

# Bulova Accutron Winter Series

Last Name	First Name	Points
Williams	Jeff	215
Refling	Tyler	195
Daniel	Randy	157.5
Marino	Joe	135
Peets	Barry	130
Jones	Chris	115
Indermill	Jim	100
Kerivan	Jack	100

The Bulova Accutron Winter Series has made life interesting with the weather challenges we've faced. We've been able to get four events in, with one more scheduled as this newsletter goes to print. Hopefully we'll be able to get it in and crown a champion before the official season starts up on February 19th!



Joe Marino, Jeff Williams

## Bear's Best - November 20, 2010

### Top Scores

J Williams	+11
J Marino	+10
R Daniel	+5

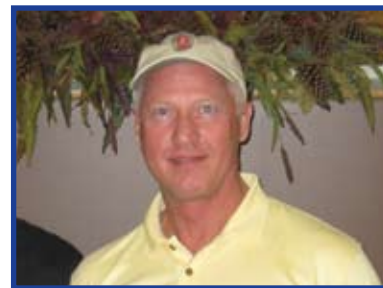
We had a great event at Bear's Best and some pretty good golf played as well. Jeff Williams was able to pull out the victory, earning +11 points. Jeff beat out Joe Marino who had a career round and finished with +10, but all those birdies Jeff made proved insurmountable. We had a great day of golf on a fun course!

## The Manor - December 23, 2010

The weather proved to be a little colder than we would have hoped, but we got it in which was nice given how bad the weather has been this winter. We even had a few guys get on the positive side or even with their quota. Winning the event was Jim Indermill with +2 points with Gil Campbell earning second place by making his quota exactly. Overall we were glad to be able to get out even though most were a little colder come the time we finished then we would have liked given the wind.

### Top Scores

J Indermill	+2
G Campbell	0
K Davis	-1



Jim Indermill

## Oconee Course at Reynolds Plantation - January 29, 2011



Art Williams, Chris Jones

### Top Scores

C Jones	+2
A Williams	+1
J Marino	-1

You couldn't have asked for any better of a day in January for our event on The Oconee course at Reynolds Plantation. Overall the scores were reflective of the winter given not many really played too well. We did have a few guys end up on the positive side of their quota with Chris Jones picking up the victory. Chris nudged Art Williams with his +2 points to Art's +1, and they were the only two to get their quota. It was great to get out given all the bad weather we have had!

# 2011 AGA TOUR Major Sponsors

2011 marks the 19th Season for the AGA TOUR! One of the many reasons for our long success is the awesome sponsors that we have had in the past and continue to have currently. This year we are very excited to have another great group of sponsors. As our members know, the sponsors are one of the special aspects about the TOUR and a vital part of the on-going success of the AGA TOUR. We have many returning Major sponsors: Bulova Accutron; Bridgestone Golf; Edwin Watts Golf; and Jackson Oats Shaw Corporate Real Estate. New to the AGA TOUR as a 2011 sponsor are 42 Below Vodka and Old Edwards Inn!

## BRIDGESTONE GOLF

Bridgestone Golf is the provider of "The official ball of the AGA TOUR"! In case you haven't noticed, Bridgestone Golf has the likes of many great pros and continues to expand their presence in the golf ball market.

To figure out which ball is best for you, and for further information about Bridgestone Golf, check out their website, [www.bridgestonegolf.com](http://www.bridgestonegolf.com)



The AGA TOUR is excited to have Bulova Accutron back for another year. These watches have been a great hit and everyone has continued to enjoy the opportunity of winning these fine products.

Check out the Bulova website, [www.bulova.com](http://www.bulova.com), to find out more about their great products and brands.



Edwin Watts Golf is the official off-course pro shop and a proud supporter of the AGA TOUR. Edwin Watts Golf is the best golf retailer in Atlanta with a number of great locations and an unbeatable knowledge for any and all golf products.

Check out [www.edwinwattsgolf.com](http://www.edwinwattsgolf.com) or visit them at one of their several Atlanta locations.



JACKSON OATS SHAW is one of Atlanta's largest owners of office and office warehouse space and has provided great deals and advice to numerous AGA members over the years, helping them save or make money and avoid costly mistakes. If your company is looking for office space or wants to make sure their current lease agreement is fair make sure to give Scott Jackson a call.

Visit [www.joscre.com](http://www.joscre.com) and take a look at the firm and all the options available for lease or sale.



A smooth rich spirit with soft aromas of aniseed, a toasty grainy flavour of finest wheat, and a long lingering finish with a hint of sweetness characterize this vodka made from the pure softness of New Zealand spring water.

For more information, check out their website at [www.42below.com](http://www.42below.com).



The AGA TOUR is excited to have the Old Edwards Inn and Spa as well as the Old Edwards Club golf course on board as a sponsor of the AGA TOUR. This great hotel and golf course located in Highlands, NC is one of the best resorts in the country.

If you are looking for an awesome getaway, this is the place to do it. For more information, check out their website at [www.oldedwardsinn.com](http://www.oldedwardsinn.com).



## Welcome New Members!

- Brandon Bowling
- Ernest Brown
- David Clarke
- Shelton Jackson
- Jerry Knoedler
- Andrew Lindsay
- Cliff Morgan

***If you run into one of these players at your next event, please give them a warm AGA TOUR welcome!***

## 2011 AGA TOUR Membership Drive!

A new season is about to begin and now is the best time to start talking up the TOUR to your golf buddies!

We are running several specials for new members. They can sign up for a 2 for 1 membership - 2 years for the price of 1 (\$149 value) and you, as the referrer, would receive a \$25 AGA credit as our 'thank you'.

Alternatively, you can renew with one or more new members and receive a discount on your renewal fee. Sign up with a buddy, and it's \$100 each. Sign up as a foursome, and it's \$60 each.

And, don't forget, your buddy can try before buying - bring them to an event as a guest and let them experience it for themselves!

So if you have friends who are thinking about joining, let them know! If you'd like for us to give them a call, just send us their info.

## 2010 Year in Review

We would like to congratulate the 2010 Bulova Accutron "Watch the Season" Point Winners and the 2010 Tour Championship Champions! Below you will find the list of the people who accumulated the most points in their flight for the first half of the 2010 season, the second half of the 2010 season, and for the entire season. Also listed are the 2010 Tour Championship Champions. Through the 2011 season, these people will be announced as such at each event they play.

### 2010 Bulova Accutron "Watch the Season" Point Winners

	<b>First Half</b>	<b>Second Half</b>	<b>Entire Season</b>
<b>Flight 1:</b>	Matt Tucci	Barry Peets	Gil Campbell
<b>Flight 2:</b>	Travis Young	Eddie Fields	Alan Bailey
<b>Flight 3:</b>	Terry Dunn	Jeff Williams	Rusty Williams
<b>Flight 4:</b>	Jim Turner	Richard Timko	Jim Turner
<b>Flight 5:</b>	Joe Marino	Michael Pratt	Michael Pratt
<b>Net Flight:</b>	John Turner	Chuck Korom	Chuck Korom

### 2010 Tour Championship Champions

<b>Flight 1:</b>	Abdus Raouf	<b>Flight 4:</b>	Ray Waters
<b>Flight 2:</b>	Alan Bailey	<b>Flight 5:</b>	Michael Pratt
<b>Flight 3:</b>	Terry Dunn	<b>Net Flight:</b>	Chuck Korom

## New for 2011 Destiny Travel Challenge

Are you ready to win some money?! New this year, the AGA TOUR is conducting a season-long challenge similar to the PGA TOUR Kodak Challenge. This is a cumulative score for the year where every AGA TOUR event counts toward obtaining your best 18 hole score to win. Prizes will be awarded in 3 combined flights.

**There is no cost for this ~ it is a benefit of being a member of the AGA TOUR thanks to our sponsors!**

### Prizes are as follows:

\$500 for first place, \$300 for second, and \$200 for third.

### Rules

- 1 hole per 9 (2 total for 18 holes) will be selected to be the **Destiny Travel Challenge** holes each tournament
- Only scores in relation to par will count (actual strokes don't matter ~ a 5 on par 5 is same as a 3 on par 3)
- Everyone starts out at +18, or bogey, for every hole. Only holes that help your score will count. If a birdie was made and replaced the bogey, that would drop your score 2 strokes, etc. Your best 18 holes will count toward your score.
- 3 Flights will be used (Combined AGA TOUR Flights 1&2, 3&4, 5&Net)

This should add some excitement, and, just like the Bulova Accutron Watch the Season points pages, we will have pages showing the **Destiny Travel Challenge** results after every event so you can see where you stand. You only need to play one event to be eligible, although the more holes you play, the better chance of helping your score and winning the money! For multi-day events, every round will have 2 holes, so for our Florida event, for instance, you will have 6 total holes to try and improve your score.

## Good Luck Playing the Destiny Travel Challenge!

## AGA TOUR Expects All Play to be by the USGA Rules of Golf!!!

The AGA TOUR expects all tournament participants to play by the USGA Rules of Golf. If you do not know the rules, please make sure to use the Rules of Golf book that was provided in your membership packet and your fellow competitors as necessary to make sure the rules are followed. If you see a competitor not playing by the rules, we do expect you to assist the competitor by explaining their violation to them and/or notify a marshal if necessary. If anything is ever in question as to what is correct, play two balls, and before posting and signing your scorecard, get an official ruling. We want all competition on our TOUR to be fair, and we want to encourage all competitors to ensure the integrity of this great game is upheld in all our events.

*Please note that effective January 1, 2010 the USGA published new changes to the Rules of Golf. Please make sure you are familiar with the changes.*

## Keep Your Handicap Up to Date in 2011!

Unlike your AGA membership that runs for 12 months, the handicapping service is active from January 1 to December 31. With this in mind, you **MUST** renew your handicapping service after the first of the year. If you have a course handicapping for you, more than likely you will have to let them know that you want to continue and, of course, pay the fee. If the AGA is handicapping for you, you may contact us at any time via phone or email with your payment information (\$40 for annual handicapping service).

***If the AGA TOUR handled your handicapping in 2010 and we do not hear from you by February 28, you will be deleted from the GHIN system.***

**Remember, if you do not have an active, USGA certified index, you will not be eligible to participate in AGA TOUR events.**

# Get your game on in 2011!



## ATLANTA KICK-OFF BEAR'S BEST - SATURDAY, MARCH 5

Bear's Best Atlanta, a compilation of replica holes from some of Jack Nicklaus' most famous designs, is an enjoyable golf course to play and a great course that is always one of the favorite courses every year. We are sure to have a great time at this wonderful venue and we don't have to take caddies making it much easier on the wallet! We are looking forward to a wonderful day competing to win this AGA TOUR event! We'll be doing a 1 pm shotgun to take advantage of warmer weather given the early part of the year, so plan to join us!

## ST. IVES - MONDAY, MARCH 14

St. Ives continues to enhance this challenging yet enjoyable layout, one that is always a treat to play with the competition of the AGA TOUR. We are glad to be heading back to this exciting Fazio layout as it has been a couple of years since we last played this private track. Make sure you mark your calendars and come out and play this great venue!

## THE FROG - SATURDAY, MARCH 26

This is one you don't want to miss out on! Make sure you plan to come out and have some fun playing golf at The Frog! Designed by famed course architect Tom Fazio, this course offers one of America's pure golfing experiences. The Frog is a pure masterpiece remarkable for its fairways and awesome greens. We are looking forward to a great event and competition on a course most seem to score well on.

## CC OF GWINNETT - SATURDAY, APRIL 2

New on the AGA TOUR schedule for 2011, we are heading to CC of Gwinnett! In an effort to get a few more courses in the area that we haven't played, this is a great track in Gwinnett county. Course knowledge will be necessary, so make sure you know where the dog legs and trouble is or it will cost you some strokes!

## BRASSTOWN VALLEY - SATURDAY/SUNDAY JUNE 18-19 *Save the Date!*

Start planning now for this Father's Day weekend getaway tournament up in the North Georgia mountains! A two day tournament in a beautiful environment – perfect to bring your special someone or family to! We have been asked by several members to consider this resort for a while now and now we have. We are sure to have a great time!



Bulova Accutron has committed to its 12th year as the the sponsor of the Watch the Season Points competition!

*We appreciate their continued support in adding this special enhancement to the TOUR!*

**As we prepare to start a new season, the AGA TOUR wants to remind all our members how points are accumulated during the season.**

At each event, points are awarded based on how individuals finish in their flight (see point structure at right). At the "Major events" the points are 150% of normal. For multi-day events, an extra 3 points are awarded. If there is a tie for a position, the points for the positions used are added together and divided by number of positions. For example, if there was a 3 way tie for second, the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place points would be added together and divided by 3 for the points awarded to each person involved in the tie.

Position	Points Awarded
1 <sup>st</sup>	20
2 <sup>nd</sup>	15
3 <sup>rd</sup>	12
4 <sup>th</sup>	10
5 <sup>th</sup>	8
6 <sup>th</sup>	6
7 <sup>th</sup>	5
8 <sup>th</sup>	4
9 <sup>th</sup>	3
10 <sup>th</sup>	2
11 <sup>th</sup> and above	1

## Tournament Entry Form

For those without access to the Internet, or if you prefer to mail/fax your tournament entries, please complete this form and return to the AGA TOUR office.

We must have tournament entries in writing, so no phone registrations can be accepted.

Please mail or fax your Tournament Entry form to:

4999 Woodfall Drive  
Lilburn, GA 30047

770-935-6816 (fax)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

If you are not pre-paying for the tournaments, a credit card is required to hold your spot.

The credit card will not be charged unless you do not provide adequate cancellation notice or are a no show for the tournament.

MC/Visa #: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_

Tournament	Price	Selection
Bear's Best, March 5	\$125	_____
St. Ives, March 14	\$145	_____
The Frog, March 26	\$125	_____
CC of Gwinnett, April 2	\$105	_____

Special Requests:

# Leaderboard

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## New Love on Bridgestone Tour Team in 2011

### Bridgestone Signs Renowned 20-Time PGA TOUR Champion Davis Love III



"I'm really excited to be part of a brand that has the momentum of Bridgestone," Love continued. "To rise from a virtual unknown to the #2 golf ball in the industry in just six years is amazing. I've been paying attention to what they've been doing over the past few years and I really respect their efforts to educate consumers on how to find the proper ball for their game, and their ads are some of the most fun I've seen. I look forward to showing the world a bit more of my personality in the 2011 ads. There is even one spot where I get to ride my bike. Motorcycle riding is right up there with hunting and fishing as my favorite things to do off the course, so that's pretty cool. I couldn't be more pumped about being on the Bridgestone team."

## February 2011

# LEADERBOARD

Road Trip 2011 PGA Village, Port St. Lucie, FL	Feb 19-21	2 0 1 1
Atlanta Kick-off Event Bear's Best	Mar 5	
St. Ives	Mar 14	
The Frog	Mar 26	
CC of Gwinnett	Apr 2	
The Manor	Apr 11	
The Georgia Club	Apr 16	
The Farm	May 2	
St. Marlo	May 14	
Settindown Creek	May 24	
Crystal Falls	Jun 11	
Brasstown Valley	Jun 18-19	
Rivermont	Jun 28	
BridgeMill	Jul 9	
The Standard Club	Jul 18	
TBD	Jul 30	
Barnsley Gardens	Aug 13	
Pinetree CC	Aug 22	
Legacy on Lanier	Sep 3	
TBD	Sep 12	
Member/Guest	Sep 24	
Cobblestone	Oct 8	
Lake Burton Club	Oct 18	
Tournament of Champions	Oct 24	
National Tour Championship	Nov 4-6	



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