

23rd Annual Ponce de Leon Invitational Ponte Vedra Inn & Club ~ TPC Sawgrass (Stadium)

THE 169ERS

JOHN McALLISTER (3.1) (CAPT.)
BOBBY PROUTT (4.8)
MUSCIE GARNETT (6.8)
WESTRAY BATTLE (11.9)

3RD AND 23

PATTY McMANAMY (5.2)
NED JOHNSON (6.4) (CAPT.)
MICHAEL AIDE (10.3)
BILL WAINSCOTT (18.0)

SAVOY SPECIALS

DYKE JONES (6.5)
TERRY TOBIN (7.1) (CAPT.)
NEIL THOMSON (7.6)
HENRY OAKEY (11.2)

HAMPDEN-HOOS

JOHN KLIM (6.7) (CAPT.)
JEREMY BIRD (8.6)
MICHAEL PALMORE (8.9)
JAMES RANKIN (10.5)

PRACTICE ROUND

Timuquana Country Club

Wednesday September 17, 2025

Tee Times: 1:00pm onward

TCC is a 1923 Donald Ross gem. Many thanks to member Wes Battle for sponsoring our play. No real format. Play with anybody. It is the only round where mulligans and practice shots are permitted.

*****ALL HANDICAPPING / MARKING OF SCORECARDS IS TO
ADJUST THE 3 HIGHER INDEXES / GOLFER FROM LOWEST
ADJUSTED INDEX/GOLFER IN THAT PARTICULAR MATCH**

FIRST ROUND

Ponte Vedra Inn & Club – OCEAN COURSE

Thursday September 18, 2025

Tee Times: 8:30AM – 9:00AM

FOUR BALL: MATCH PLAY. Play your own ball (HOLE BY HOLE). Concessions are allowed by the opponents. It will be 2 vs. 2. Handicaps will of course be used. Use your course handicap as indicated on the card. **The lowest net score per hole = that 2-some's team score.**

Order of Play:

1ST GROUP (8:30 A.M.) McALLISTER & GARNETT VS. KLIM & PALMORE

2ND GROUP (8:40AM) McMANAMY & AIDE VS. JONES & THOMSON

3RD GROUP (8:50AM) JOHNSON & WAINSCOTT VS. BIRD & RANKIN

4TH GROUP (9:00AM) PROUTT & BATTLE VS. TOBIN & OAKEY

Point Value:

The winning 2-some of each match gets 2 POINTS for his overall 4-man team.

The losing 2-some gets ZERO POINTS for his overall 4-man team.

A tie after 18 holes halves the match, so each 2-man team would receive ONE POINT for his overall 4-man team. There is no such thing as extra holes in this round.

SECOND ROUND

Ponte Vedra Inn & Club – LAGOON COURSE

Thursday September 18, 2025

Tee Times: 2:30pm-3:00pm

4 MAN CAPTAINS CHOICE/SCRAMBLE. Play with your entire team...Camaraderie is critical here! There is a minimum of 2 DRIVES from each player that has to be used.

You are not permitted to borrow a teammate's club. No Handicaps!

Order of Play:

1ST GROUP: HAMPDEN-HOOS

2ND GROUP: THE 169ERS

3RD GROUP: SAVOY SPECIALS

4TH GROUP: 3RD AND 23

Point Value:

1st Place: 3 POINTS

2nd Place: 2 POINTS

3rd Place: 1 POINT

4th Place: ZERO POINTS

THIRD ROUND

TPC Sawgrass (Stadium Course)

Friday September 19, 2025

Tee Times: 12:00pm-12:30pm

FOUR BALL: MATCH PLAY. Play your own ball (HOLE BY HOLE). Concessions are allowed by the opponents. It will be 2 vs. 2. Handicaps will of course be used. Use your course handicap as indicated on the card. **The lowest net score per hole = that 2-some's team score.**

Order of Play:

1ST GROUP (12:00PM) McALLISTER & PROUTT vs. McMANAMY & JOHNSON

2ND GROUP (12:10PM) JONES & TOBIN vs. KLIM & BIRD

3RD GROUP (12:20PM) THOMSON & OAKEY vs. GARNETT & BATTLE

4TH GROUP (12:30PM) AIDE & WAINSCOTT vs. PALMORE & RANKIN

Point Value:

The winning 2-some of each match gets 2 POINTS for his overall 4-man team.

The losing 2-some gets ZERO POINTS for his overall 4-man team.

A tie after 18 holes halves the match, so each 2-man team would receive ONE POINT for his overall 4-man team. There is no such thing as extra holes in this round.

FOURTH ROUND

Ponte Vedra Inn & Club – OCEAN COURSE

Saturday September 20, 2025

Tee Times: 10:00am-10:30am

FINAL ROUND SINGLES. MATCH PLAY – WITH HANDICAPS. This is the tradition. This is what it is all about. The match-ups will not be determined until Friday night at the Session. Points are more heavily awarded. This is the most important round of the tournament.

Order of Play:

The easiest way to picture this is 4 tee-times of four 4-somes, similar to the other rounds, except, visualize a blanks for the names....An "A" player need not be matched up with another "A" player...that is the beauty of handicaps.

1st Place team's Captain after Friday Round submits his Order of Play to the 3 other Captains immediately following the round. Each of the 4 players of this leading team will be playing in a different 4-some. The only strategy for this Captain is who he wants starting off, and who he wants anchoring. This leading team is most disadvantaged by this order. Not only are each of his players "on an island" (i.e. guaranteed to have no teammates in his 4-some), but this leading team has ZERO SAY over who they will be placed up against.

Next, the 2nd Place team's Captain submits his 4 players, with the stipulation that he has to put each player at a different tee time (different 4-somes--each of his guys are also "on an island.") **RULE: This 2nd Place Captain has some control though, as he can opt to pit none, one or two of his players against the 1st place opponents.** (He cannot place more than 2 of his players against the leaders, so as not to inhibit 3rd and 4th from having a mathematical chance of winning). Obviously, if he does not want to have one of his players face a 1st Place player, he will have the mystery of not knowing who exactly his guy will be playing (one of the 8 remaining players from the 3rd and 4th Place teams).

Next, the 4th Place team's Captain fills in his 4 players. It is OK (and maybe necessary) for more than one of his players to be in the same 4-some (obviously different cart). He gets the advantage over the 3rd Place guy b/c he doesn't get the feel that he is stuck with certain opponents. At the same time, he could put a guy in a blank 2-some and this will give the 3rd Place Captain a chance to have some control over a match-up.

Finally, the 3rd Place team's Captain fills in the final 4 spots with his 4 players.

1st GROUP (10:00am): MATCH I _____ VS. _____

MATCH II _____ VS. _____

2nd GROUP (10:10am): MATCH III _____ VS. _____

MATCH IV _____ VS. _____

3rd GROUP (10:20am): MATCH V _____ VS. _____

MATCH VI _____ VS. _____

4TH GROUP (10:30am): MATCH VII _____ VS. _____

MATCH VIII _____ VS. _____

Point Value:

The winning singles player gets 2 POINTS for his overall team. The losing singles player gets ZERO POINTS for his overall team.

A halved match results in 1 POINT each for their respective overall teams.

****Note: A team sweep of all 4 of their individual matches gives that team 8 POINTS which could obviously be a huge swing. This value should keep a lot of teams, if not all, still in it going into Saturday Singles.**