Pinehurst Resort reunion
It was a reunion at the BASF party when Seth ran into Brian Thompson of BASF and Kevin Robinson, CGCS, and Steve Wilson, both at Pinehurst Resort. With two U.S. Opens being played there this year, expect more of these three in the magazine later this year.

Cover model
We had a cover model visit our GIS booth! Jim Rattigan, 2014 Herb Graffis Businessperson of the Year winner, helped unveil last month’s cover. Jimmy told us he always dreamed of being on the cover of Golf Digest, but making Golfdom’s cover wasn’t half bad.

Mystery Inc.
The 2014 John Deere GIS party took place at Universal Studios, where attendees saw some familiar faces in Shaggy, Scooby-Doo and Daphne. Did someone just shout, “Those meddling kids!”???

The champ is here
At the Florida GCSA party, we were happy to snap a pic with the 2014 GCSAA National Championship winner Deron Zendt, superintendent at Banyan GC (center). He’s joined by Rickey Craig (Shingle Creek Resort), Molly Gase (Golfdom associate editor), Joelle Harms (Golfdom digital editor) and Jason Bagwell (Gleneagles CC).

A cigar bar, of course
No surprise that to catch up with David Hay, CGCS at Indian Wells CC (seated, far right), that we’d find him at a cigar bar. Joining Hay for a celebratory post-show cigar are Arysta’s Michael Marovich, Jones and Arysta’s Tony Atchison.

Epic party at Epcot
Once we got to the Jacobsen party we found plenty of friends, a live band and a free foosball table. By the time we left, there was plenty of talk of a rematch, and the demand that next time, we play best of seven.