile. She won four times this past year and was named Second Team, All-American in NAIA.

This is Nail's second state title, having won the Women's State Four Ball Championship (with Suzanne Stanley) in 2012.

In match played in searing temperatures on a beautifully conditioned course, Hartwiger, who has won this title a record-breaking 10 times, was trying to add to her legend.

She started with an opening birdie to go 1 up, but it would prove to be her only lead of the day as Nail responded with a 20 foot putt for a birdie two on the next hole to square the match.

The next three holes were halved with pars, before a Hartwiger three-putt from the fringe allowed Nail to go 1 up through six holes. She would never relinquish her lead.

Both players struggled to bogey fives on No. 9 with Nail still 1 up. Hartwiger struggled on the next hole as well, conceding it to Nail, who doubled her lead. It

would stay that way until an up-and-down for par on No. 15 allowed Hartwiger to cut into Nail's lead, but an errant Hartwiger second on 16 gave the 2 up advantage right back to Nail.

However, the true champion that she is, Hartwiger captured the 17th with a rock solid par. But an errant tee shot far left on the closing hole, followed by Nail's drive sailing right down the middle, left Hartwiger, literally, with a very tough hill to climb. So it was that Nail was able to three-putt, but still tied the hole and thus won the championship match 1 up.

"I thought it was so key to keep the momentum going when I got ahead," Nail said. "I was able to make some good putts and that's what mattered. I really wanted to win this championship, but knew I would face a tough match as Kathy is a great, great champion."

"I just felt all week that this course fit my eye. I felt like I was able to figure out the greens well. I'm truly blessed to win this championship, especially against someone who is the Jack Nicklaus of



Heather Nail

Alabama golf. She's the best ever."

Hartwiger, 49, admitted that the heat and playing four matches in three days took its toll on her, but would take nothing away from Nail's win.

"Heather played a great match and was very consistent. She gave me very few openings and when she did, I wasn't sharp enough to take advantage."

"I don't play and practice anywhere near as much as I used to and that's OK. I have my experience (to fall back on) and whatever happens, happens. I still have an awesome family that loves me very much."

She did leave with a parting salvo though.

"I'm not done yet. I still think I have one or two (championships) left in me. I just need some cooler temperatures."

83rd Women's State Amateur Championship Results

| Round of 16 6/24/2015 12:00:00 AM | Quarterfinal 6/24/2015 12:00:00 AM | Semifinal 6/25/2015 12:00:00 AM | Final 6/26/2015 12:00:00 AM |
|--|---|--|----------------------------------|
| <div>Alin Eddy, Hazletts, AL</div> <div>8:00, #1</div> <div>Lucie King, Tuscaloosa, AL</div> | <div>Eddy 7 and 5</div> <div>12:10 pm</div> | <div>Eddy 2 up</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Jordan Suaze, Birmingham, AL</div> <div>8:08, #1</div> <div>Ashlan Maddaloni, Erie, AL</div> | <div>Suaze 2 and 1</div> <div>12:45 pm</div> | <div>Nail 1 up</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Saman West, Tuscaloosa, AL</div> <div>8:16, #1</div> <div>Heather Nail, Hazletts, AL</div> | <div>Nail 1 up</div> <div>12:45 pm</div> | <div>Nail 20 holes</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Grayson Gladden, Helena, AL</div> <div>8:24, #1</div> <div>Linda Jeffery, Prattville, AL</div> | <div>Gladden 1 up</div> <div>1:01 pm</div> | <div>Harbitger 2 and 1</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Kathy Harbitger, Birmingham, AL</div> <div>8:32, #1</div> <div>Morgan Nolte, Birmingham, AL</div> | <div>Harbitger 4 and 2</div> <div>1:01 pm</div> | <div>Harbitger 24 holes</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Jesse Lawley, Rainbow City, AL</div> <div>8:40, #1</div> <div>Elaine Wood, Spanish Fort, AL</div> | <div>Wood 2 and 1</div> <div>1:20 pm</div> | <div>Howater 2 and 1</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Mychal O'Berry, Hoover, AL</div> <div>8:48, #1</div> <div>Beth Ann Compton, Hazletts, AL</div> | <div>O'Berry 19 holes</div> <div>1:20 pm</div> | <div>Howater 4 and 3</div> <div>8:00 am</div> | |
| <div>Aileen Howater, Meridianville, AL</div> <div>8:56</div> <div>Logan Clancy, Scull Shoar, AL</div> | <div>Howater 4 and 3</div> <div>1:20 pm</div> | | <div>Heather Nail 1 up</div> |

83rd Women's State Amateur Championship
Gadsden Country Club, Gadsden, AL
June 24-26, 2015

Championship Round of 16

- (1) Arin Eddy, Hartselle, Ala. def. (16) Lucie King, Tuscaloosa, Ala. , 7 and 5
- (8) Jordan Susce, Birmingham, Ala. def. (9) Ashton Maddaloni, Eclectic, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (13) Heather Nail, Hartselle, Ala. def. (4) Susan West, Tuscaloosa, Ala. , 1 up
- (5) Grayson Gladden, Helena, Ala. def. (12) Linda Jeffery, Prattville, Ala. , 1 up
- (2) Kathy Hartwiger, Birmingham, Ala. def. (15) Morgan Natale, Birmingham, Ala. , 4 and 2
- (10) Elaine Wood, Spanish Fort, Ala. def. (7) Jesse Lawley, Rainbow City, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (3) Mychael O'Berry, Hoover, Ala. def. (14) Beth Ann Compton, Hartselle, Ala. , 19 holes
- (6) Alison Hovatter, Meridianville, Ala. def. (11) Logan Chaney, Scottsboro, Ala. , 4 and 3

Quarterfinal

- (1) Arin Eddy, Hartselle, Ala. def. (8) Jordan Susce, Birmingham, Ala. , 2 up
- (13) Heather Nail, Hartselle, Ala. def. (5) Grayson Gladden, Helena, Ala. , 20 holes
- (2) Kathy Hartwiger, Birmingham, Ala. def. (10) Elaine Wood, Spanish Fort, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (6) Alison Hovatter, Meridianville, Ala. def. (3) Mychael O'Berry, Hoover, Ala. , 1 up

Semifinal

- (13) Heather Nail, Hartselle, Ala. def. (1) Arin Eddy, Hartselle, Ala. , 1 up
- (2) Kathy Hartwiger, Birmingham, Ala. def. (6) Alison Hovatter, Meridianville, Ala. , 24 holes

Final

- (13) Heather Nail, Hartselle, Ala. def. (2) Kathy Hartwiger, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up

Championship Consolation

Quarterfinal

- (16) Lucie King, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (9) Ashton Maddaloni, Eclectic, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (12) Linda Jeffery, Prattville, Ala. def. (4) Susan West, Tuscaloosa, Ala. , 19 holes
- (7) Jesse Lawley, Rainbow City, Ala. def. (15) Morgan Natale, Birmingham, Ala. , 19 holes
- (14) Beth Ann Compton, Hartselle, Ala. def. (11) Logan Chaney, Scottsboro, Ala. , 19 holes

Semifinal

- (12) Linda Jeffery, Prattville, Ala. def. (16) Lucie King, Tuscaloosa, Ala. , 19 holes
- (7) Jesse Lawley, Rainbow City, Ala. def. (14) Beth Ann Compton, Hartselle, Ala. , 2 and 1

Final

- (7) Jesse Lawley, Rainbow City, Ala. def. (12) Linda Jeffery, Prattville, Ala. , Forfeit

First Flight

Quarterfinal

- (1) Emily Lankford, Huntsville, Ala. def. (8) Molly Norris, Winfield, Ala. , 6 and 4
- (5) Madison Sanders, Clanton, Ala. def. (4) Heather Gillenwaters, Madison, Ala. , 4 and 3
- (2) Ally Williams, Athens, Ala. def. (7) Brooklyn Terry, Muscle Shoals, Ala. , 3 and 2
- (6) Laura Beth Yates, Lake View, Ala. def. (3) Chris Spivey, Pell City, Ala. , 2 and 1

Semifinal

- (1) Emily Lankford, Huntsville, Ala. def. (5) Madison Sanders, Clanton, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (2) Ally Williams, Athens, Ala. def. (6) Laura Beth Yates, Lake View, Ala. , 2 up

Final

- (2) Ally Williams, Athens, Ala. def. (1) Emily Lankford, Huntsville, Ala. , 2 and 1

First Flight Consolation

Semifinal

- (8) Molly Norris, Winfield, Ala. def. (4) Heather Gillenwaters, Madison, Ala. , 2 and 1
- (3) Chris Spivey, Pell City, Ala. def. (7) Brooklyn Terry, Muscle Shoals, Ala. , 5 and 3

Final

- (3) Chris Spivey, Pell City, Ala. def. (8) Molly Norris, Winfield, Ala. , 2 up

83rd Women's State Amateur Championship (continued)

Second Flight

Quarterfinal

- (1) Alexis Berger, Alabaster, Ala. def. (8) Sandra Smith, Birmingham, Ala. , 4 and 3
- (4) Jessica Howard, Anniston, Ala. def. (5) April Godsey, Rainbow City, Ala. , 7 and 6
- (7) Jan Berry, Madison, Ala. def. (2) Trish Carter, Hoover, Ala. , 2 up
- (6) Melanie Smith, Hoover, Ala. def. (3) Lisa Jones, Guntersville, Ala. , 8 and 6

Semifinal

- (4) Jessica Howard, Anniston, Ala. def. (1) Alexis Berger, Alabaster, Ala. , 1 up
- (7) Jan Berry, Madison, Ala. def. (6) Melanie Smith, Hoover, Ala. , 3 and 2

Final

- (7) Jan Berry, Madison, Ala. def. (4) Jessica Howard, Anniston, Ala. , 2 and 1

Second Flight Consolation

Semifinal

- (5) April Godsey, Rainbow City, Ala. def. (8) Sandra Smith, Birmingham, Ala. , 3 and 1
- (2) Trish Carter, Hoover, Ala. def. (3) Lisa Jones, Guntersville, Ala. , 19 holes

Final

- (2) Trish Carter, Hoover, Ala. def. (5) April Godsey, Rainbow City, Ala. , 3 and 2

Third Flight

Quarterfinal

- (1) Candy Mitchell, Springville, Ala. def. (8) Susan McDaniel, Hoover, Ala. , 6 and 4
- (5) Shea Johnson, Guntersville, Ala. def. (4) Stephanie Hanna, Fayette, Ala. , Conceded
- (2) Lynn Glover, Birmingham, Ala. def. (7) Mary Dean Gray, Birmingham, Ala. , 7 and 5
- (3) Jessie Hsia, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (6) Chris Marr, Mobile, Ala. , Forfeit

Semifinal

- (1) Candy Mitchell, Springville, Ala. def. (5) Shea Johnson, Guntersville, Ala. , 9 and 7
- (3) Jessie Hsia, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (2) Lynn Glover, Birmingham, Ala. , 2 up

Final

- (3) Jessie Hsia, Tuscaloosa, Ala. def. (1) Candy Mitchell, Springville, Ala. , 20 holes

Third Flight Consolation

Semifinal

- (8) Susan McDaniel, Hoover, Ala. def. (4) Stephanie Hanna, Fayette, Ala. , 4 and 2
- (7) Mary Dean Gray, Birmingham, Ala. def. (6) Chris Marr, Mobile, Ala. , 2 up

Final

- (8) Susan McDaniel, Hoover, Ala. def. (7) Mary Dean Gray, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up

Fourth Flight

Quarterfinal

- (1) Keri Rutledge, Birmingham, Ala. (BYE)
- (4) Stephanie Johnson, Bay Minette, Ala. def. (5) Diane Hill, Birmingham, Ala. , 1 up
- (2) Misti Fairchild, Gadsden, Ala. def. (7) Sarah Hazen, Chatom, Ala. , 8 and 7
- (3) Sadie Ross, Monroeville, Ala. def. (6) Jacqueline Mott, Foley, Ala. , 1 up

Semifinal

- (1) Keri Rutledge, Birmingham, Ala. def. (4) Stephanie Johnson, Bay Minette, Ala. , 5 and 4
- (3) Sadie Ross, Monroeville, Ala. def. (2) Misti Fairchild, Gadsden, Ala. , 5 and 4

Final

- (1) Keri Rutledge, Birmingham, Ala. def. (3) Sadie Ross, Monroeville, Ala. , 3 and 1

Fourth Flight Consolation

Semifinal

- (5) Diane Hill, Birmingham, Ala. (BYE)
- (6) Jacqueline Mott, Foley, Ala. def. (7) Sarah Hazen, Chatom, Ala. , 2 and 1

Final

- (5) Diane Hill, Birmingham, Ala. def. (6) Jacqueline Mott, Foley, Ala. , 1 up

Women's State Amateur (continued)

Alabama Women's State Amateur Past Champions

| Year | Winner/Runner-Up | Score | Site |
|-------------|---|--------------|----------------------------------|
| 2015 | Heather Nail def. Kathy Hartwiger | 1 up | Golden Country Club |
| 2014 | Elaine Wood def. Virginia Green | 2 and 1 | NorthRiver Yacht Club |
| 2013 | Cammie Gray def. Lea Green | 3 and 2 | Lakewood Golf Club |
| 2012 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Alison Horvath | 2 and 1 | Hoover Country Club |
| 2011 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Gabi Oubre | 6 and 4 | Heron Lake Country Club |
| 2010 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Karin Beck | 37 holes | OT Colony Golf Complex |
| 2009 | Jordan Hardy def. Haley Lawrence | 4 and 3 | Willow Point Golf & Country Club |
| 2008 | Sara Grantham def. Kathy Hartwiger | 3 and 2 | Timberline Golf Club |
| 2007 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Melissa Gooden | 1 up | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 2006 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Connie Bousquet-Miller | 7 and 6 | Cypress Lakes Golf & CC |
| 2005 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Judy Taylor | 14 and 12 | Cypress Lakes Golf & CC |
| 2004 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Cynthia Parish | 10 and 8 | Heron Lakes Country Club |
| 2003 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Annie Kirkland | 8 and 6 | Greystone Golf & Country Club |
| 2002 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Annie Kirkland | 4 and 3 | Riverchase Country Club |
| 2001 | Beth Chandler def. Tami Green | 38 holes | Dathan National Golf Club |
| 2000 | Chris Spivey def. Jamie Weaver | 2 and 1 | Huntsville Country Club |
| 1999 | Kathy Hartwiger def. Jamie Weaver | 3 and 2 | Inverness Country Club |
| 1998 | Virginia Derby Grimes def. Kathy Hartwiger | 4 and 3 | Saughatchee Country Club |
| 1997 | Beth Williams def. Kathy Hartwiger | 38 holes | Old Overton Club |
| 1996 | Chris Spivey def. Lester Isbell | 2 and 1 | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1995 | Virginia Derby Grimes Chris Spivey (2 nd Place) | 69* | Greystone Golf & Country Club |
| 1994 | Virginia Derby Grimes def. Julie LeVan | 8 and 7 | Dathan Country Club |
| 1993 | Virginia Derby def. Julie LeVan | 6 and 5 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1992 | Missy Turk def. Kelli Sanders | 5 and 4 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1991 | Missy Turk def. Chris Spivey | 9 and 8 | Grayson Valley Country Club |
| 1990 | Chris Spivey def. Monica Hilger | 2 up | Skyline Country Club |

Women's State Amateur (continued)

Alabama Women's State Amateur Past Champions

(con't)

| Year | Winner/Runner-Up | Score | Site |
|-------------|---|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1989 | Virginia Derby def. Chaire Kyzar | 7 and 6 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1988 | Lannie Burns Frankel def. Kim Wilson | 4 and 3 | Olympia Spa Resort |
| 1987 | Chaire Kyzar def. Michele Drinkard | 2 up | Oak Hills Country Club |
| 1986 | Chris Spivey def. Lynn Boudley | 10 and 8 | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1985 | Mary Isbell def. Chris Spivey | 7 and 6 | Riverchase Country Club |
| 1984 | Diane Dean def. Jane Mayson | 5 and 4 | Gulf Shores Country Club |
| 1983 | Mary Isbell def. Chaire Kyzar | 4 and 3 | Grayson Valley Country Club |
| 1982 | Chaire Kyzar def. Jane Mayson | 4 and 2 | Skyline Country Club |
| 1981 | Betty Mixon def. Mary Isbell | 5 and 3 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1980 | Chris Spivey def. Shannon McAleer | 3 and 1 | Indian Hills Country Club |
| 1979 | Mary Isbell def. Jane Phillips | 7 and 6 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1978 | Jane Reynolds def. Chris Spivey | 9 and 7 | Dathan Country Club |
| 1977 | Jane Reynolds def. Ouida Cunningham | 3 and 1 | Valley Hill Country Club |
| 1976 | Jane Reynolds def. Mrs. Pete Mixon | 1 up | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1975 | Jane Reynolds def. Denise Saethrum | 3 and 2 | Birmingham Country Club |
| 1974 | Jane Mayson def. Ouida Cunningham | 3 and 1 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1973 | Martha Jones def. Mrs. Pete Mixon | 4 and 3 | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1972 | Beth Barry def. Martha Jones | 2 up | Huntsville Country Club |
| 1971 | Beth Barry def. Mrs. Pete Mixon | 9 and 8 | Dathan Country Club |
| 1970 | Beth Barry def. Mrs. Pete Mixon | 10 and 9 | Turtle Point Yacht & Country Club |
| 1969 | Beth Barry def. Judy Iekle | 8 and 7 | Vestavia Country Club |
| 1968 | Kathy Parer def. Beth Barry | 10 and 8 | Decatur Country Club |
| 1967 | Joyce Ann Jackson def. Beth Barry | 2 and 1 | Skyline Country Club |
| 1966 | Kathy Parer def. Beth Barry | 1 up | Willowbrook Country Club |
| 1965 | Carolyn Smith def. Candy Phillips | 7 and 6 | Selma Country Club |

Women's State Amateur (continued)

Alabama Women's State Amateur Past Champions

(con't)

| Year | Winner/Runner-Up | Score | Site |
|------|---|------------|-----------------------------|
| 1964 | Sara Cone def. Mary McCutcheon | 37 holes | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1963 | Ann Upchurch def. Carolyn Smith | 1 up | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1962 | June Mayson def. Mrs. Sam Byrd | 4 and 3 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1961 | Mrs. Sam Byrd def. Carolyn Smith | 3 and 2 | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1960 | Minnie Lee Ashley def. Mrs. Dolphus Pruitt | 5 and 4 | Gadsden Country Club |
| 1959 | June Mayson def. Mary McCutcheon | 5 and 3 | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1958 | Minnie Lee Ashley def. June Mayson | 5 and 4 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1957 | June Mayson def. Mary McCutcheon | 6 and 5 | Vestavia Country Club |
| 1956 | Ann Upchurch def. Mrs. Richard Metz | 9 and 8 | Montgomery Country Club |
| 1955 | Bee McWare def. Joann Prentice | 4 and 3 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1954 | Joann Prentice def. Bee McWare | 39 holes | Dashon Country Club |
| 1953 | Bee McWare def. Joann Prentice | 3 and 1 | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1952 | Bee McWare def. Joann Prentice | 6 and 5 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1951 | Mrs. Harry Webb def. Ann Upchurch | 2 and 1 | Gadsden Country Club |
| 1950 | Bee McWare def. Babs Haskely | 7 and 6 | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1949 | Bee McWare def. Babs Haskely | 4 and 3 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1948 | Bee McWare def. Mrs. F.H. Knox | 21 holes** | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1947 | Joy Culverhouse def. Bee McWare | 6 and 4 | Beauvoir CC (Montgomery CC) |
| 1946 | Ann Sanford def. Mrs. Chester Zahn | 2 and 1 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1945 | Championship Not Played (WWII) | | |
| 1944 | Championship Not Played (WWII) | | |
| 1943 | Championship Not Played (WWII) | | |
| 1942 | Championship Not Played (WWII) | | |
| 1941 | Joy McCann def. Mrs. Ed May | 6 and 5 | Country Club of Tuscaloosa |
| 1940 | Mrs. Frederick Thirk def. Mrs. Alan Knox | 9 and 8 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1939 | Lucille Vriesdenburgh def. Mrs. Sam Friedman | 3 and 2 | Beauvoir CC (Montgomery CC) |
| 1938 | Mrs. Ralph Carter def. Joy McCann | 10 and 9 | Mountain Brook Club |

Women's State Amateur (continued)

Alabama Women's State Amateur Past Champions

(con't)

| Year | Winner/Runner-Up | Score | Site |
|------|---|---------|-----------------------------|
| 1937 | Mrs. Bee Cockrell def. Mrs. Carl Hess | 4 and 3 | Guiden Country Club |
| 1936 | Mrs. Bee Cockrell def. Mrs. Roderick Trilk | 6 and 4 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1935 | Mrs. Roderick Trilk def. Mrs. Taylor Peck | 2 and 1 | Country Club of Mobile |
| 1934 | Adekine Liebold def. Margaret Smith | 3 and 2 | Country Club of Birmingham |
| 1933 | Margaret Smith def. Mrs. Bee Cockrell | 3 and 2 | Mountain Brook Club |
| 1932 | Margaret Smith def. Mrs. Frank Barnes | 5 and 4 | Beauvoir CC (Montgomery CC) |
| 1931 | Mrs. B. Cockrell def. Mrs. R. Trilk | 2 and 1 | Anniston Country Club |
| 1930 | Mrs. Carl Hess def. Mrs. Frank Barnes | 2 up | Anniston Country Club |
| 1929 | Mrs. H.S. Geisner def. Mrs. Carl Hess | 5 and 3 | Country Club of Birmingham |

*event shortened to 18 holes of stroke play due to Hurricane Opal

**Final was a scheduled 18 hole match

Women's Southeastern Challenge Matches

Not Played in 2015

Biannual Event

| Year | Champion | Score | Site |
|------|----------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 2014 | Florida | FL 29, GA 20 1/2, AL 13 1/2 | Great Waters Course, Greensboro, GA |
| 2012 | Florida | FL 24, GA 20 1/2, AL 18 1/2 | The Country Club of Ocala, Ocala, FL |

Joe H. King Award Recipients

The Joe H. King Award is named after King, who died in 2008, and was a key person within the United States Golf Association, Southern Golf Association and Alabama Golf Association, all for many, many years. In 1993, the AGA created an award in King's name to be given periodically to amateur golfers in Alabama for their contributions to golf. It is akin to our "Hall of Fame" and is our highest honor.

All have shaped golf in the state in a highly significant way.

To date, there have been 18 recipients:

1993



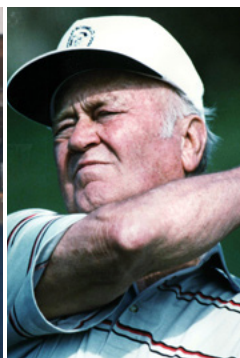
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Ann Upchurch



Elbert Jemison Jr



Charley Boswell

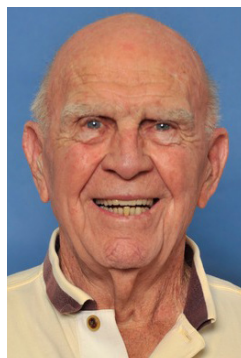


Buddy Walker



Sam Farlow

1994



Frank Campbell Sr.



Bob Lowry Jr.



Jackie Cummings



Art Gleason Jr.



Fred Stephens



Bee McWane

2001

2009

2011

2011



Sadie Roberts

2012



Buford McCarty

2013



Jean Miller

2014



Martha Lang

2015



Derrel Curry



Barney Lanier

Luther B. (Barney) Lanier received the Joe H. King Award in 2015

Luther B. (Barney) Lanier was honored this year with the Alabama Golf Association's signal award, the Joe H. King Award.

Lanier has long been associated with the game of golf in Alabama and the Country Club of Birmingham.

A fine player in his own right, he has competed in three U.S. Amateur Championships (1982, '83 and '84), won the 1971 BGA Junior Championship and has won the Country Club of Birmingham InvitationAL

He has served on numerous Alabama Golf Association committees, and was AGA president in 1997-98. He has also served various roles at the Country Club of Birmingham including chairman, as well as chairing multiple golf course renovation committees at the club over the years.

Lanier is a member of the Country Club of Birmingham and will receive his award at a recognition dinner at the club on March 6.

"It is such a humbling thing to receive an award named for someone who was such a mentor to me. He was a person I always looked up to. He was 'Mr. Golf' when I was coming up in the game.

"This award is the highest award given by the Alabama Golf Association and it is not given every year. When I look at the names who have been humbled to receive the award, I'm not sure I belong in such esteemed company.

"Golf has been good to me, as Joe King was always good to me. I've been delighted to be involved (playing the game and administra-

tively) for wow, what must be 30 years now. And I hope to be involved for many more to come. Long may it continue."

Lanier, who grew up playing junior golf at Birmingham and played on the golf team his freshman year at Auburn, has always had a deep love of golf, particularly amateur golf. After

his freshman year, he decided to concentrate on his Building Construction degree, which has served him well in the family business, John H. Lanier Co., started by his father in 1958.

"I made the right choice. I couldn't do both in school."

As he progressed in the work place, he continued to play golf and enjoy golf. Richard Anthony invited him to be an AGA Associate Director, around the same time as long-time AGA Executive Director was getting involved in the same role.

"I learned (the ropes) from some greats including Joe (King), Elbert Jemison, Dr. Buddy Moss, Buddy Walker, Bob Lowry, and others.

"But, to me, Joe was always the man. He was so entrenched in Alabama golf. We became good friends. I always respected the quiet way he went about his business. He commanded everyone's respect."

One role led to another and Lanier began serving on the AGA's



Luther B. Lanier

Executive Committee. There followed his roles as vice president and president. He'd always help with championships at the Country Club of Birmingham and Willow Point as tournament chairman and was involved in junior golf when his son, Luke, was a junior golfer.

In more recent times, he along with Anthony and Jim Gorrie, helped head up the committee that facilitated the 2013 U.S. Mid-Amateur Championship at the Country Club of Birmingham.

"The club really had a great camaraderie for this championship and we had over 500 volunteers help us with what was a great, great week."

He was also inducted into the the Birmingham Golf Association's Hall of Fame in 2014, along with that year's class of Buford McCarty and John Gibbs.

In Memoriam: Jean Miller

Jean Miller WAS women's golf in Alabama, and had been such for many, many years.

After a brave fight, she passed away in June and will be dearly missed by golfers far and wide. Especially all the little girls, many of whom are mothers themselves now, who she started in the game of golf.

Even later in life, she continued to enthusiastically promote the game through the Ladies Birmingham Golf Association, LPGA-USGA Girls Golf, the Lady Legacy Scholarship Foundation, the AGA and other groups she had an integral role in.

She received many accolades along the way, and I'll get to them in due course, but she was far more interested in seeing a young girl's smile as she made solid contact with the ball -- or made contact at all -- as Miller knew then she had another golfer for the future in her midst.

When, in 2012, the Alabama Golf Association recognized her with the Joe H. King Award, their highest award, she told me:

"It gives me so much pleasure to watch the little girls learn the game. Beginners who start to advance and, as my great friend Joann Bedow used to say, you give them clues, and their faces just light up when they hit one just right in the sweet spot. Those smiles, that happiness when they know they have done it right. I just



love those moments."

Miller, a fine golfer in her own right, spent a lifetime giving back to the game.

"I take almost a selfish pleasure (in helping)," she continued with a smile across her lips and a sparkle in her eye. "I have been fortunate that I do what I want to do and that is to help (grow the game of golf).

"I like being useful. It's fun to help and that's the reason I do it."

Miller, though it sounds simplistic, always got things done and she was so integral to groups such as LPGA-USGA Girls Golf, that introduces the game to girls from ages 7-17.

She also worked with the USGA for over 25 years. She served on the Junior Girls Championship committee for 16 years and then their Women's Committee. You name it, she did it, and always with no fuss or fanfare.

One of my favorites was when

she recalled an endearing story of traveling to the U.S. Girls Junior many times, with many of girls invariably flying via Atlanta airport.

"You could pick out the girls (at the airport). They were invariably tall and looked a little lonely. One year (1994) I met Marcy Newton who was holding a teddy bear and had a tear in her eye. Her parents were from rural South Carolina and she was traveling on her own for the first time. I befriended her.

"I saw her again the next year in the airport. She'd grown up a lot, but still was a little unsure of herself. Do you know what, she won that year's championship!"

Always with more energy and drive than most people half her age, she will be truly missed, but did she ever live her life. What a joy it must have been for this humble, self-effacing lady to even have had an inkling of the lives

In Memoriam: Jean Miller (Continued)

she touched through golf and her tireless love of promoting the game.

Some of her accolades follow:

* She was elected into the Birmingham Golf Association's Hall of Fame in 1980.

* She was president of the Women's Alabama Golf Association in 1991-92, winning their "Special Award" in 1994.

* She received the Joe H. King Award in 2012.

* She worked with the USGA for over 25 years. She served on the Junior Girls Championship committee for 16 years and then their Women's Committee for 25 years.

Many, many people wished to remember Jean. A select few follow:

"I didn't know much about

Jean Miller's personal life but, if golf does mirror life, then her personal life had to be meaningful because her golf life certainly was. It is said that perhaps the nicest thing you can say about a person is that when they are gone, they will be missed. Jean will be sorely missed." Buford McCarty, longtime Executive Director of the Alabama Golf Association.

"She has made a lasting impression on SO MANY people and helped women's/girl's golf in Alabama in ways that we will never be able to measure! I loved her and her graceful and kind way. So many wonderful memories. She will be missed." Kathy Hartwiger, 10-time Women's State Amateur champion.

"Such sad news, but it was such a blessing to have known

Jean and to have benefitted from all the wonderful gifts she gave to women's golf. She will be missed, but her legacy will live on in every little girl that plays golf." Five-time Women's State Amateur champion Chris Spivey.

"She was the definition of female golf in this state. We will all miss her wit, charm, dedication and ability to get things done to foster the love of golf. There will never be a more dedicated lady to golf for women and girls. I will be always grateful to have been her friend. I will remember watching her make birdie after birdie while laughing and talking, hole by hole and never miss a swing! What a wonderful woman." One of her numerous golfing friends, Warren Cain.

In Memoriam: Jackie Cummings

Born and raised in Tuscaloosa, Jackie Cummings, a true legend in the amateur game, passed away in early August, aged 80.

Below is taken from a story about Cummings in Ian Thompson's book, *Alabama Golf Association: The First 100 Years*.

Ironically enough, Cummings attended the University of Alabama, but never hit a shot for the Crimson Tide's golf team.

"I was, what you'd call, a late bloomer," Cummings said.

He's certainly got that right. Winning the 1990 U.S. Senior Amateur Championship puts him in select company.

Cummings didn't touch a club until he was in high school, even though his parents were members of the old Tuscaloosa Country Club.

"A lot of my friends at Tuscaloosa (now Central) High School were skipping afternoon classes to go play golf. I wanted to join them. I was probably about a sophomore. I never had any lessons; I still haven't to this day. I just kind of picked it up along the way."

Next came college.

"A lot of my good buddies were going to Alabama, so I decided to join them. I was a lousy junior player and didn't rate a tryout for a place on the golf team. I still played and practiced, but I never did try out."

Some of the players on the team at that time included M.C. Fitts, Buddy Manderson and Jackie Maness.

Soon after college Cummings got married and didn't have a lot of time for golf. His father helped



Jackie Cummings

him get into an International dealership - selling and leasing large trucks.

As he became established in business, he had more time to devote to golf.

"As I said before, I never took any lessons, but I did read a lot. Ben Hogan was my idol. I learned so much from his book (*Five Fundamentals of Golf*)."

He became a fixture on the local golf scene, winning his first tournament - the Montgomery Country Club Invitational - in 1958.

"I remember I beat Dick Pride in the final (it was matchplay back then). His son Dicky, who plays on the PGA Tour, is my godson."

Other wins followed the same year at Indian Hills and Selma Country Club (where he has a span of 39 years between his first win and last win in 1997).

He was now seen as one of the players to beat.

Cummings would win three State Amateur Championships, his first coming in 1961 over the

West Course at The Country Club of Birmingham. He would beat one of his Tuscaloosa rivals, M.C. Fitts, by one shot. Rounds of 69, 71 and 73 had Cummings comfortably in charge, but he limped home with a final round of 80, which proved to be just enough to still win.

His other State Amateur wins came in 1965 at The Country Club of Mobile, where rain meant the championship had to be called at 54 holes, and at Vestavia Country Club in 1971, when two players who would go on to play on the tour - Mike Smith and Charlie Krenkel - came in tied second.

"My biggest disappointment was not winning at Indian Hills (still his home course) in 1966. I had a five-shot lead going into the final round, but I shot 77 and Mac McLendon shot a 70 to beat me. But, over the years, I've won more than I've lost."

He also finished second in the State Amateur to Craig Clemons in 1970.

He noted that another disap-

In Memoriam: Jackie Cummings (Continued)

pointment was never winning the prestigious Country Club of Birmingham National Invitational; again he had two runner-up finishes there.

He did win the Country Club of Mobile Invitational three times - 1961, 62 and 68.

Cummings had a tremendous amount of success in the sixties, but his game went into a decline by the mid-seventies.

"I was working hard, plus I had back trouble. I ruptured a disk in my back and had to have surgery. This forced me to get into better shape as I was put on a physical training program and I did a lot of walking as well. By the time I turned 50 I was in better shape than I was at age 40. Hence, my golf game picked up too."

He was about to enter a new arena - senior golf - one that would show that his golf game never left, but rather was one that improved with age. At age 50 he was now eligible for the Senior Open, but would have to wait another five years to be of age to try for the Senior Amateur.

In total Cummings played in seven Senior Opens, making the cut in a very commendable four of them. He had to qualify for four of them and was exempt from 1991 to 93 by virtue of his U.S. Senior Amateur win. His best showing came in 1995 at Cherry Hills when he was the second lowest amateur, just one behind Vinny Giles.

Now onto the crowning moment of his golfing career, but it was one for which he nearly missed his qualifying tee time. I'll let him take up the story once more.

"That spring my game wasn't very good. I'd cracked a wrist and hadn't been playing very much. I decided to go to Old Waverly in Mississippi to qualify. I'd been there before and thought I knew the way. But come 20 minutes from my tee time I was completely lost and things didn't look good. Finally a road looked familiar and I thought I'd give it a shot. It was the right road and two minutes before my tee time I pull into the parking lot. I grab my clubs, have my golf shoes in my hand and run to the first tee.

"You know, the U.S.G.A. doesn't mess around about those things. If you're late, you're out. I made it just in time and with no practice swing I pushed my tee shot into a ditch and started with a big, fat double bogey. But a strange thing happened after that, I never missed another shot and ended up shooting 70 to qualify by a shot.

"So I headed to a place called Carefree, Arizona and the Desert Forest Golf Club. It was hot even though it was in October and the wind was blowing. It was the hardest course ever for a Senior Amateur, with the medalist shooting 150. I shot an 80 the first day, but followed that up with a 74 and made it into matchplay with ease. Things just kept getting better and better for me as the week went on."

He beat two-time Senior Amateur champion Clarence Moore of Winnsboro, S.C. in the quarter-finals and Rick Jones of Youngstown, Ohio in the semi-finals to set up a clash with Bobby Clark of Asheville, N.C.

"It was (and still is) an 18-hole final and we both played poorly on the front nine after which we were even in the match. I got my game together on the back nine and had seven pars and a birdie to win the match 3 & 2."

Indeed he closed out the championship with the only birdie of the match, a six footer on the par 5 sixteenth.

"I felt I could be competitive in the national Senior Amateur as the year before Bob Lowry of Huntsville had lost in the semi-final, as had Amos Jones of Dothan another year. I knew I could play with those guys. You know, it was just my week."

His win gave him a five-year exemption into the championship and he made through into match play every year. Twice he had good runs before losing quarter-final matches, but now laments the fact that he can't compete with the younger guys.

His record through the years stands alone in statewide circles. Sam Perry and Sam Farlow may have won more State Amateurs (four to Cummings' three), but no one in the state has likely won as many invitationals as Jackie Cummings.

When asked exactly how many he threw his hands up and said he had no idea, but he did reel off the following list just for starters: Tuscaloosa seven times, Florence once, Vestavia three times, Selma three, Mobile three, etc., etc.

He received the Joe H. King Award in 2001 and was inducted into the Birmingham Golf Association's Hall of Fame in 2010.

Alabama Golf Association

THE FIRST 100 YEARS

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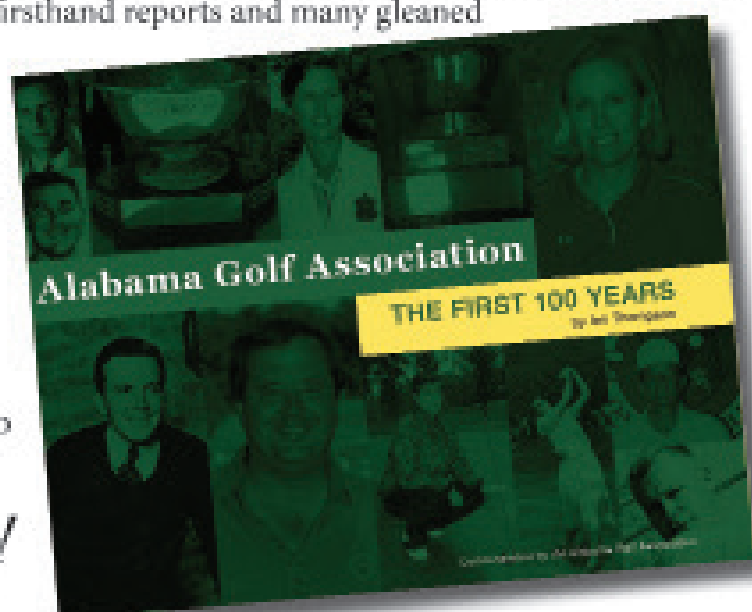
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The Alabama Golf Association has been in existence since 1915, but it was not until December 1985 that its first, and only, paid executive director was hired. McCarty, when he retired, was in the job for right at 30 years. His mark has been immense.

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Also, McCarty is the Executive Secretary of the Southern Golf Association, so his role is a dual one.

"I am very proud of the Southern Amateur, our flagship event. While always a prominent regional championship, it has risen to a top 10 ranking in the world, currently at No. 8, with only the U.S. Ama-



teur, Western Amateur and NCAA's ahead of it in this country."

Other services offered by the AGA are myriad including the rating of golf courses, a resource for Rules questions, statewide computing of the GHIN handicapping system, seminars in regards to their tournament pairings program and Rules of the Game, administering Player of the Year points, etc., etc.

And, of course, their most visible service is conducting the previously mentioned state golf championships.

McCarty's affiliation with the AGA goes back to 1980. He was appointed as an associate director that year, at the urging of Jim Spader, AGA president at the time. The venerable Joe King was the executive director of the AGA, which he did on a volunteer basis.

"I was a member at Riverchase Country Club at the time and was appointed as a liaison between the club and the AGA for the State Amateur we were hosting. Richard

Anthony was president of the AGA and he approached me about a full-time position with the AGA. My circumstances were such that I wanted to do it and could do it. It was a case of being in the right place at the right time," McCarty recalled.

In recent years McCarty, although he would humbly say he was just doing his job, has been rightfully recognized for a job very well done.

"All I was doing for the most part was taking care of the steering wheel while a lot of successful and smart AGA Officers and Directors were my navigators," McCarty said.

Upon finding out he had been chosen to be a recipient of the Joe H. King Award in 2009, he was moved to tears. This is akin to the AGA's Hall of Fame and is their top award.

"Joe was my mentor and I would not have been doing what I've been doing for the past 25 years (and counting) without him."

McCarty is very proud that the USGA asked him to come to its headquarters in Far Hills, N.J., for a number of years to teach a class entitled "How to Conduct a Championship."

It's quite the commendation when golf's governing body asks you to educate USGA interns and staff members on the best practices to run championships.

Plus, in 2011 he received the USGA's Ike Grainger Award for 25 years of service to the USGA.

And in 2014 the Birmingham Golf Association inducted him into their Hall of Fame.

McCarty's influence has seen the AGA grow beyond all recognition during his time in charge.

Andy Priest named as Executive Director of the Alabama Golf Association

It was announced in 2014 that long-time Alabama Golf Association Executive Director Buford McCarty would retire at the end of 2015.

Andy Priest of Pinehurst, N.C. was announced as his replacement and he officially began his role Nov. 1.

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Priest's first love growing up was baseball and he played college baseball at Campbell University in Buies Creek, N.C. However, his father, on faculty at N.C. State, introduced him to the game as there is a par 3 course on the campus in Raleigh, N.C.

At Campbell, his enjoyment of golf was furthered by the fact that there is a golf course on that campus too and he played many a round on it.

"It was my sophomore year at Campbell and I came to the realization that professional baseball was not in my future. I already loved golf and when I went on to graduate school at Campbell I took a position as a Grad Assistant for Operations. That got me connected with the University golf course."

One thing led to another and longtime men's and women's head golf coach at Campbell, John Crooks, advised him to check into an internship at the Carolinas Golf Association. Priest applied and got the job in 1997. When his internship ended, the CGA didn't have a full-time position available. He found a job, uniting his passion for the game of golf and its operations, with the International Junior Golf Tour based in Hilton Head Island, S.C. He stayed with them for two and a half years before his boss at the CGA, Jack Nance, contacted him to see if he would come back to the CGA.

Priest accepted and has been with the CGA, under Nance, since 2000. While there he has overseen many varied roles and had risen to second in command, as Assistant Executive Director. The CGA has a full-time staff of 14 people and runs upwards of 250 tournaments a year across North and South Carolina with 700 member clubs and 140,000 individual members. Suffice to say, it's a big operation.

When McCarty first announced he would be retiring, the job as his successor was posted. Priest was interested and applied.

"Such positions are few and far between, even more so in this geographical area. The opportunity was intriguing and I threw my name into the hat. I'd gone as far as I can go here (the CGA) and I wanted to do more."



Priest aims to bring his own ideas and thoughts to the role, as well as keeping what is already in place working well.

"I'm extremely excited to get started. I'm humbled by the support I've received here as well as there (in Alabama). I can't wait to get started."

He expects to visit the AGA multiple times in the coming months before getting started full-time in November.

Carrying a 10 index, and playing about 20 rounds a year, Priest is not the best player in his family. His wife, Tiffany, is a former golf club professional, who applied for and received her amateur status back. She has played in the U.S. Women's Mid-Amateur and is also involved in golf administration as she is the Director of Women's Golf at the CGA.

"Tiffany is making the biggest sacrifice for me to take on the role at the Alabama Golf Association. She has worked for the CGA for 14 years. She's a USGA Rules official (as is her husband) and loves golf administration, so she's giving up a lot."

Priest indicated he thought she would be involved in local golf in some fashion, but that was to be determined in due course.

STATE OF ALABAMA)
JEFFERSON COUNTY)

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the undersigned, desiring to establish a nonprofit corporation under the provision of the Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act as set out in Title 10-3, et seq., of the 1975 Code of Alabama, do hereby make and subscribe our names to these Articles of Incorporation as follows:

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of the nonprofit corporation shall be Alabama Golf Association, Inc..

ARTICLE II - DURATION

The period of duration of the corporation shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE III - PURPOSES

The purposes for which this corporation is formed are as follows:

The object of this Association shall be to promote the game of golf, the protection of the interests of its members, the holding of such tournaments as may be decided on by the Board of Directors, and the suitable recognition of the winners in the championship or other contests, and to promote, support and subsidize the development of turf research as performed by the USGA and under the direction and auspices of the Auburn University Agronomy Department.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of its shareholders, members, trustees, officers, or other private persons. The corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes herein set forth.

To carry out its purposes, this corporation shall have the general powers granted nonprofit corporations by the said Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act and such other powers as granted such corporations by the State of Alabama which are necessary to accomplish the purposes of the corporation.

ARTICLE IV - MEMBERS

Members may obtain membership in the corporation in accordance with the rules and By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of this corporation.

ARTICLE V - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A. The affairs and activities of the corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors. The number of Directors shall be provided in the By-Laws of the corporation but shall not be less than five nor more than twenty-five. The Board of Directors, as set forth in the By Laws, by a simple majority thereof shall have the full power and authority to adopt and amend the By-Laws of the Corporation.

B. The members of the Board of Directors shall be elected for a term of one year or until their successors are named. In the event any Director resigns during his term, the Board of Directors, as set forth in the By Laws, may elect a member of the corporation to the Board of Directors to complete the unexpired term of the resigned Director.

C. The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors shall be five and the names and addresses of the persons constituting the initial Board of Directors are as follows:

| <u>NAME</u> | <u>ADDRESS</u> |
|------------------------|--|
| James K. Spader, Jr. | 2805 Crescent Avenue Homewood, Alabama 35209 |
| Davis Haughton, M.D. | 409 West Main Street Dothan, Alabama 36301 |
| Joe H. King | 4152 Old Leeds Lane Birmingham, Alabama 35213 |
| Elbert S. Jemison, Jr. | 4008 Old Leeds Circle Birmingham, Alabama 35213 |
| Richard Anthony | #2 Montrose Circle Birmingham, Alabama 35213 |

ARTICLE VI - OFFICE AND AGENT

A. The address of the initial registered office of this corporation shall be 2805 Crescent Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35209.

B. The name of the initial registered agent of this corporation at such address shall be James K. Spader.

ARTICLE VII - INCORPORATORS

The names and addresses of the Incorporators shall be as follows:

| <u>NAME</u> | <u>ADDRESS</u> |
|----------------------|--|
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ARTICLE VIII - OFFICERS

The names of the officers for the first year and until their successors are elected and qualified are as follows:

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| President | James K. Spader, Jr. |
| Vice President | Davis Haughton, M.D. |
| Secretary-Treasurer | Joe H. King |

ARTICLE IX

The net income or surplus earned, if any, received or accumulated, if any, by the corporation shall not be distributed to any individual, groups of individuals, firm or firms, corporation or corporations, whether the incorporators, officers or directors hereof or otherwise, but may be distributed to any other nonprofit corporation whose aim is toward the encouragement of participation in athletics. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation shall not, except to an insubstantial degree, engage in any activities or exercise any powers that are not in furtherance of the purposes of this corporation.

ARTICLE X

Upon the dissolution of the corporation, the members shall, after paying or making provision for the payment of all of the liabilities of the corporation, dispose of all of the assets of the corporation exclusively for the purposes of the corporation in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and

operated exclusively for charitable or athletic purposes as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law), as the members shall determine. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the court of common pleas of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned incorporators have subscribed their names to these Articles of Incorporation on this the 17th day of July, 1980.

James K. Spader, Jr.
James K. Spader, Jr.

Joe H. King
Joe H. King

Davis Haughton
Davis Haughton, M.D.

STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

The above signed incorporators, being duly sworn, and stating they are in compliance with the laws of the State of Alabama pertaining to nonprofit corporations have, being known to me, this day subscribed their hands and seals.

GIVEN under my hand and seal this the 17th day of July, 1980.

John L. Hunt
Notary Public

My Commission Expires August 2, 1981

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NOTARY PUBLIC

IN THE PROBATE COURT

STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

WHEREAS, the above named Incorporators have filed their certificate in this Court under the provisions of the Code of Alabama covering such matters for the purpose of organizing a nonprofit corporation to be known as Alabama Golf Association, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, said Incorporators have in all respects complied with the laws of the State of Alabama.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the said above named Incorporators and their successors are duly organized under the laws of the State of Alabama as a nonprofit corporation under the name of Alabama Golf Association, Inc., having all the powers, rights and privileges by law authorized to corporations of a nonprofit character and as set forth in the declaration of said Incorporators.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Judge of Probate of Jefferson County, Alabama, hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of said County to these presents this the 25th day of July, 1980.

O. W. F. Lawrence
Judge of Probate

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT
TO THE
ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
OF
ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC.
A Non-Profit Corporation

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 10-2A-113 of the Code of Alabama, the undersigned corporation adopts the following Articles of Amendment to its Articles of Incorporation:

FIRST: The name of the corporation is ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC..

SECOND: The following amendment of the Articles of Incorporation was adopted by a majority vote of the Board of Directors of the corporation, in office, on the 10th day of July, 1981 in the manner prescribed by the Alabama Business Corporation Act.

"Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, this corporation will not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by (a) a corporation exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law or (b) a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or any other corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law."

There are no members of the Corporation having voting rights.

DATED: July 10, 1981.

ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC.
A Non-Profit Corporation

By James K. Spader, Jr.
JAMES K. SPADER, JR.
Its President

AND

By Joe H. King
JOE H. KING
Its Secretary

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF Jefferson

I, Johanna L. Hartman, a notary public, do hereby
certify that on this 10th day of July, 1981,
personally appeared before me JAMES K. SPADER, JR. and JOE H.
KING, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the
President and Secretary of ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC., a
non-profit corporation, that they signed the foregoing document as
President and Secretary of the corporation, and that the statements
therein contained are true

Joe E. Hartman
NOTARY PUBLIC

(NOTARIAL SEAL)

My Commission Expires August 2, 1981

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ARTICLE III - PURPOSES of the Articles of Incorporation of Alabama Golf Association, Inc. shall be amended to read as follows:

"The purposes for which this corporation is formed are as follows:

The object of this Association shall be to promote the game of golf (but in no way to provide any facilities or equipment in such endeavor), exclusively for the purpose of fostering the advancement of amateur golf, the protection of the interests of its members, the holding of such tournaments as may be decided on by the Board of Directors, and the suitable recognition of the winners in the championship or other contests, and to promote, support and subsidize the development of turf research as

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performed by the USGA and under the direction and auspices of the Auburn University Agronomy Department, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of its shareholders, members, trustees, officers, or other private persons. The corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes herein set forth.

To carry out its purposes, this corporation shall have the general powers granted nonprofit corporations by the said Alabama Nonprofit Corporation Act and such other powers as granted such corporations by the State of Alabama which are necessary to accomplish the purposes of the corporation.

There are no members of the Corporation having voting rights.

DATED: July 29th, 1981.

ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC.
A Non-Profit Corporation

By James K. Spader
JAMES K. SPADER, JR.
Its President

AND

By Joe H. King
JOE H. KING
Its Secretary

STATE OF ALABAMA

COUNTY OF Jefferson

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certify that on this 29th day of July, 1981, personally appeared

before me JAMES K. SPADER, JR. and JOE H. KING, who, being by me first duly sworn, declared that they are the President and Secretary of ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION, INC., a non-profit corporation, that they signed the foregoing document as President and Secretary of the corporation, and that the statements therein contained are true

(NOTARIAL SEAL)

Joe H. King
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires August



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J. H. King
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BY-LAWS of ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I

MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Membership in the Association shall be open to any "golf club" composed of bona fide residents of the State of Alabama, whether or not incorporated. A "golf club" shall be an organization of at least 10 individual members which operates under by-laws with committees appointed to supervise golf activities and to maintain the integrity of the USGA Handicap System. Its members must have a reasonable and regular opportunity to play golf with each other and be able personally to return scores or records for posting. An organization of amateur golfers at a public golf course is considered a golf club, provided that it satisfies the conditions stated in this paragraph.

Section 2. The Association shall be composed of the following classes of members:

(a) **Member Clubs.** A Member Club shall be any golf club as defined in Section 1 above which provides to its individual members the handicap service offered by the Association.

(b) **Individual Members.** Individual Members shall consist of all members of Member Clubs who are active on the roster of the handicap service referenced in Paragraph (a) above.

Member Clubs and Individual Members shall be entitled to all privileges and services offered by the Association.

Section 3. Applications for membership shall be made in writing to the Secretary of the Association on such form as required, accompanied by such information as that Officer deems necessary for the Directors to have before passing on the application. No Member Club shall be admitted to membership in the Association without being first approved by a majority vote of the Directors constituting a quorum at a regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors or of a committee thereof authorized by the Board.

Section 4. The acceptance of membership in the Association shall bind each member to abide by the Articles of Incorporation, the By-laws and the rules and regulations of the Association and to accept and enforce all decisions which the Board of Directors is authorized to make relating to the affairs of the Association.

Section 5. Any Member Club of the Association may be suspended or expelled upon a majority vote of the Directors for non-payment of dues and fees or for any other reason satisfactory to a majority of said Board of Directors. No Member Club shall be suspended or expelled without due notice, with formal charges, and an opportunity to be heard in its own defense.

Section 6. On ceasing to be a member of the Association, any member shall no longer be interested in, or have any interest of any kind whatsoever in any of the property of the Association.

Section 7. The amount of annual dues and initiation fee and other fees for any of the members shall be as established from time to time by the Board of Directors. Annual Dues for all classes of membership shall be payable immediately upon receipt of any invoice for same.

Section 8. Membership shall be automatically continuous unless interrupted by written resignation or expulsion. Members shall be liable for all dues and fees accruing to the date of such resignation or resignation or expulsion.

ARTICLE II

MEETINGS OF THE MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. The annual meeting of the membership of the Association, as well as any special meeting thereof, shall be held at such times and places as are fixed by the Directors of the Association. In addition, special meetings of the membership may be held by petition of at least seven Member Clubs of the Association. Ten days notice shall be given of any meeting of the membership and shall be given by regular mail, postage prepaid, to all Member Clubs.

Section 2. Each Member Club shall have, at any annual or special meeting, the right to be represented (in person only) by one voting delegate or alternate duly elected by such Member Club. A quorum shall exist at any such meeting when representatives of at least seven Member Clubs are present.

BY-LAWS of ALABAMA GOLF ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE II

MEETINGS OF THE MEMBERSHIP (Con't)

Section 3. At the annual meeting the delegates there shall elect from the membership of the clubs holding membership in the Association, a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer (or they may elect one person to fill both positions of Secretary and Treasurer) and a Board of Directors, whose number shall not be less than five nor more than thirty-five. Those so elected shall hold office until the election of the Directors at the next annual meeting.

Section 4. The President and Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be ex-officio members of the Board of Directors.

Section 5. The election of the Officers and Directors shall be made in such a manner as the majority of the delegates may determine at the annual meeting.

Section 6. A majority of the Directors may grant the designation of "Director Emeritus" upon any retired Director, who shall be allowed to attend meetings of the Directors as a non-voting participant. Eligibility for designation as Director Emeritus shall include one or more of the following:

- (a) Past president of the Alabama Golf Association.
- (b) Distinguished service to the Alabama Golf Association by virtue of length of service and/or degree of involvement during his term.
- (c) Other eligibility requirements as may be established by the Directors.

ARTICLE III DIRECTORS

Section 1. The management of the Association shall be vested in the Board of Directors. They shall fix the bonds and salaries of said officers, if any, prescribe their duties, and otherwise have entire control over the officers.

Section 2. The Directors shall fix the time, place, and date of the annual or any special meetings of the Association. They shall have power to fix the program for such meetings and tournaments, or delegate such power to one or more special committees.

Section 3. The Directors may appoint such standing committees as they consider for the best interest of the Association. The President shall be ex-officio a member of all standing or special committees.

Section 4. The Association shall be governed, during times when the full board is not meeting, by an executive committee consisting of the following but not exceeding eight (8) members:

1. President.
2. Vice-President.
3. Secretary.
4. Treasurer.
5. Not less than two (2), nor more than five (5), additional members of the Board to be selected by the Board of Directors.

The executive committee shall act by a simple majority vote.

Section 5. Meetings of the Board of Directors may be held at any time on call of the President or by written request signed by at least five directors. Meetings of the Board of Directors may be conducted in person, or telephonically, or electronically via email.

Section 6. Ten days notice shall be given of any meetings of the Board of Directors.

Section 7. At meetings of the Board of Directors, votes of absent members of the Board may be received by mail and recorded on any issue to come before such meetings or as provided in Article VI.

Section 8. A majority of the Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

Section 1. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association or of the Board of Directors, and shall carry out the orders of the Directors in the management of the Association.

Section 2. The Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of that office.

Section 3. The Secretary shall keep the records of the Association, give notice of all meetings, and perform such other duties as the Directors may require of him.

Section 4. The Treasurer shall collect all monies belonging to the Association and disburse same under direction of the Board of Directors. He shall report in writing to the Board of Directors and the Association at each meeting of either body.

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**ARTICLE V
DUES AND FINANCES**

Section 1. Each member shall pay to the Treasurer by or before the 1st of May of each year annual dues as determined by the Alabama Golf Association, Inc.

Section 2. The fiscal year shall end on the last day of the calendar year.

Section 3. Failure to pay dues by or before the date of the annual meeting shall preclude the delinquent from representation at any meeting and debar their members from the privileges of entering any Association contest while the said Club is delinquent. If said delinquency continues for sixty days after the end of the fiscal year, the club shall be dropped from membership.

**ARTICLE VI
RULES OF ORDER**

The rules contained in the most recent edition of Robert's Rules of Order, Revised, shall govern all meetings of members and Directors where those rules are not inconsistent with the Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws, or special rules of order of the corporation.

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**ARTICLE VII
AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to these By-Laws may be made at any meeting of the Board of Directors of the Association by a vote of at least two-thirds of all the votes cast, provided 30 days notice has been given of the proposed amendment.
