

FGCSA Past President Bill Kistler and Association Manager Jennifer Bryan at the FTGA Trade Show with the new Industry Partner brochures and posters. Photo by Joel Jackson.



Service Award winner. Davis is also currently a nominee for the GCSAA Board of Directors. Congratulations to Darren on his Wreath of Grass Award and best wishes for a successful campaign for a seat on the GCSAA Board.

While at the FTGA Conference, FGCSA Association Manager Jennifer Bryan and Executive Director Joel Jackson spent time thanking our current FGCSA Industry Partners for their support and also handing out information to prospective new advertisers and partners. The next big FGCSA event will be the annual FGCSA Reception at the Golf Industry Show March 1 in Las Vegas. The reception will be held at the Jet Lounge at the Mirage Hotel. Keep checking our FGCSA website: www.floridagcsa.com for registration and RSVP details.



The Suncoast GCSA was victorious in the Ryder Cup-style match with their West Coast GCSA hosts at their 2nd annual joint chapter meeting in September. Photo by Joel Jackson.

The West Coast GCSA had back-to-back events in September and October with the joint Suncoast/West Coast meeting at Kevin Sunderman's Isla del Sol GC in St. Petersburg and the 48th Annual Bud Quandt Research and Benefit Tournament at Mike Strube's Feather Sound GC in Clearwater. The West Coast GCSA played host to the Suncoasters by allowing them to win the joint meeting match-play golf event and trophy. Everybody was a winner at the Bud Quandt Tournament in October with food, fellowship and support for turf research and local charities.

2012 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JANUARY

- 11 FTGA, Tampa
- 11Suncoast Vendor Appreciation Day, Plantation GC
- 12 FTGA, Ft. Myers
- 17 FTGA, Ocala
- 18SRGCSA Meeting, Continental GC
- 18SFGCSA Meeting, Crandon Park GC
- 25-28PGA Merchandise Show, Orlando
- 28 UF Turf Club Golf Tournament, Gainesville

FEBRUARY

- 7 FTGA, Orlando
- 8 FTGA, Lake Worth
- 8 SRGCSA Meeting, Williston Highlands GC
- 9 FTGA, Plantation
- 14 Florida Golf Day
- 21 FTGA, Milton
- 23 FTGA, Jacksonville
- 24-25 GCSAA Golf, Palm Springs
- 27-Mar 3 GCSAA GIS, Las Vegas

MARCH

- 1FGCSA Reception, Mirage, Las Vegas
- 20 ...EGCSA Education & Dinner Meeting, Pelican Bay
- 22SFGCSA Turf Expo, Ft. Lauderdale IFAS REC
- 22 .. Golf BMP Training & Exam Session, UF/IFAS, Citra
- 29Suncoast Scramble, TBA

APRIL

- 5 EGCSA Spring Symposium, Naples
- 16 SRGCSA Envirotron Classic, World Woods