



Doug Oswald

The Doug Oswald Seniors Tournament is named for a man who has given unselfishly of his time and energy to the Ocala Municipal Golf Course and the entire community during the period of Marion County's most rapid growth. From 1963-1975 he served untiringly as a member of the City of Ocala Golf board, enthusiastically promoting the interest of the golfing community and even managing the golf course during a two-month emergency.

Doug Oswald was honored as the Outstanding Man in Florida Agriculture in 1970, Chairman of the Committee of 100 in 1971 and later served on that Executive Committee. He was president of the Ocala-Marion Chamber of Commerce in 1964-65 and Kiwanis Club president in 1961.

As President of the Sun Banks of Marion County he continued to be active in the First United Methodist Church and promoted 4-H clubs and agriculture interests in the community. In January 1976 he was inaugurated Mayor of the City of Ocala.

Lending weight to his sensible and soft-spoken opinions on community policy and development are his varied interests. As a member of the board of trustees of the Appleton Museum and its first chairman, Doug Oswald was a driving force in the Museum's creation.

He served for many years as President and Gen. Manager of the Southeastern Livestock Assoc. and operated the Southeastern facilities for all kinds of livestock shows and sales, including the steer show. In 2004 he was elected to the Marion County Hall of Fame.

A native of Marianna, Florida, he served three years in the U.S. Army including a World War II tour of duty in Europe. He was a member of the "Golden Era" football team at the University of Florida where he received his B.S. degree in Agriculture in 1949.

Tournament Champions

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| 1976 – Dr. Karl T. Humes, Bushnell, Florida | 1992 – Don Norbury, Ocala, Florida | 2008 – Dr. Robert Hess, Casselberry, Florida |
| 1977 – Dr. John D. Lindner, Ocala, Florida | 1993 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 2009 – Brian S. Brown, Inverness, Florida |
| 1978 – Dr. Karl T. Humes, Bushnell, Florida | 1994 – Jerry Tarnow, Port Orange, Florida | 2010 – Berger Warner, Ocala, Florida |
| 1979 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 1995 – Bill Bailey, South Daytona, Florida | 2011 – Bill Zylstra, Ocklawaha, Florida |
| 1980 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 1996 – Ron LeClair, Fern Park, Florida | 2012 – Berger Warner, Ocala, Florida |
| 1981 – Fred Davis, Ocala, Florida | 1997 – Curt Madson, Mount Dora, Florida | 2013 – Doug Snoop, Apopka, Florida |
| 1982 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 1998 – Mickey Gallagher, Groton, New York | 2014 – Doug Snoop, Apopka, Florida |
| 1983 – Bill Nuetzel, Gainesville, Florida | 1999 – John Ward, Winter Park, Florida | 2015 – Tim Hume, Crystal River, Florida |
| 1984 – Fred Davis, Ocala, Florida | 2000 – Curt Madson, Mount Dora, Florida | 2016 – Richard Weber, Orlando, Florida |
| 1985 – Jack Shubert, Altamonte Spgs, Florida | 2001 – Berger Warner, Ocala, Florida | 2017 – Lloyd Fisher, Ocala, Florida |
| 1986 – Jack Shubert, Altamonte Spgs, Florida | 2002 – Dr. Robert Hess, Casselberry, Florida | 2018 – Steve Humphrey, Ocala, Florida |
| 1987 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 2003 – Mark Puskarich, Orlando, Florida | 2019 – Daniel Owen, Ocala, Florida |
| 1988 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 2004 – Dr. Robert Hess, Casselberry, Florida | 2020 – Drew Ditty, Ocala, Florida |
| 1989 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 2005 – Warren Wilhite, Palatka, Florida | 2021 – Dave McMeen, Wesley Chapel, Florida |
| 1990 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 2006 – Dr. Robert Hess, Casselberry, Florida | 2022 – Tommy Lowe, Ocala, Florida |
| 1991 – Bo Williams, Ocala, Florida | 2007 – Dr. Jim Carley, Ormond Beach, Florida | 2023 – Steve Albright, Ocala, Florida |

Super – Senior Champions

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| 2010 – Ron Russo, Ocala, Florida | 2016 – Dr. Robert Hess, Casselberry, Florida | 2021 – Kevin Macy, Tampa, Florida |
| 2012 – Brian Sachs, Newberry, Florida | 2017 – Berger Warner, Ocala, Florida | 2022 – Walter Himelsbaugh, Leesburg, Florida |
| 2013 – Randy Briggs, Ocala, Florida | 2018 – Dr. Robert Hess, Casselberry, Florida | 2023 – Robert Parmar, Ocala, Florida |
| 2014 – Berger Warner, Ocala, Florida | 2019 – Kevin Macy, Tampa, Florida | |
| 2015 – Larry Vander Bie, Brooksville, Florida | 2020 – Robert Parmar, Fairhope, Alabama | |

Legends Champion

- 2023 – Dr. Jim Carley, Ormond Beach, Florida

