

PLAYER ADVANCE SHEET

LECOM Suncoast Classic

CONTACTS

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Caddie Master: Mike McClellan 941-720-3046

HOURS OF OPERATION

There will be no player access to the golf course, practice facilities or clubhouse before Sunday April 13th.

DATE	DAY	PLAYER & CADDIE REGISTRATION	BREAKFAST	LUNCH	PRACTICE FACILITIES	EQUIPMENT TRAILER	PHYSICAL THERAPY
4/13	Sun	7:00 AM - 5:00 PM	7:00 AM – 10:30 AM	11:00 AM – 3:00 PM	7:00 AM – 8:00 PM	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Setup Day
4/14	Mon	7:00 AM - 5:00 PM	6:00 AM – 10:30 AM	11:00 AM – 3:00 PM	6:00 AM – 8:00 PM	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
4/15	Tue	7:00 AM - 12:00 PM	5:15 AM – 10:00 AM	10:30 AM – 3:00 PM	5:15 AM – 8:00 PM	8:00 AM – 3:00 PM	1 hour before 1 st Pro-Am Time – 3:00 PM
4/16	Wed	N/A	5:15 AM – 10:00 AM	10:30 AM – 3:00 PM	5:15 AM – 8:00 PM	N/A	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 3:00 PM
4/17	Thur	N/A	5:15 AM – 10:00 AM	10:30 AM – 3:00 PM	5:15 AM – 8:00 PM	N/A	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 3:00 PM
4/18	Fri	N/A	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 10:00 AM	10:30 AM – 4:00 PM	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 8:00 PM	N/A	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 3:00 PM
4/19	Sat	N/A	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 10:00 AM	10:30 AM – 4:00 PM	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – 1 hr. after last tee time	N/A	1.5 hours before 1 st Tee Time – Last Tee Time

NEED TO KNOW

- AVERAGE STROKE TIME (AST)** is being recorded each week. At the conclusion of a tournament a player's average stroke time (AST) is compared against the field average. For a given tournament, if a player has an average stroke time of 7.0 seconds or more above the field average, he has recorded an average stroke time (AST) infraction and will be notified via email on Monday or Tuesday following the tournament by the Competitions Department via email with additional details regarding the infraction. AST infractions are accumulated during the season before monetary fines are applied. Players can

track their progress via the Player Links App. Instructional information to find their AST on the Links app can be found in the Bluesheet.

- **DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES** will be allowed for use during the competition. The Rules Committee recommends all players and caddies choose a traditional rangefinder-style instrument for measuring distance only. All other features such as course mapping, club selection advice, and measuring slope, elevation, or wind, **MUST be disabled** prior to using the device during competition. If such features cannot be disabled, the device must not be used. The penalty for the first breach of this rule is two strokes. A second breach results in disqualification. A representative from Vortex Optics will be onsite **Sunday through Tuesday** at Player Registration to distribute a distance measuring device to all players in the field as well as answer any questions related to the device. These devices will **ONLY** measure distance, thus making them acceptable for use during the LECOM Suncoast Classic and subsequent events during the testing period. Please see a Rules Official onsite if you have any questions regarding the DMD policies.
- **NEW PACE OF PLAY POLICY** will go into effect starting this week. The new policy has a different structure regarding the application of penalty strokes when a player receives a Bad Time. Under the new policy, if a player that is being timed goes over the allotted time for a stroke they will now be penalized 1 shot for the first offense, 2 shots for the second offense, and disqualified for a third offense. The Bad Times will carry over to subsequent rounds during the tournament. Please see a Rules Official onsite if you have any questions.
- **SHUTTLES** will be available from the practice facilities to the 1st and 10th tee each day. Additionally, there will be a shuttle from hole #9 to scoring for players finishing their rounds on the 9th hole. During the round, motorized transportation is permitted between the play of Holes #7 and #8.
- **PLAYER REGISTRATION** must be completed before practice or play; Player Registration will be located in main foyer of the clubhouse. Hours of operation are listed above.
- **CADDIE REGISTRATION** is located in the main foyer of the clubhouse. Hours of operations are listed above.
- **CLUB STORAGE** will be available in the golf shop. Please see a member of the golf shop staff for assistance.
- **PHYSICAL THERAPY** is located in the Locker Room. Hours of operation are listed above.
- **PLAYER DINING** is located in the clubhouse and is open to players and a spouse/significant other with a TOUR issued credential **ONLY**. Hours of operation are listed above.
- **PLAYER PARKING** will be located in the Pro Shop Lot. You will need your TOUR issued credential to access the parking lot.
- **CADDIE DINING** is located in the Clubhouse. Hours of operation are listed above.
- **CADDIE PARKING** will be located behind Piper Hole #1. **On SUNDAY April 13th ONLY**, caddies will be permitted to park in the main clubhouse lot. The main caddie lot will not be open. From Monday, April 14th through Saturday April, 19th, all caddies must park in the caddie lot. Caddie credentials will be issued at registration and needed to access the caddie lot. There will be a shuttle to the clubhouse Monday-Saturday from the caddie lot. Hours of operation will mimic the practice facilities hours listed above.
- **YARDAGE BOOKS** will be issued to all players and caddies free of charge at registration. Players and caddies **MUST** use Committee approved yardage books since January 1, 2022.
- **PRACTICE ROUNDS** beginning on hole #10 must yield in all instances to players making the turn and must not delay practice rounds at any time. Abuse of the Practice Area Policy may result in disciplinary action.

- **JUNIOR PRO-AM** will take place on Sunday April 13th. There will be 22 teams with starting times between 8:30 a.m. and 10:10 a.m. off both 1st and 10th tees. Practice rounds will be available after 1:30 p.m. from the 1st and 10th tees.
- **OFFICIAL PRO-AM** will take place on Tuesday April 15th. 9&9 format with starting times between approximately 7:00 a.m. to 9:12 a.m. and 12:35 p.m. to 2:47 p.m. There will be approximately 52 teams. Per KFT regs, full-shots are now permitted on 9-hole practice rounds before the pro-am.
- **FREE DENTAL SCREENINGS** Monday through Friday of tournament week (4/14-4/18), LECOM School of Dental Medicine is offering free screenings, x-rays and cleaning for all players and their caddies. To make an appointment, please call (941) 405-1606.
- **HAIRCUTS** are available for both players and caddies in the locker room on Monday (12 - 4 p.m.) and Tuesday (9 a.m. – 1 p.m.). The cost is \$20 per person.
- **GYM AND POOL** facilities are available during tournament week. Use of the gym is restricted to players only. However, the pool is available for players and their families. Use of both facilities will be shared with the membership. Gym hours are 6 a.m. – 8 p.m. daily. Pool hours are 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. daily. For access, please see Jeff Dennis.
- **HEADSHOTS FOR PLAYERS** will be available all day Tuesday in the clubhouse. Please make sure to have updated apparel and sponsor logos if you are in need of a new headshot.
- **TICKETS** are available for players and caddies. There will be a QR code at registration. This will be good for grounds/general admission tickets only.

TOURNAMENT WEEK SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 13th

- Practice Facilities are open from 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Junior Pro-Am -- tee times 8:30 – 10:10 a.m. off both 1st and 10th tees.
- Practice Rounds are available starting at approximately 1:30 p.m.

Monday, April 14th

- Practice Facilities are open from 6:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Practice Rounds are available all day.
- FCA Gameday – 3 p.m. – 6 p.m (10th tee start)
- Member clinic on the driving range/short game area starting at 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 15th

- Practice Facilities are open from 5:15 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- **Official Pro-Am**
 - Tee times beginning at approximately 7:00 a.m. Pros will play 9 holes
- Per KFT Regs, full-shots are now permitted on 9-hole practice rounds before the pro-am.
- Practice Range will be closed to those not in the Pro-Am from 6:30 a.m. to 9:12 a.m. and from 12:05 p.m. to 2:47 p.m.
- There will be no practice rounds available after the pro-am.

Wednesday, April 16th

- Practice Facilities are open from 5:15 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
- Round 1 starting times begin at approximately 7:00 a.m.

Thursday, April 17th

- Practice Facilities will be open from 5:15 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.
- Round 2 starting times begin at approximately 7:00 a.m.

Friday, April 18th

- Practice Facilities will be open from 1.5 hours before 1st tee time – 8:00 p.m.
- Round 3 starting times TBD. Finish time will be approximately 5 p.m.
- Junior Clinic on the driving range at 3:00 p.m.
- Folds of Honor ceremony at 1:00 p.m. located at the American flag near the practice area.

Saturday, April 19th

- Practice Facilities will be open from 1.5 hours before 1st tee time until 1 hour after the last tee time
- Round 4 starting times TBD. Finish time will be approximately 5 p.m.
- Easter egg hunt on the driving range at 2:00 p.m.

AGRONOMY

Golf Course Superintendent: Joel Ehrhart

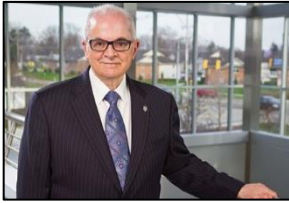
PGA TOUR Agronomist: Tim Connolly, CGCS

The Commander Course at Lakewood National Golf Club is well positioned for the LECOM Suncoast Classic. All bunkers were renovated last Autumn under the direction of architect Brandon Johnson who also reshaped the greenside bunker by #4 green and a fairway bunker short of the landing area on hole #5. The renovated bunkers feature G-angle bunker sand, Bunker Solution liners, and dramatic bunker edging. The TifEagle bermudagrass greens have full canopies and will provide smooth and firm putting surfaces for the competition. The Celebration bermudagrass tees are in good condition overall except for #4 tee which was re-sodded in February; it remains to be seen if the tee will be ready for the competition. The Celebration bermudagrass fairways are healthy, although moderately divotted due to the high amount of play during the winter months. The Commander Course has benign primary rough that will be maintained at 2 inches. The non-irrigated secondary rough is bahiagrass that will be in the 3-5 inch height range.

Quick Facts:

- The target greenspeed will be 12.5'
- The tees and fairways will be mowed at .325"
- The approaches will be mowed at .205"
- There is no intermediate cut, and the primary rough will be maintained at 2"

PEOPLE TO KNOW



Dr. John M. Ferretti, D.O.

President & CEO – LECOM

- Led the opening of LECOM in 1993.
- Completed his education and residency at Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine.



Dr. Silvia M. Ferretti, D.O.

Provost, Senior Vice President & Dean of Academic Affairs – LECOM

- When LECOM opened in 1993, Dr. Ferretti became the first woman dean of an osteopathic medical college.
- Completed her residency at the University of Pennsylvania.



Tom Wedzik

Board of Trustees - LECOM

- Has served on Board of Trustees since '95 and at one point served as Chairman.
- Spent over 17 years at First National Bank of Pennsylvania, retiring as the Regional President in 2015.
- Wedzik attended Gannon University in Erie, PA.

About LECOM:

- The Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine (LECOM) is the nation's largest medical college and is the only Academic Health Center in the osteopathic profession.
- The continuing demand for new primary care physicians, pharmacists, and dentists, and the rapid growth of Florida led LECOM to open the Lakewood Ranch branch campus between Bradenton and Sarasota.