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INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Team Standings

<u>18 Holes</u>		<u>36 Holes</u>		<u>54 Holes</u>	
Georgia Southern	283	Georgia Southern	588	Georgia Southern	885
Florida State	293	Florida State	598	Florida State	898
Columbus	294	Alabama	602	Alabama	903
Alabama	295	Mississippi State	605	Columbus	912
Southern Illinois	297	Columbus	608	Mississippi State	913
Mississippi State	297	West Florida	613	West Florida	923
West Florida	299	Southern Mississippi	618	Southern Mississippi	925
Western Illinois	301	Auburn	620	Southern Illinois	929
Auburn	303	Western Illinois	624	Auburn	933
Southern Mississippi	304	Southern Illinois	624	Kent State	935
Kent State	305	Kent State	631	Western Illinois	938
Ohio Wesleyan	333	Ohio Wesleyan	665	Ohio Wesleyan	995

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Indian River	297	Indian River	614	Indian River	915
Pensacola	299	Pensacola	619	Chipola	922
Chipola	302	Chipola	620	Pensacola	932
Gulf Coast	314	Gulf Coast	638	Gulf Coast	953

<u>Score</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Place</u>
218	Ellis, Jim	Georgia Southern I	1
219	Stewart, Wheeler	Alabama	2
223	Jones, Burford	Georgia Southern	3
223	Alwin, Mark	Florida State	3
223	Voyles, Bill	Florida State	3
224	Fulton, Ashley	Indian River J.C.	4
224	Melnick, John	Indian River J.C.	4
224	Rachels, Sam	Columbus	4
225	Spears, Gary	Mississippi State	5½
225	Simmons, Brooks	Georgia Southern	5
225	Moller, John	Western Illinois	5
226	Simon, Rich	Alabama	6
226	Laird, Roy	Pensacola J.C.	6
226	Moller, John	Western Illinois	6
227	Hancock, Charles	Chipola J.C.	7
227	Smith, Ricky	Georgia Southern	7
227	Whitten, Buddy	Southern Mississippi	7
227	Lindquist, Bill	Western Florida	7
227	Mason, James	Auburn	7
227	Harper, Lee	Alabama	7
228	Major, Charles	Chipola J.C.	8
228	Voyles, Ben	Florida State	8
228	Sampson, Curt	Kent State	8
229	Folker, Scot	Gulf Coast	9
229	Dougherty, Mike	Mississippi State	9
230	Myers, Richard	West Florida	10
231	Rowan, Mike	Columbus	11
231	Baker, Dave	Columbus	11
231	Lane, Pat	Georgia Southern	11
231	Young, Jeff	Southern Illinois	11
231	Dudley, Tom	Columbus	11
232	Saputo, Nico	Southern Illinois	12
232	McGill, Jeff	Mississippi State	12
233	Childs, Kelly	West Florida	13
233	Ruby, John	Florida State	13
233	Tock, Richard	Southern Illinois	13

<u>Score</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Place</u>
234	Briscoe, Robbio	Auburn	14
234	McCough, Mike	Chipola J.C.	14
234	Humphreys, Steve	Southern Mississippi	14
234	Rinker, Frank	Indian River J.C.	14
234	Smith, Billy	Indian River J.C.	14
234	Smith, Danny	Pensacola J.C.	14
234	Smith, Dave	Southern Mississippi	14
234	McClendon, Clyde	Alabama	14
235	Hendley, Charles	Pensacola J.C.	15
235	Strimple, Dan	Kent	15
235	Ott, Harvey	Southern Illinois	15
235	Cox, Tom	Auburn	15
235	Wilker, Dale	Columbus	15
235	Du Pont, Larry	Gulf Coast J.C.	15
236	Gore, Barry	Southern Mississippi	16
236	Warf, Jim	Mississippi State	16
236	Lawson, Toby	Columbus	16
236	Mullen, Steve	Florida State	16
236	Alloian, Gary	Western Illinois	16
237	Whitten, Jim	Pensacola J.C.	17
237	Detter, Neal	Kent State	17
239	Haugler, Rod	West Florida	18
239	Meadows, Bob	West Florida	18
239	McDonald, Billy	Auburn	18
240	Wilson, Robbie	Florida State	19
240	Price, Mac	Mississippi State	19
240	Reynolds, Hal	Alabama	19
241	Keiser, Greg	Kent State	20
241	Otto, Steve	Chipola J.C.	20
241	Blankenship, Dale	Western Illinois	20
242	Sepula, Jim	Western Illinois	21
242	Melzer, James	Chipola J.C.	21
242	Miller, Jerry	Chipola J.C.	21
242	Miller, K.	Auburn	21
242	McDermott, Mike	West Florida	21
242	Malinoski, Tom	Southern Mississippi	21
243	Belflower, Jim	Gulf Coast J.C.	22
243	Smith, Ames	Mississippi State	22
243	Perkins, David	Southern Illinois	22
243	Thames, E.R.	Southern Mississippi	22
244	St. Martin, Mark	Indian River J.C.	23
244	Belton, John	Alabama	23

<u>Score</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Place</u>
245	Strickler, Ed	Kent State	24
246	Schaefer, Ed	Western Illinois	25
247	Smeltzer, Ed	Ohio Wesleyan	26
248	Byrd, Butch	Auburn	27
248	Knox, Jeff	Ohio Wesleyan	27
249	Jones, Chuck	Gulf Coast J.C.	28
251	Fitzgerald, Hank	Ohio Wesleyan	29
252	Secnit, Monty	Southern Illinois	30
254	Musgrove, Scott	Gulf Coast J.C.	31
255	Erickson, Gary	Western Illinois	32
255	Page, Herb	Kent State	32
257	Ford, Robert	Gulf Coast J.C.	33
259	Ranck, Jeff	Ohio Wesleyan	34
262	Johnson, Chris	Ohio Wesleyan	35
286	Barnett, Marvin	Pensacola J.C.	36

Special to The Democrat

PENSACOLA — Florida State's golf team was in second place at the end of the first day of the West Florida Invitational Tournament, 10 shots behind leader Georgia Southern in the college division.

The Seminoles' four-man team had a combined total of 293 to Georgia Southern's 283.

In the individual competition, Bill Voyles was the top Seminole with a 71, two shots behind the leader.

Other Florida State scores included Steve Mullens' 72, Mark Alwin's 74 and Ben Voyles' 76. Each team was allowed to count their four lowest scorers. Other Seminole scores included Robbie Wilson's 79 and John Ruby's 81.

In team play, Georgia Southern and Florida State were followed by Columbus College (294), Alabama (295), West Florida (299), Western Illinois (301), Auburn (303), Southern Mississippi (304) and Kent State (305).

Play continues at 8 o'clock Friday morning.

Special to The Democrat

PENSACOLA — Florida State remained in second place in the West Florida Invitational golf tournament yesterday, but the Seminoles couldn't cut a stroke off Georgia Southern's 10-shot advantage.

Georgia Southern and FSU were 1-2 following Thursday's first round when the leader also owned a 10-stroke edge.

In the individual play, FSU's top contender was Bill Voyles who has had rounds of 71 and 77 for a 148 total. This is four strokes behind the leader, Southern's Jimmy Ellis, who is at 69-75—144.

Seminole Mark Alwin shot a

three-over-par 75 yesterday and is in sixth place at 149.

Other FSU scores yesterday included Ben Voyles' 77 and John Rudy's 76. The wind and cold hurt playing conditions. The other two Seminoles, Steve Mullens and Robbie Wilson, carded an 84 and 81, respectively.

Georgia Southern leads the tournament with a total of 588, and the final round is today. Florida State stands at 598, followed by Alabama (602), Mississippi State (605), Columbus College (608), West Florida (613), Southern Mississippi (618), Auburn (621), Southern Illinois and Western Illinois (624) and Kent State 631.

Special to The Democrat

PENSACOLA — Florida State dropped three more strokes, but held on to finish in second place behind Georgia Southern in the West Florida Invitational golf tournament here yesterday.

The Seminoles trailed Georgia Southern by 10 strokes for the first two days of the tournament and finished with 898, behind Georgia Southern's 885 first-place score.

Best score of the day for the Seminoles was Mark Alwin's 74, followed by twin brothers Ben and Bill Voyles with identical 75's and John Ruby with 76.

Georgia Southern's Jimmy Ellis won individual honors with a three-day total of 218. In second place was Alabama's Wheeler Stewart with 219, while Alwin and Bill Voyles tied with Georgia Southern's Billy Jones for third place with 223.

The Voyles brothers are sophomores from Atlanta, both standing 6-7. Alwin, a junior, is the only member of last year's team returning this year, while sophomore Ruby is the New England States amateur champion.

Finishing behind Georgia Southern and Florida State in team standings were Alabama (903), Columbus College (912), Mississippi State (913), West Florida (923), University of Southern Mississippi (925), Southern Illinois (929), Auburn (933), Kent State (935), and Western Illinois (938).

Winning the junior college play was Indian River with 918, followed by Chipola with 922, Pensacola with 932 and Gulf Coast with 953.

Florida State will travel to Cape Coral on Monday for next week's Cape Coral Invitational tournament.

Golfers capture 2nd in West Florida meet

Florida State fell behind by 10 strokes on the opening day in the West Florida Invitational golf tournament, then held on to win second place, 13 strokes off the winning pace set by Georgia Southern. The Seminoles totalled 898 for the three day meet, while Southern finished the tourney with an 885 total.



Third place went to Alabama, who finished with 903 strokes.

Southern's Jimmy Ellis edged Alabama's Wheeler Stewart for top individual honors with a 69-75-74-218. Stewart put together a 219 total for second. Top Seminole golfers were Bill Voyles and Mark Alwin, tied for third with Southern's Billy Jones. Voyles shot 71-77-75-223, while Alwin put together rounds of 74-75-74 for the same total.

Voyles's brother Ben carded rounds of 76-77-75 for a 228 total, ten strokes off the pace set by Stewart, while John Ruby shot a 81-76-76-223.

The Seminoles will not compete as a team until after the Tallahassee Open, in which several will be competing.

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