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JACKSONVILLE AREA GOLF ASSOCIATION (JAGA)
ELECTS 2019 OFFICERS

-Randy Nader of Sawgrass CC to Lead Organization-

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. - The Jacksonville Area Golf Association (JAGA) elected its 2019 officers today at its opening meeting of the year at San Jose Country Club. **Randy Nader** of Sawgrass Country Club was elected President and will lead the organization, succeeding **Don Gilmore** of the Golf Club of Amelia Island.

The 2019 officers are:

RANDY NADER - President

JAGA director, Sawgrass Country Club... Former owner of Nader's Pest Raiders, a Jacksonville-area pest control firm....Served as JAGA VP/Administration in 2018... Native of Jacksonville...Attended Fletcher High School...Resides in Jacksonville.

JEFF ADAMS - Vice President/Administration

JAGA director, TPC Sawgrass...Retired staff director of the PGA TOUR's Communications Department...Served as JAGA VP/Tournaments, 2017-2018... University of Florida graduate...Resides in Ponte Vedra Beach.

THOMAS BOZZUTO - Vice President/Tournaments

JAGA director, Hyde Park GC...Executive Director of the Jacksonville Beach Golf Association...Chairman of JAGA Match Play Championship since 2016...Graduate of the University of North Florida and Bishop Kenny High School...Resides in Jacksonville.

LARRY STARK - Secretary

JAGA director, Jax Beach Golf Club...Native of Virginia...Retired CSX sales executive...Resides in Jacksonville.

BILLY WALKER - Treasurer

JAGA director, Oak Bridge Club...Native of Montreal, Canada...Graduate of McGill University...Former partner at KMPG...Resides in Ponte Vedra Beach.

Nader was elected president after serving one year as VP/Administration. Adams moves into Nader's role after two years as VP/Tournaments. Stark was re-elected Secretary. Walker is a new officer.



*(Left to right): Don Gilmore, Randy Nader, Jeff Adams, Thomas Bozutto, Larry Stark.
Absent-Billy Walker.*

Appointed to serve in similar capacities again in 2019 were JACK MOREHEAD of NAS JAX (Assistant Treasurer) and ARCH COPELAND of Deercreek Country Club (JAGA Webmaster). JOHN MILTON (Queen's Harbour Yacht & Country Club) will serve in the new role of Assistant VP-Tournaments. Former Executive Secretary BARNEY POSTON (Hidden Hills GC) and past president FRED SEELY (Timuquana CC) have been appointed at-large members of the Executive Committee. KEVIN GLYNN (Northern Chapter/PGA) continues to serve as the Association's Administrative Assistant.

As Immediate Past President, Gilmore remains active on the Executive Committee and will have input on affairs of the Association. He will chair the Nominating Committee.



Outgoing president, Don Gilmore (right), hands gavel to 2019 president, Randy Nader (left).

ABOUT JAGA

Established in 1954, JAGA celebrates its 66th year in 2019. It is a not-for-profit 501 (c) (4) corporation comprised of approximately 40-member golf clubs located in the Northeast Florida area. JAGA's mission is to promote golf and goodwill through tournaments and related events and activities. It conducts 12 tournaments, including six championship events and six others that feature team formats. JAGA manages a scholarship program that currently provides college funding for 25 area students. Since 1974, the program has generated approximately \$1.75 million in financial aid to approximately 350 students.

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