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The Official Newsletter of Bartram Trail Golf Club for January / February 2011
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...From the Head Pro / GM's Desk

January / February 2011



All the Best to Lee and Maria, and welcome Jordan Johnstun

Dear Bartram Trail Golf Club Members and Guests,

It has been long winter and I'm looking forward to some warm spring weather just like I know all members and non-members of Bartram Trail are as well.

This past month a valued member of our staff, and also a very good friend of mine, our former Assistant Pro Lee Henry decided to take a new career path. Lee has moved to Atlanta and taken a job in Industrial Sales. Let me be the first to say that Lee, and his wonderful wife Maria, will be tremendously missed at Bartram Trail Golf Club. Please join me in wishing him a very successful career.

I have already replaced Lee, which many of you probably know already, with a fine young man by the name of Jordan Johnstun. I have all the confidence that Jordan will do a great job for Bartram Trail members and non-members of the club. Jordan is an a very talent golfer and can bring great knowledge to active and beginning golfers of all ages. If you have not yet met Jordan please welcome him to your club.

Hope to see you all soon at Bartram Trail where golf is seriously fun.

Good Golfing,

Robby

Robby Watson
Bartram Trail Golf Club
General Manager/Head Golf Professional



ROBBY WATSON

Meet Jordan Johnstun Our New Assistant Golf Pro

Please welcome Jordan Johnstun, our new Assistant Golf Pro to Bartram Trail,. Jordan started on Monday January 24, 2011.

He was born in Waukesha, Wisconsin but calls Evans GA his home, living here for the past six years. His parents are Rayne and Jenni Johnstun. Jordan has two sisters Brix and Micah, who live in Bartram Trail.



**Jordan Johnstun
New Assistant Pro**

Jordan graduated from LaGrange High School in 2005. He was a two-time Regional Champion and finished third in the State Championship as a Junior. Jordan then went on to play college golf at Georgia Southern, graduating in 2009 with a Bachelors degree in Finance. He had received scholarship offers to play golf at Auburn and Central Florida, before selecting GA Southern, where he was a 4-year letter winner in golf.

Jordan was a 3-time Augusta City Amateur Champion for 2006, 2007 and 2008 , setting the all time scoring record for three rounds of **14 under** { 67,67 & 68 } and the first time any player had all three rounds of under 70. He competed in two United States Amateur Championships and one United States Public Links Championship. In 2010 he played in various Professional Mini Tours including a stop at the PGA's Tour Qualifying School.

Jordan who plays golf left-handed has shot 62 three different times at Bartram Trail and once shot an 84 playing right handed. He has three hole-in-ones at other courses. He also is active in our Bartram Trail Men's Golf Association, playing regularly in our Dog Fights and sponsored events.

Jordan plans on taking the PAT to become a PGA Apprentice and will compete in the GA PGA sanctioned events this year representing Bartram Trail Golf Club.

Bartram Trail Golf Club Coupon

**18 Holes of Golf - Includes Cart
Only \$31**

Monday through Thursday

Good through February 28, 2011



ROBBY WATSON



JORDAN JOHNSTUN

TIPS FROM THE PROS

“15 MINUTES ON THE PUTTING GREEN”

WE HAVE ALL HEARD THE TERM “DRIVE FOR SHOW AND PUTT FOR DOUGH”. THE BEST WAY TO SHAVE OFF STROKES FROM YOUR SCORE IS TO IMPROVE YOUR DISTANCE CONTROL ON THE PUTTING GREEN. BUT UNFORTUNATELY WHEN PEOPLE PRACTICE THEY SPEND 85% OF THEIR TIME ON THE RANGE AND ONLY 15% AROUND THE GREEN.

IF YOU WANT TO BE A MORE CONSISTENT LAG PUTTER TRY AND FIND 15 MINUTES ON THE PUTTING GREEN BEFORE YOU TEE OFF DOING THESE THREE DRILLS AT FIVE MINUTES PER DRILL:

- 1. FROM 20 FEET, LOOK AT THE HOLE NOT THE BALL WHILE STRIKING THE PUTT. THIS WILL GIVE YOU A SENSE OF BEING AWARE OF YOUR DISTANCE AND DIRECTION.**
- 2. USE ONE HAND, LEFT OR RIGHT, TO HIT THE PUTT. DOING THIS WILL IMPROVE YOUR TOUCH AND GIVE YOU A NATURAL PENDULUM STROKE.**
- 3. USE BOTH HANDS TO HIT THE PUTT NEVER LOOKING UP AT THE HOLE. AFTER YOU HAVE HIT THE PUTT GUESS WHERE YOU THINK THE BALL HAS COMPLETED ITS ROLL.**

COMPLETING THESE DRILLS BEFORE EVERY ROUND WILL HELP IMPROVE YOUR LAG PUTTING AND LEAD TO STRESS FREE TAP IN PUTTS.

CALL BARTRAM TRAIL PRO SHOP AT 706-210-4681

TO SCHEDULE A PRIVATE LESSON

FROM ROBBY WATSON OR JORDAN JOHNSTUN

OUR PGA PROFESSIONALS

-Superintendent's Corner... From Jeff Lloyd

"...We'll be continuing the cleanup from the loggers..."



Jeff Lloyd

What's Happening on the course in February...

We'll be spraying Roundup and a Pre-emerge this month if the golf course ever dries out from the tremendous amount of rain we've received over this past week! Roundup is for the Poa that has been popping up in places and the Pre-emerge is for spring and summer weeds. Also we will be hopefully finishing up the cleanup from the loggers and cutting the dead pine trees from around the course.

What you should be doing at home in February...

This is the time to cut back any ornamental grasses and crape myrtles you have. See the next page of the newsletter for instructions on how to properly do this. You can also spray Roundup for any weeds up until the third week of February. It will probably be a little early for you to spray Pre-emerge on your lawns but that time is coming, be just a bit more patient. If you have any questions at all call me at the Golf Course and I'll get back with you as quickly as possible.

*Have a great time golfing at Bartram Trail,
Jeff*

Bartram Trail Golf Club is Great!

For Your Group Outings, Corporate Events or Fund Raisers

Bartram Trail Golf Club is a great course to host your special event and Robby and his staff do a wonderful job with all of our group outings throughout the year. We can host a variety of size group outings and events year round.

If you are interested in hosting a Golf Outing at Bartram Trail Golf Club, contact Robby Watson, our General Manager / Head Pro to discuss the details and schedule your event.

Call Robby at 706-210-4681



Bartram Trail Golf Course – 2011 Calendar of Events

Saturday, March 5	BTMGA	BUBBA Tournament – Singles
Wednesday, March 16	BTSMGA	BUBBA Tournament – Singles – 55 +
Saturday, May 7	BTMGA	BS {Best Shot} Four Man Tournament
Sunday, May 14	BTMGA	MS Benefit “Walkin’ & Golfin’ for Cathy”
May 2011	BTGC	CSRA Media Challenge
Sunday, June 19	BTGC	CSRA Parent Child Championships
Saturday, July 16	BTMGA	Annual 6-6-6 Two Man Tournament
Wednesday & Thursday July 20 & 21	BTGC	5th Annual Columbia County Junior Golf Championships
Wednesday, August 3	BTSMGA	6-6-6 Two Man Tournament – 55+
Saturday, September 10	BTMGA	Annual BB&W Two Man Tournament
Wednesday, October 5	BTSMGA	BW&G Two Man Tournament – 55+
Saturday & Sunday October 29 & 30	BTGC	6th Annual Club Championships
Saturday, December 3	BTGC	5th Annual Ryder Club Team Event

Summer of 2011 – BTJGA

Wednesday Dogfights 1:00 PM June 1, 8,15,22,29 July 6,13,20,27 August 3

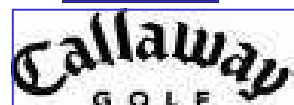
Summer Junior Instructional Clinics to be scheduled.

BARTRAM TRAIL GOLF CLUB PRO SHOP

FEBRUARY

MEMBERS SPECIAL

**BUY 3 MIZUNO "GRIPFLEX" GLOVES FOR JUST \$25
THEY ARE \$10 INDIVIDUALLY**



*What happens to you when you are
hungry after playing golf?*



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great food with great TEA.**

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3852 Washington Rd, Martinez, GA
(706) 860-8756

Bartram Trail Golf Club Hole-In-One Club Grows

2010 - Bartram Trail Hole-In-Ones

Date	Player	Hole #
January 29	Jim Walsh	14
March 19	Charles Doolittle	4
March 25	Monty Carpenter	4
April 8	Tom Raley	4
May 14	John Sullivan	14
May 23	Bill Lesshaft	16
June 4	John Carney	12
June 25	B.J. Wortman	4
July 20	Joe Dowling	16
October 3	Todd Peters	12
November 2	Paul Timmons	8
November 11	Brian Ozden	4
November 12	Rod Luce	17 Par 4
December 31	Ted Strong	12



Bartram Trail Golf Club



January February Birthday

Robert Snyder	January 4	Charles Kirby	February 2
Hal McDaniel	January 5	Don Head, Sr.	February 3
Ralph Barclay	January 5	Rayne Johnstun	February 4
Jim Brendel	January 5	Tim Coody	February 6
Makenzie Polston	January 5	Rob Zeyfang	February 7
Tom Shepherd	January 8	Mike McCorkle	February 7
Richard Hill	January 11	Tom Raley	February 12
Lee Harwell	January 13	Carl Pilcher	February 13
Jerry Strokes	January 14	Fred Patterson	February 14
Thomas Wooten	January 17	Rusty Wade	February 14
Richard Aglio	January 17	Leith Benedict	February 15
Peter Elliott	January 19	BJ Wortman	February 15
Grayson Brown	January 20	Floyd Husk	February 19
Chip Fulmer	January 21	Michael Steflick	February 19
Richard Miller	January 25	Lenny Nobles	February 20
Andy Kingery	January 31	Dane Moore	February 23
		Don Thornhill	February 24
Carbon Stewart	February 27	Brian Demott	February 27

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 PRESERVING A LIFESTYLE



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New Homes Starting at
\$249,900
Community Pool



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Nita Boeglen Kelly Gates Davis



For information on all of our lots and new homes
 visit our website at www.bartramtrail.com
 Sales Office Open Daily 1pm-5pm





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**Please Renew Your
GSGA Membership
&
GHIN Handicap
by February 10, 2011**

Annual Membership - \$35.00

NOTE: Fees paid after February 10, 2011 will have an additional \$15.00 Re-Activation Fee.

Thank you for your support and participation at Bartram Trail Golf Club.

Bartram Trail Men's Golf Association – BTMGA

Join Today

Kenny Hood, President

Starting our Sixth Season, we would like to invite any Junior or Men members to join us in participating in our golf events and activities throughout the year at Bartram Trail. Membership is \$30.00 per year for adults and free for Junior Golfers.

BTMGA Activities:

Weekly Dogfights – Friday at Noon & Saturday Mornings at 9:00am

Tournaments each quarter

BUBBA Tournament – March 5, 2011

BS (Best Shot) Tournament - \$-man – May 7

Multiple Sclerosis “Walkin’ and Golfin’ for Cathy” – Sunday May 14, 2011

2 Person Team 6-6-6 (best ball, alternate shot & scramble each 6 holes) - July 16

2 Person Team – Black- Blue & White Event – Play 6 tee shots from each tee box –

Inter-Club matches

Golf Trips

Socials

Projects to support Bartram Trail Golf Club and the Junior Golf programs

Volunteer help and support for tournaments hosted by Bartram Trail G. C. during the year.

For additional information on the BTMGA please contact either:

Kenny Hood – President

khgolfing@bellsouth.net

Bob Prange – Vice President

bprange01@yahoo.com

Dane Moore – Secretary

Jordan Johnstun – Treasurer

Brian Ozden – Handicap Chair

Scott Skadan – Publicity Chair

John Bock – Scoring Chair

John Carney – Tournament Chair

Leith Benedict – Tournament Co-Chair

The Bartram Trail Golf Club Men's Golf Association encourages and promotes great golf, great sportsmanship and great fellowship. Join us for our Saturday Morning Dawgfight, it will give you an opportunity to play with a tremendous group of guys.

Bartram Trail Men's Golf Association – BTMGA
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Congratulations to Leith Benedict on his Hole-In-One worth over \$3,300

Congratulations to Leith Benedict on his Hole-In-One on hole #12 on Saturday, January 29th. Leith used a 6-iron on the 175 yard hole. It was a beautiful shot that had a nice draw to it, starting over the right side of the green with a sweet ending. Leith originally thought it had gone over the green, however playing partners John Bock, Scott Skadan and Brian Ozden checked the cup and sure enough, the ball was resting at the very bottom!

Needless to say there was loud shouting and whooping on the green that could probably be heard back at the clubhouse. The Bartram Trail Men's Golf Association Saturday Dawgfight Hole-In-One Pot stood at \$3,251 as of Thursday night, with players paying their weekly \$1.00 each on Saturday and some paying the "vesting fee" of \$40 prior to the round, pushing the total to over \$3,300.

The Hole-In-One pot had not been won since Patrick Gantt last won it back in 2008.

Leith was more than happy to cover the "Beverage Bill" at the end of the round. Leith is a Colonel in the United State Army based at Fort Gordon, Georgia. He will be retiring in June and moving to Tennessee with his family.

Congratulations Leith...we won't mention what your score was on the front nine, but it doesn't even matter any more does it? Glad I could be a part of your great day...it was awesome!

Bartram Trail Men's Golf Association – BTMGA

In other BTMGA News, the Board of Directors convened for the first time with Kenny Hood presiding over his first meeting as President...or as he prefers, El Prez I Dent a... Joining Hood on the Board of Directors is Bob Prange, Dane Moore, John Carney, Leith Benedict, John Bock, Scott Skadan and Brian Ozden, along with Jordan Johnstun representing Bartram Trail Golf Club. The board discussed the Hole-In-One Pot, the 2011 Tournament Schedule, recommending a review of the BTMGA By-Laws, possible sites for a BTMGA golf trip to Sea Palms at St. Simons Island, rules for the Saturday Dawgfight which resulted in a decision to roll the ball one club length anywhere but the hazards and putts inside the leather are good. This was done to speed up play. We are also exploring purchasing a "Closest To The Pin measuring device to be used for BTMGA play and tournaments.

BTMGA

Bartram Trail Men's Golf Association

Presents

2011 "BUBBA" Tournament

BTMGA will be hosting a "BUBBA" Tournament on Saturday March 5, 2011 to kick off March Madness! 9:00 AM Shot Gun Start

Signup Deadline – Thursday March 3, 2011

One Player - Two Ball Event. **Lunch Provided by the BTMGA**

No Excuses for not playing well with "BUBBA" on your team

Entry fee is \$30.00 – Includes Skins+ Cart fees paid to the club.

Signup sheets are posted at the Bartram Trail Golf Club Pro Shop

Prizes will paid to the following:

Low Gross = 3 places

Low Net = 3 places

Total Strokes = 2 places

Total ALL shots taken for each hole.

Closest to the Pin on ALL five of the Par 3's

Skins

****No Duplicate Winners**** for Low Gross & Low Net - Low Gross winners will be determined first, then Low Net winners.

We will play in Threesomes {random draw for playing partners to mix it up} to speed up play with a shot gun start.
Field will be limited to 32 if needed.

Any questions contact: John Carney - 706-840-4029 johncymca@aol.com

Bartram Trail Golf Club - 2010 Ryder Cup – Results – 54 Players

WHITE TEAM	BestBall	Scramble	Singles	BLUE TEAM	BestBall	Scramble	Singles	RED TEAM	BestBall	Scramble	Singles
Robby Watson	0	0	1	Lee Henry	1	1	0	Jordan Johnstun	2	2	2
Russell Madox			0.5	Jim Coryell			2	Kenny Hood			0.5
Zack Tully	0	1	0	Chip Allen	1.5	1	1	Tyler Barker	1.5	1	2
Trey Birdsong			1.5	Cole Madison			1.5	Jack Rautenstrauch			0
Mark Prater	2	1	1	Reynold Borseth	1	1.5	0	Earl Madison	0	0.5	2
Phil Rehbein			1	Ted Oh			1	Lenny Nobles			1
John Carney	0	2	1.5	Leith Benedict	1	0.5	0	John Bock	2	0.5	1.5
Taylor Martino			0	Mike Lewis			1	Pete Hamilton			2
Duck Herron	2	2	2	Nick Nichols	0.5	1	1	Phil Baldwin	0.5	0	0
Brian Teats			1	Brian Ozden			2	Heinz Roth			0
Jim Brendel	0	2	2	Peter Elliott	2	0	0	John Alley	2	0	1
Don Freed			0	Scott Skadan			1	Dane Moore			2
Noel Truan	2	1	1	Bill Lesshaft	0	0	0	Carter Loftis	1	2	2
Corey Freed			2	Zack Atkinson			0	Joe Parker			1
Carbon Stewart	1	0	1	Bob Bearden	2	2	2	Art Viebrock	0	1	0
Jay Van Tassel			1	Fred Anello			2	Mike Dixon			0
Steve Pokrywka	2	0	1	Darrin King	1	2	1.5	Bryan Evans	0	1	0.5
Bob Wolfe			2	Brant Beasley			1	John Moore			0
MATCH TOTALS	9	9	19.5		10	9	17.0		9	8	17.5
TOTAL TEAM POINTS		37.5				36.0				34.5	
		1st				2nd				3rd	

Help us promote “FASTER PLAY” at Bartram Trail

As we begin the new year participation levels will increase on the golf course, we are asking our members and players to help us promote faster play.

- Arrive at least 15 minutes prior to your scheduled tee time and be ready to play.
- Have your paid receipt in hand for the starter on hole # 1.
- Play “Ready” golf. Players should be ready to play as soon as it is their turn to play.
- Leave your bags or carts in such a position that enables quick movement to the next shot and off the green and to the next hole.
- Lost Ball, spend no more than 5 minutes looking for a lost ball.
- To save time, play a provisional ball if hit out of bounds or lost outside a water hazard.
- Stay up with the group in front of you.
- If your group is playing slow and there are open holes in front of you, please let faster players play through your group to promote faster play.
- Please do not start on Hole #10 without the permission of the Pro Shop or Starter.

Thank you for your help and cooperation.

Bartram Trail Golf Club

December & January - Monthly Player Achievement & Recognition

Each month we would like to recognize the golfers at Bartram Trail Golf Club, for their golfing accomplishments on the links each month. We have posted within the club house and at the Pro Shop a short recognition form you can complete and turn into the Pro Shop Staff.

Examples of Accomplishments Can Be:

Hole-in-ones

Double Eagles

Eagles

Shooting Par or below

Shooting your age or better

Winning or placing in golf events / tournaments

December & January Player Recognition:

“SCORE BOARD”

Hole-in-One:

Ted Strong	12-31-10	Hole # 12	White Tees
Tim Fair	1-24-11	Hole # 4	Blue Tees
Leith Benedict	1-29-11	Hole # 12	Blue Tees
Jeff Daniel	1-30-11	Hole # 14	Blue Tees

Eagles:

Ted Oh	12-1-10	Hole # 17
David Sumpter	12-16-10	Hole # 18
Charles Doolittle	12-17-10	Hole # 3
Jim Herrmann	12-24-10	Hole # 13
Rod Luce	12-24-10	Hole # 13
Duck Herron	12-28-10	Hole # 17
John Carney	12-29-10	Hole # 13
Gary Dawkins	12-29-10	Hole # 11
C.J. Liner	1-14-11	Hole # 13
Charles Doolittle	1-18-11	Hole # 11 & Hole # 17
C.J. Liner	1-29-11	Hole # 18

Shooting Your Age or Better:

Ed Brown	12-10-10	Age 71	Score = 70
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Shooting Par or Better:

Jim Coryell	12-23-10	67
Charles Doolittle	12-28-10	71
Larry Nichols	12-29-10	72
Victor Briggs	12-31-10	69
Rod Luce	12-31-10	70
Ed Brown	1-14-11	72
C.J. Liner	1-15-11	70
Ed Brown	1-18-11	72
Russell Maddox	1-28-11	70

Please remember to turn in your golfing accomplishments to the Pro Shop Staff.

BTSMGA

Bartram Trail Senior Men's Golf Association

Join Today

Don Autry, President

Starting our Sixth season, we would like any man 55 & over to join the BTSMGA to participate in weekly activities during the year at Bartram Trail.

Contact Don Autry – President for Information dautry@comcast.net

Tuesday Dogfights – 9:00 AM - Individual and Team events.

Wednesday & Friday Dogfights – 9:00 AM Individual

Wednesday Special Events & Tournaments

Summer Junior / Senior Scramble & Lunch

Membership is \$15.00 per year.

This includes our annual recognition and awards banquet in November each year.

We have events and projects to support Bartram Trail Golf Club and their programs.

We volunteer and provide support for Bartram Trail special events and tournaments.



2010 BTSMGA BOARD MEMBERS

Charles Doolittle, Rusty Wade, George Hill, John Carney, Duck Herron, Don Autry

BTSMGA

Bartram Trail Senior Men's Golf Association

Presents

2011 " SENIOR BUBBA " ***Tournament***

BTSMGA will be hosting a " **SENIOR BUBBA**" Tournament on Wednesday, March 16, 2011 to kick off March Madness! 9:00 AM Shot Gun Start

Signup Deadline – Friday March 11, 2011

One Player - Two Ball Event – Seniors Age 55+

No Excuses for not playing well with "BUBBA" on your team

Entry fee is \$20.00 – Includes Skins + Cart fees paid to the club.

Signup sheets will be posted at the golf club house.

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Skins

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Bartram Trail Senior Men's Golf Association

Presents BTSMGA AWARDS LUNCHEON WINNERS



Larry Nichols
Senior "A"
Player of the Year



Rusty Wade
Senior "B"
Player of the Year



Carbon Stewart
Senior "C"
Player of the Year



Max Field
Senior "D"
Player of the Year



Ed Brown
High Number of
Points



Carl Morton
J.J. Etherington Memorial Award
Most Points
Presented by President Dan Autry



Duck Herron
Iron Man of
The Year



World War II Veterans and members of BTSMGA
Dennis Trudeau, Norm Heberer, Jim Dawkins, Jim Walsh
at Bartram Trail Senior Men's Golf Association
Awards Luncheon

BARTRAM TRAIL SENIOR MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY SENIOR MOMENTS...

By: John Carney

Friday, December 10th

We had 21 golfers today. Ed Brown had the low round with a 70. Nice job, Ed.

Here are the results:

1st Place: Ed Brown +7

2nd Place: Jim Herrmann +5

3rd Place; Carl Morton +4

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Ed Brown, Charles Doolittle (2), Jim Herrmann

Tuesday, December 28th

We had 14 golfers today. Low round of the day went to Charles Doolittle, 71, and Duck Herron had an Eagle on 17.

Here are the results:

1st Place: Charles Doolittle +6

2nd Place: Jim Brendel +2

3rd Place: Roy Ellis and Dick Miller Even

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Ed Brown and Larry Nichols

Wednesday, December 29th

We had 16 players today in cold temps. Low round today went to Larry Nichols with a 72. Gary Dawkins and John Carney each had Eagles today. Gary at 11 and John at 13.

Here are the results:

1st Place: Larry Nichols +11

2nd Place: Jimmy Story +9

3rd Place: Noel Truan +7

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Larry Nichols (2), Tommy Slay, Obie Cramer

Closest to the Pins: Noel Truan, Max Field, Gary Dawkins & Carl Morton

Friday, December 31st

Felt like spring today with temps in the 60's. We had 28 players today. Low round of the day went to Victor Briggs, 69 with 7 birdies, and Rod Luce with a 70.

Here are the results:

1st Place: Victor Briggs +20
2nd Place: Rod Luce +7
3rd Place; Don Head, Larry Langley, Carl Morton +6

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

John Vigna, JD Davis, Larry Langley, Rod Luce

Friday, January 7th

We had 21 on players on a warm sunny day. Low round today went to John Carney, 73.

Here are the results:

1st Place: John Carney +7
2nd Place: Duck Herron +4
3rd Place: BJ Wortman Even

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Jim Herrmann, Ed Brown, Larry Langley and Carl Morton

Friday, January 14th

We had eight golfers today. Ed Brown had low round today with a 72.

Here are the results:

1st Place: Ed Brown +4
2nd Place: Floyd Husk +2
3rd Place: Jim Herrmann Even

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Ed Brown and Duck Herron

Wednesday, January 19th

We had 16 golfers today. Carter Loftis is recovering from surgery and looks to be back in a few weeks. Low round today went to John Vigna with a 75.

Here are the results:

1st Place: Tom Shepherd +4
2nd Place: John Carney +3
3rd Place: Jim Brendel and John Vigna +1

Closest to the Pins: John Carney, Jim Walsh, Jim Brendel, Tommy Slay

Friday, January 21st

We had 25 golfers today! Tommy Slay was the only one to break 80 with a 77.
Here are the results:

1st Place: Bob Novak +6

2nd Place: Jimmy Story +4

3rd Place; Tommy Slay +3

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Jim Herrmann, Jim Brendel, John Vigna, Jack Totten

Wednesday, January 26th

We had 22 golfers today. Hole –In-One Pot is currently \$488.00
Here are the results:

1st Place: George Fritsche, Larry Langley and John Vigna +8

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Larry Nichols, John Vigna, Ron Prince, Tom Shepherd

Friday, January 28th

We had 34 golfers today. Low round went to John Carney with a 77.
Here are the results:

1st Place: Tom Shepherd +4

2ndPlace: John Earwood and John Carney +3

Par 3 Closest to the Pin's

Tommy Slay, Buddy Buck, Hugh Bennett, and John Earwood

Wednesday, February 2nd

We had 10 players today. Low round went to John Vigna and John Carney with 75's.
Here are the results:

1st Place: Jim Brendel and John Carney +3

3rd Place: Tom Shepherd and John Vigna +2

Closest to the Pins: John Carney and George Fritsche

Hole-In-One Pot is: \$534.00

Bartram Trail Golf Club

Hole By Hole Strategy Guide

Hole #1 Par 4	400 368 324 284	Maybe not the most intimidating tee shot distance wise, but accuracy is a key with three fairway bunkers on the right side and a pond on the left. There are two greenside bunkers; front right and back left protecting the green.
Hole #2 Par 4	371 334 297 261	Don't let the yardage fool you at 371, because an uphill fairway will not allow for much roll. A creek running before the fairway should not be in play with a well-struck tee shot. The fairway is also protected by a bunker on the left side. The fairway is a must hit, so that you can control your second shot to a green with a bunker short left, a false front, and a collection area on the right.
Hole #3 Par 5	533 512 463 380	A very demanding dogleg left par 5 that long hitters can reach in two, but with the smallest green on the golf course awaiting. A draw or a straight tee shot is required with three bunkers to punish the errant shot; one protecting the corner on the left and two on the far side of the dogleg. A layup shot should be played to the right side of the fairway, which opens up the green for your third shot to a multi-level green with a bunker protecting the left side which runs away. Your third shot should favor the right center of the green with trouble left and long.
Hole #4 Par 3	167 150 141 122	An elevated tee makes club selection difficult. Accuracy is a must with a ridge running through the middle of the green from back to front, which divides the green into two distinct levels. Two bunkers protect the right side of the green.
Hole #5 Par 4	417 394 363 331	A blind tee shot makes this hole look easier than it really is. A fairway bunker guards the right side with a severe slope running away from the fairway down the entire landing zone. This makes the left side of the fairway a must. The approach shot is slightly downhill to a narrow and deep green that is protected by a natural slope on the left.
Hole #6 Par 4	417 376 338 298	A scenic downhill par 4 whose tee is the highest elevation on the golf course. Don't let the openness of the hole fool you because the entire hole slopes from right to left with trouble down the entire left side. The tee shot is slightly downhill with a bunker protecting the right side of the fairway. The approach shot is challenging with a bunker on the left and a severe slope running away on the left and the backside.
Hole #7 Par 4	380 340 307 263	A classic risk/reward par 4 with a fairway bunker left and a pond on the right. Fairway wood may be the play, with a driver bringing the trouble into play. The approach shot is downhill to a large, but well protected, green with a bunker on the left and the pond extending around the back left of the green.
Hole #8 Par 3	188 172 150 136	A very scenic but challenging par 3 over water. The green is protected by two bunkers, one right and one in the back center. The green is flared in the back which gives it a bigger look than it really is.
Hole #9 Par 5	511 491 419 394	A slight dogleg left with a fairway divided in two by a wetland with a conservation area along the entire left side. The tee shot is slightly blind with a large native area that will swallow any quick hook. Don't be fooled by the fairway bunkers on the right; the aggressive line is down the left side. Once in the fairway you are looking down at the green complex. You will see five strategically placed bunkers guarding the green. Going for the green in two may actually provide for an easier third shot, but you must guard against going left.

Hole #10 Par 4	404 375 339 302	The tee shot is uphill and slightly blind to a landing area protected by a fairway bunker on the right side with the fairway running slightly right to left with the left rough running down and away from the hole. The green is shaped like an upside down L with a bunker on the middle left of the green. The green features three different levels with the front being the low, the middle being the high, and the back left running away.
Hole #11 Par 5	516 483 448 404	The 11th hole is the first and shortest par 5 on the backside. The tee is some 30 feet above the landing area that follows with a slight dog leg right. For the longer hitters, right center of the fairway is the aggressive line off the tee. There are 2 fairway bunkers protecting the layup area, the first on the left and the second further down on the right. There are also 2 greenside bunkers protecting the front on the green.
Hole #12 Par 3	187 170 148 119	The 12th hole is a medium to long Par 3 which plays slightly uphill. There is a lone bunker protecting the front right of the green.
Hole #13 Par 5	565 53 441 406	The 13th hole is the second par 5 on the backside and is also the longest hole on the entire golf course. The fairway slopes slightly from left to right which feeds into a pond on the right side, but remains out of reach for most off the tee. Such a long hole forces most players to lay up down the fairway which is protected with two fairway bunkers, one on each side. Once you've reached your third shot, you're forced to shoot over a stream to a green that is divided by severe slopes and protected by a bunker to the middle right.
Hole #14 Par 3	168 159 135 113	The 14th hole is the second and shortest par 3 on the backside, but requires shots to carry over a ravine which makes for an intriguing shot. The green is also guarded by two bunkers short and right.
Hole #15 Par 4	402 377 345 315	The 15th hole utilizes the natural lay of the land and flows nicely downhill with the fairway rolling slightly right to left towards two fairway bunkers. Your second shot comes into a perched green with the back half of the green running away.
Hole #16 Par 3	203 191 173 143	The 16th hole is a long downhill par 3 that plays over Euchee Creek. The green is wide but shallow and is protected by a front left bunker and a back middle perched bunker. Depending on the height of the turfgrass behind the green, shots may roll back onto the green or stay on a severely sloped bank.
Hole #17 Par 4	337 291 244 215	The 17th hole is another risk/reward hole with several alternatives plays. Long hitters can possibly drive the green with trouble lurking in the form of a big tree on the left and four strategically positioned bunkers guarding the green complex. For the shorter hitters the layup area is out to the right. Once in the fairway, your second shot is slightly uphill with a bunker protecting the front right.
Hole #18 Par 5	540 510 470 419	The final hole is a reachable par 5. The tee shot is slightly uphill with the fairway bunker on the right side. Once you have reached the top of the hill, you are left with a beautiful shot to the green with a pond lurking behind. If you've been blessed with a good tee shot, you are left with two different kinds of shots. One is to go for the green that is well protected with three bunkers short of the green and water behind, or to lay out to the right which opens up the green for your third shot. There is, however, plenty of room left of the largest green on the golf course with a left side running off into a collection area.

Bartram Trail Golf Club

Junior Golfers - Invest in Youth Campaign

Help make a difference in a Childs Life through golf, at Bartram Trail, with your generous donation and support today.

The Bartram Trail Golf Course was built in a public –private partnership as a not-for-profit 501 (c) (3) tax exempt charitable organization, established as a daily fee golf course open to the public. *Your contribution is tax deductible to the extent of the Internal Revenue Code.*

MISSION: To consistently provide the greatest possible golfing experience to all players.

Through your generous contributions you can help support Junior Golfers and their programs at Bartram Trail throughout the year and make them affordable for all youth to participate in.

Your contributions can provide:

Junior golfer membership assistance – based upon financial need.

Support the Columbia County Junior Golf Championship - Free to all youth in CC

Provide for instructional lessons and clinics

Help provide for fees, equipment and supplies for Junior Clinics.

Help sponsor leagues, tournaments and special events.

Provide equipment for Junior Golfers.

By supporting the Bartram Trail Junior golfers and programs you help youth:

Build self-esteem

Help develop life skills

Create positive relationships

Encourage positive core values

Foster social competencies

Have fun in a positive environment

Levels of Giving

<i>Champions Club</i>	<i>\$1,000 +</i>
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<i>Par Club</i>	<i>\$100 - \$249</i>
<i>Friends of Youth</i>	<i>\$1 - \$99</i>

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Cole Madison *Bartram Trail Golf Club* *Junior Golfer of the Month*

Cole is a 13 year old seventh grader at Harlem Middle School and a very excellent student academically. Cole played on the Harlem Middle School golf team last spring and football team this past fall. Cole has been an active member of Bartram Trail Golf Club for over 4 years.

Cole's current golf handicap is 8. He is very active in local, regional and SE area junior golf tournaments and an active junior member at Bartram Trail Golf Club. He can be seen at Bartram Trail practicing on the range, chipping and putting every week.

Cole has done very well in AAJGA, AJGM, SJGT, Hurricane and Junior PGA events and tournaments. He won the AJGM events at both Belle Meade and West Lake; placed second in the Bartram Trail Club Championships – 12 & under and second in the Columbia County Junior Championships this past fall.

Cole also participates actively in the Bartram Trail Junior Golf Association Events, and played in the CSRA Parent Child Championships with his father, Earl.

In his bag, Cole plays the Titleist D-2 Driver – 9.5 degree loft, Taylor Made 09 Irons and a Cleveland Series 3 putter. Cole plays the Nike 1 Viper golf balls. His favorite club to play is his 5 Iron.

Cole feels his strongest part of his game is his Tee Shots for both distance and accuracy. He is working very hard to improve his short game and consistent contact on all shots. For a 150 yard shot, he plays a 6 iron.

His favorite hole at Bartram Trail is number 17 and least favorite hole is # 10. His lowest 9 hole score is 35 and 18 hole score is 75 at Bartram Trail. His favorite professional golfer is Ricky Fowler and favorite college football team is the Georgia Bulldogs



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Resources:

Listed below are various resources and contact information for Junior Golf programs, if you know of others please let us know.

Tournaments:

American Junior Golf Association	www.ajga.org
Future Champions Golf – Callaway	www.futurechampionsgolf.com
Future Collegians World Tour	www.fcwtgolf.com
Georgia Junior Golf Tour	www.gjgt.com
Georgia PGA Junior Tour	www.georgiapga.com
Hurricane Junior Golf Tour	www.hjgt.org
International junior Golf Tournaments	www.ijgt.com
Junior Golfers National Team Competition	www.usgll.com
Plantation Junior Golf Tour	www.plantationsjuniorgolftoru.com
South Carolina Junior Golf Association	www.scjga.org
Southeastern Junior Golf Tour	www.sjgt.com
United States Junior Golf Tour	www.usjgt.com

Organizations:

Augusta Area Junior Golf Association	Mike Carlisle	803-641-3528
Augusta Junior Golf	www.augustajunior.com	
Atlanta Junior Golf	www.atlantajuniorgolf.org	Jeff Holt – 770-850-9040
Georgia State Golf Association	www.gsga.com	
Georgia Junior Golf foundation	www.gjgf.org	
My Golf Directory	www.mygolfdir.com	
National Directory of Courses	www.kidsplaygolf.free.com	
Parental Assistance Referral Service	www.parsgolf.com	
PGA Junior Series	www.pgajuniorseries@pgahq.com	
The First Tee	www.thefirsttee.org	
The Ultimate Junior Golf Website	www.juniorlinks.com	
United States Golf Association	www.usga.org	
Georgia High School Association Golf Rules & Procedures	www.ghsa.net	

Bartram Trail CDC

Mission Statement

Whereas the Bartram Trail Golf Course has been built in public-private partnership as a not-for-profit, upscale daily fee golf course, open to the public, and eventually, after repayment of the debt on the course, becoming an asset of Columbia County, the Bartram Trail CDC (Community Development Corporation) Board, as the owner and directing authority of the golf course, establishes the following Mission Statement:

MISSION

To consistently provide the greatest possible golfing experience to all players.

VISION

While meeting all financial obligations throughout the term of its ownership, the Bartram Trail CDC resolves to commit itself to:

**The quality of the golf course,
The quality of the golf programming,
The quality of the golf course staff,
The quality of service provided to players,
The environmental stewardship of the land,
The preservation and continual improvement of the asset, and
Being a good corporate citizen of Columbia County.**

Approved by the Bartram Trail CDC Board, June 28, 2006

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