

## ... rain also hits FSU golf

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PINE MOUNTAIN, Ga. — Florida State's golf team had a ten-stroke lead washed away here Friday in the first round of the Southern Independent Golf Association tournament.

The Seminoles had a big lead over second-place Georgia Southern when the round was called off by tournament officials. The round will not be made up, and the meet will now be a two-day, 36-hole affair.

FSU's top finishers were also one - two - three in individual competition. Todd Crandall led with a 69, while Terry Anton had a 70 and Kenny Knox a 71.

## Seminole golf team in second

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PINE MT., Ga.— Florida State's golf team managed a total of 372 here Saturday and was in second place, 10 strokes off the pace set by Georgia Southern in the second round of the Southern Independent Intercollegiate Championship Golf Tournament.

Friday's first round was cancelled because of rain which swept the Calla-first - round rains washed out a brilliant first-round rains washed out a brilliant performance by the Seminoles.

"That was our best round of the year, without a doubt," said FSU coach Don Veller. "If we hadn't been rained out we would be way out in front."

The winner of the tournament which has now been reduced to a 36-hole event, will probably get an invitation to participate in the NCAA golf tournament in June.

Florida State's Todd Crandall fired a one-under-par 71 and was just one stroke off the pace set by Georgia Southern's Billy Mitchell. FSU's Kenny Knox and Terry Anton fashioned a 73 and a 74, respectively.

The Seminoles finished the round one shot ahead of Jacksonville State and South Carolina. Florida International, Memphis State and South Florida were knotted at 374.

# USC Tied For 7th In Golf Event

PINE MOUNTAIN, Ga. (AP) — Billy Mitchell and Buddy Alexander helped Georgia Southern run away with the team title while Jacksonville's Mike Fox captured the individual title Sunday in the Southern Independent Intercollegiate golf championship at Callaway Gardens.

Fox shot a one-under-par 71 Sunday for a 141 total in the rain-shortened 36-hole event over the 7,040-yard par 72 Mountain View course.

Mitchell and Alexander were a stroke back at 142. Mitchell fired a 73 and Alexander a 72 Sunday as Georgia Southern finished with a 741 team total to trim Florida State by 13 strokes.

South Florida was third in the team standings with 755, followed by Jacksonville 757; South Alabama 758; Florida International 759; South Carolina, Memphis State and Virginia Tech 764; Georgia State 775; Georgia Tech 787; North Carolina-Charlotte 792 and Southern Mississippi 806.

In the individual race Pat Lindsey of South Florida was fourth at 144 followed by Todd Crandall of Florida State and David Dupre of South Carolina, each at 145. Dupre shared the first-round lead with Mitchell and Fox after a 70 Saturday.

Robert Robb of Georgia State was seventh at 146.