

The 2001-02 FGCSA Officers elected at the August Annual Meeting from left: Greg Pheneger, secretary/treasurer; David Court, CGCS, vice president; Geoff Coggan, CGCS, MG; and Cary Lewis, CGCS, who is taking it easy already! Photo by Joel Jackson.



FGCSA Board of Directors for 2001-02 from left: Front row: Dale Walters, CGCS, Everglades; John Lammrish, Central Florida; Joe Pantaleo, South Florida; Back row: Andy Maguire, President North Florida; Mark Henderson, Palm Beach; John VanVranken, Suncoast; Roger Taylor, Calusa. Not pictured: Doug Abbuhl, Coastal Plains; Greg Tharp, North Florida; Steve Ciardullo, Ridge; Buddy Keene, Seven Rivers; Eric Joy, West Coast. Photo by Joel Jackson.

the many tournament sponsors, the Palm Beach County Chapter was able to raise \$21,000 for turfgrass research. A few weeks later at a Palm Beach GCSA chapter meeting Dr. John Cisar was presented with an \$8,000 check for his continuing research project on ultradwarf bermudagrass management.

Steve Pearson

CENTRAL FLORIDA CROWFOOT OPEN

Silver Anniversary for Kamphaus Crowfoot Open

The Central Florida GCSA celebrated the 25th anniversary of the Larry Kamphaus Crowfoot Open Aug. 4-5 at the Grand Cypress Resort in Orlando. From its humble beginnings in 1976 as strictly a fund-raising golf tournament to its present business, golf and social format, the Kamphaus Crowfoot Open has taken its place among the must-attend events of the year.

This year's event was kicked off by the summer meeting of the Florida GCSA board of directors and the election of officers at the



Deltona Hills C.C. superintendent Chris Cartin shot a 1under-par 71 to claim the Crowfoot Open medalist trophy. Photo by Joel Jackson.

ensuing annual meeting.

Darren Davis welcomed Cary Lewis, CGCS to the ranks of past presidents as Lewis passed the gavel to new FGCSA President Geoff Coggan, CGCS, MG. Joining Coggan on the 2001-02 Executive Council will be Vice President David Court, CGCS and Secretary/Treasurer Greg Pheneger.

Saturday was devoted to rest, relaxation, theme park attendance with families and practice rounds for those wishing to tune up for the golf tournament on Sunday. On Saturday night, the poolside buffet

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Tim Orton, left, of Pursell Technologies, Inc. and Vilma Kamphaus present a framed David Pursell drawing of Larry Kamphaus to Jack Harrell, Sr. of Harrell's Inc. Harrell was named the 2001 Larry Kamphaus Award winner at the 25th Larry Kamphaus Crowfoot Open reception Aug. 4. Photo by Joel Jackson.

reception was moved indoors to dodge persistent thunderstorms and mosquitoes.

During the reception, the Crowfoot committee honored Jack Harrell, Sr. of Harrell's Inc. as the 2001 Larry Kamphaus Award Winner. The four-year-old award commemorates former Crowfoot Open Chairman Larry Kamphaus who served 13 years in that capacity and was at Walt Disney World for 27 years until he died in 1997.

The award alternates between superintendent and commercial

members of the golf course indus-

This year's golf tournament was played on the North, South and East nines of the Grand Cypress Club with 154 players teeing it up for chapter team and individual honors. Chris Cartin of Deltona Hills CC shot a 71 to capture medalist honors and a spot on the FGCSA team playing for the GCSAA Golf Championship next February. The home boys defended their Crowfoot Open team title and kept the trophy in Central Florida.



The Central Florida Chapter retained its hold on the Crowfoot Open Chapter Team trophy. From left: John Lammrish, Dick Schlamel and Joe Ballant. Not pictured: P. J. Ronyecz. Photo by Joel Jackson.

Team members were Joe Ballant, John Lammrish, Dick Schlamel and P. J. Ronyecz. Superintendent low net winner was Chuck Rogers and Commercial Division winners were John Swaner, low gross and Bill Lloyd, low net.

Special thanks to Lisa McDowell, Jan and Bob Lloyd for their hard work in helping the Crowfoot Committee (Tom Alex, chairman; Dwight Kummer; Stu Leventhal; Joe Ondo and Joel Jackson) organize and put on such a successful event this year.

Joe Ondo and Joel Jackson

CGCS CLASS OF 2001

David Datema, CGCS, Highlands Reserve, Davenport Keith Einwag, CGCS, Westin Innisbrook Resort Billy Huskins, CGCS, Fiddlesticks CC, Ft. Myers Scott Jamros, CGCS, Hawk's Landing Orlando World Marriott Don Johnson, CGCS, Garra de Leon GC, Costa Rica James Schleutker, CGCS, Vero Beach Country Club Alan Steinchen, CGCS, Falcon's

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