

Scott Fairbarin, CCM, CCE Gator Region Update September 2014

I hope this article finds you on the heels of a relaxing Summer, refreshed and prepared for the busy Fall season! The Gator Region is alive and well with 105 total members and 85 members with Professional Status.

Our next regional meeting will be held on **October 29, 2014** at **Heritage Oaks Country Club**. **Susan Clarke of FUN-damentals** will present her session **The FUN-damentals of Attitude: How to Turn a Positive Attitude into a World-Class Club**. Our host, Dave Somers, CCM, CCE, CAM is always a gracious host and I encourage all to attend who are able to.

The **Gator Region Charity Golf Invitational** is set for **Monday, October 27, 2014** at the Club at Eaglebrooke in Lakeland. This event, now in its twenty-third year, benefits **All Children's Hospital** in St. Petersburg as well as **Ronald McDonald House**. Bob Max and Dan Callender, along with the entire committee, promise another spectacular event featuring an amazing golf course, breakfast, fabulous tee gift packages, gourmet food tents on the golf course which showcase the talents of Lakeland area Club Chefs, as well as dinner and awards ceremony after golf. The fee to enter a foursome is \$1,250 – a value for all that you receive. We welcome and encourage all FLCMAA members are welcome to participate and challenge each Gator Region Club to enter a team or participate in this event in some fashion.

Here are five ways you can participate and be a hero by supporting the hard work of All Children's Hospital and Ronald McDonald House:

- 1. Enter a team in the tournament.
- 2. Not a golfer? Volunteer the day of the tournament. Contact Bob Max, Dan Callender, myself, or any of the committee members.
- 3. Secure a sponsorship from a vendor various levels available.
- 4. Secure a Silent or Live Auction Item. Items such as bottles of wine, golf equipment, golf opportunities, autographed sports paraphernalia, dinner at your club, etc.
- 5. Sell Raffle tickets for the 50/50.

*So, what can we count on you for this year?* Please visit www.FLCMA-gatorcharityevents.com for more information - the children and your Region need your support!