

Florida State's promising golfers take aim on a third straight Florida Intercollegiate championship in the 11th annual 72-hole tournament, opening at Ocala tomorrow.

Besides the Seminoles, teams from the University of Florida, Miami, Rollins, Florida Southern, and Stetson are expected to compete in the three-day medal play over Ocala Country Club's par 71 layout. Competition will include 18 holes Thursday, 36 holes Friday, and the final 18 on Saturday.

The Seminoles left today for the tournament site and were scheduled to play a practice round this afternoon. Yesterday, they tuned up by scoring a 24-3 dual victory over Moody Air Force Base at Tallahassee Country Club.

FSU's Mel Fleischer carded a three-under-par 69 for medal honors. Don Torpa fired a 70, and Rem Noble and Dink Wise had identical 74s. Dave Ren was low for Moody with a 74.

Florida State could retain permanent possession of the Buck Nilsson trophy by winning a third straight team title at Ocala. The Seminoles won last year's event with a four-man total of 1,120, 16 strokes under par. FSU's Bunk Berry, graduate student who has completed his collegiate eligibility, fired a 18-under-par 268 for individual honors last year.

Bob Shave and Mel Fleischer, FSU, defeated Grady and Goodman, Moody AFB, 9-8.

Don Torppa and Dick Hanscom, FSU, defeated Calhoun and Wilcox, Moody AFB, 9-8.

Rem Noble and Dink Wise, FSU, defeated Ren and Plant, Moody AFB, 6-3.