



Dr. Bree Hayes, popular GCSAA seminar instructor, conducts a one-day seminar on Human Resource Management in Orlando. Photo by Joel Jackson.

minimum of 10 continuing education credits in a five-year period since their last certification. Seven of the ten units must be tested programs and the attendees must pass written exams at the end of the seminar. The remaining three units can be from attendance of other local education which have been approved in advance for professional develop-

ment (PDU) credit by the GCSAA.

GEOFF COGGAN, CGCS Education Chairman

FGCSA GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Central Florida Chapter Sweeps State Golf Titles

The Central Florida Chapter swept the 1999 FGCSA Golf Championship

by taking all the top spots in the individual and team events this year at the Southern Dunes GC in Haines City Oct. 4.

Ten teams from eight

chapters participated, making this the largest turnout so far for the four-year-old event. Teams consist of five players with the four lowest scores being counted.



Central Florida superintendents dominated the 1999 FGCSA Golf Championship. From left, Chris Cartin took low medalist honors and led Kevin Rotti, Joel Brownsberger, Jim Lawrence, and Hal Richburg(not pictured) to Team Low Gross victory. Photo by Joel Jackson.



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Chris Cartin from Deltona Hills GC shot a 74 over the rolling, windswept course for the low round of the day and earned a spot on the Florida No. 1 team competing in the GCSAA Golf Championships to be held in Mobile, Ala. in February 2000. Cartin joins Mark Hopkins, Poinciana GC, winner of the Poa Annua Classic and Hal Richburg, CGCS, Heathrow CC, winner of the Crowfoot Open. The fourth spot, determined by the superintendent with the low average in two out of three of the above events, was claimed by Joe Ondo, CGCS, Winter Pines GC.

The Central Florida Team No. 1 of Joel Brownsberger, Chris Cartin, Jim Lawrence



1999 Blue Pearl Committee heads up event at The Medalist Club that earned \$17,200 for turf and environmental programs for Martin County schools. From left, Steve Keller, Bo Estey, Barbara Tierney, Bobby Ellis, Greg Pheneger, Roy McDonald, Bill Lanthier and Craig Weyandt. Photo by Joel Jackson.

and Hal Richburg and Kevin Rotti took won the low gross division by three shots over Central Florida Team No. 2 made up of Buck Buckner, Joe Ondo, Chad Sartain and Barry Shuman. By virtue of their strong second-place

finish, Central Florida Team No. 2 captured the Low Net honors.

The FGCSA Golf Committee would like to thank host superintendent Bayne Caillavet and Southern Dunes head golf professional

Eddie Frye for helping make this another great event.

JOE ONDO, CGCS
FGCSA Golf Chairman

TREASURE COAST GCSA

Blue Pearl Dodges Floyd, Beats Harvey to the Punch

Postponed by Hurricane Floyd and just beating Tropical Storm Harvey to the punch, the 1999 Treasure Coast Blue Pearl Tournament managed to fulfill its mission on Oct. 4 at Greg Norman's Medalist Club in Hobe Sound.

Begun as a fund raiser for the Audubon Sanctuary Program for local schools, the success of the event has expanded the beneficiaries to include a new turf program

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