

PARTICIPANTS:

** BAKER, Gordon Badger, Jr.
 HACKMEYER, Ferd W., Jr.
 ** HORAK, Robert Harold
 ** HUMPHREYS, Roy William
 ** LANDREY, Frank Eugene
 ** LANE, Joseph Hilliard
 ** PLOEGER, William Duckwall -- CAPTAIN

** INDICATES LETTERMEN.

COACH: TOMMY PLAXICO

MANAGERS: NONE

RESULTS:

TECH	OPP.	DATE	OPPONENTS	SITE
10½	16½	Mar.19	FLORIDA STATE UNIV.	Tallahassee, Fla.
27	0	Mar.19	SPRINGFIELD COLLEGE	Tallahassee, Fla.
10	17	Mar.20	UNIV. OF FLORIDA	Gainesville, Fla.
11½	15½	Mar.21	ROLLINS COLLEGE	Winter Park, Fla.
19	8	Mar.22	FLORIDA SOUTHERN	Lakeland, Fla.
12½	14½	Mar.30	UNIV. OF FLORIDA	Atlanta
16	11	Mar.30	DUKE UNIV.	Atlanta
12½	14½	Apr. 4	AUBURN UNIV.	Atlanta
18	9	Apr. 6	VANDERBILT UNIV.	Atlanta
11½	15½	Apr.10	AUBURN UNIV.	Auburn, Ala.
15	12	Apr.10	UNIV. OF KENTUCKY	Auburn, Ala.
13½	13½	Apr.21	UNIV. OF TENNESSEE	Knoxville, Tenn.
19½	7½	Apr.24	GEORGIA STATE	Atlanta
5½	20½	Apr.28	UNIV. OF GEORGIA	Athens, Ga.
4TH PLACE		May3-5	S. E. C. TOURNAMENT	Athens, Ga.
7TH PLACE		May3-5	S.I.C. TOURNAMENT	Athens, Ga.
18½	8½	May 11	UNIV. OF TENNESSEE	Atlanta
13½	13½	May 15	UNIV. OF GEORGIA	Atlanta

WON - 7

LOST - 7

TIED - 2

4TH PLACE IN SOUTHEASTERN CONF.

7TH PLACE IN SOUTHERN INTER-
 COLLEGIATE.

GOLF TEAM 1961-62FRESHMANPARTICIPANTS:

BRIGGS, William Michael, Jr.
COURTNEY, Frank Hubbard
EDWARDS, William Van Buren, Jr.
KITE, Larry Lynwood
MacDOWALL, Jack Stewart

INDICATES NUMERALS.

COACH: TOMMY PLAXICO

MANAGERS: NONE

RESULTS:

TECH	OPP.	DATE	OPPONENT	SITE
5½	12½	Mar.19	FLORIDA STATE UNIV.	Tallahassee, Fla.
4½	13½	Mar.20	UNIV. OF FLORIDA	Gainesville, Fla.
XX	XX	Mar.21	ROLLINS COLLEGE	Winter Park, Fla.
14½	3½	Mar.22	FLORIDA SOUTHERN	Lakeland, Fla.
6	12	Mar.30	UNIV. OF FLORIDA	Atlanta
1	17	Apr. 6	GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE	Atlanta
12½	5½	Apr.21	UNIV. OF TENNESSEE	Knoxville, Tenn.
4	14	Apr.28	UNIV. OF GEORGIA	Athens, Ga.
6	12	May 11	UNIV. OF TENNESSEE	Atlanta
16	2	May 15	UNIV. OF GEORGIA	Atlanta

WON - 3

LOST - 6

VARSITY GOLF ROSTER

Name	Age	Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown
**Buddy Baker (Capt.)	21	5-8	155	Sr.	Florence, S. C.
Bill Edwards	19	5-10	171	Soph.	Griffin, Ga.
*Frank Landrey	22	5-8	167	Sr.	Vincennes, Ind.
*Joe Lane	21	5-11	161	Sr.	Bainbridge, Ga.
Jon Martin	22	5-10	184	Jr.	Washington, Ga.
Larry Sears	19	5-8	151	Soph.	Waycross, Ga.
Bill Wooten	19	5-10	155	Soph.	Anniston, Ala.

*Number of Varsity Letters.

FRESHMAN GOLF ROSTER

Name	Age	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown
John Cavin	18	6-4	170	Bethesda, Md.
Ralph Hardeman	19	5-4	140	Ware Shoals, S. C.
Bunky Henry	19	5-10½	181	Valdosta, Ga.
Rich Suttmeier	18	6-2	182	Brightwaters, N. Y.

AVERAGE MEDAL SCORES 1962

Varsity: Bill Ploeger 73.5, Buddy Baker 75.8, Joe Lane 76.8, Robbie Horak 77.7, Roy Humphreys 78.5, Fred Hackmeyer 78.5, Frank Landrey 79.5.

Freshmen: Mike Briggs 78.3, Larry Kite 79.3, Jack MacDowell 80.1, Bill Edwards 80.9.

TOMMY PLAXICO GOLF COACH

Likeable Tommy Plaxico, a former Georgia Tech star of the cinders, has been the Yellow Jackets' golf coach since January of 1956. His Tech teams have won 46 dual matches while losing 42 and being tied 3 times. They are always a contender for the Southeastern Conference title. Plaxico does a good job of instilling his golfers with the same desire to win that he himself demonstrated as an outstanding Tech trackman of the early 1940's.



Coach Plaxico has been on the Georgia Tech campus ever since his undergraduate days. He was a regular on the Tech Track team for three years and was captain of the 1941 squad. After a four-year interlude spent as a Navy fighter pilot in World War II, Plaxico returned to the campus to receive his degree in Industrial Management in 1946. He immediately joined the Tech faculty as a member of the physical training staff, a capacity in which he still serves. Tommy also served as assistant track coach for five years and has been in charge of Georgia Tech's fine intramural program since 1952.

Coach Plaxico was born in York, S. C., on May 17, 1919. He attended Tech High of Atlanta and entered Georgia Tech the fall of 1937. He was married on September 11, 1953, to Frances Perry, of Tifton, Georgia. The Plaxicos have three children: a daughter, Bonnie and sons Perry and Blake. Golf has been Tommy's hobby for many years and he shoots in the seventies—he says.

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GOLF RESULTS 1962

	Tech	Opp.
At Florida State	10½	16½
†Springfield College	27	0
At Florida	10	17
At Rollins	11½	15½
At Florida Southern	19	8
Florida	12½	14½
Duke	16	11
Auburn	12½	14½
Vanderbilt	18	9
At Auburn	11½	15½
†Kentucky	15	12
At Tennessee	13½	13½
Georgia State	19½	7½
At Georgia	5½	21½
At S.E.C. Tournament	Tied Fourth	
At Southern Intercollegiate	Tied Seventh	
Tennessee	18½	8½
Georgia	13½	13½

†Match played at Tallahassee, Fla.

†Matched played at Auburn, Ala.

Record: Won 7, Lost 7, Tied 2 matches. SEC 3-5-2.

GEORGIA TECH'S GOLF RECORD SINCE 1933

(Will appreciate help from anyone who can fill in missing information)

Year	Coach	Captain	Southern Intercollegiate Tournament	S. E. C. Tournament	Team Matches
					W. L. T.
1933	H. E. Dennison	Frank Ridley			11 2 0
1934	H. E. Dennison	Charlie Yates		2nd	9 5 0
1935	H. E. Dennison	Charlie Yates		1st	9 2 0
1936	H. E. Dennison	S. N. Holditch		6th	5 5 1
1937	H. E. Dennison	Tommy Barnes	12th	3rd	8 3 0
1938	H. E. Dennison	Tommy Barnes	6th	3rd	5 4 0
1939	H. E. Dennison	Gene Brooks	5th	3rd	5 4 0
1940	H. E. Dennison	Danny Yates	17th	7th	2 7 0
1941	H. E. Dennison	Danny Yates	10th	5th	6 2 0
1942	H. E. Dennison	Hal Florence	10th	5th	6 2 0
1943	H. E. Dennison	No Schedule		6th	4 6 0
1944	H. E. Dennison	No Schedule		7th	7 3 1
1945	H. E. Dennison	No Schedule		3rd	5 7 0
1946	H. E. Dennison	No Captain			
1947	H. E. Dennison	Ike Scott			
1948	H. E. Dennison	Ashby Taylor			
1949	H. E. Dennison	Albert Swann			
1950	H. E. Dennison	Scott Howell	12th	6th	5 5 1
1951	H. E. Dennison	Scott Howell	6th	3rd	8 3 0
1952	H. E. Dennison	Tommy Bachman	5th	3rd	5 4 0
1953	H. E. Dennison	Charlie Harrison	17th	7th	2 7 0
1954	H. E. Dennison	Lynwood Johnson	10th	5th	6 2 0
1955	H. E. Dennison	John Maddox	11th	6th	4 6 0
1956	Tommy Plaxico	Ned Edge	7th	3rd	7 3 1
1957	Tommy Plaxico	Geo. Johnson	7th	3rd	5 7 0
1958	Tommy Plaxico	Morris Copeland & Bland Johnson	11th	5th	8 7 0
1959	Tommy Plaxico	Jimmy Cleveland	7th	4th	2 8 0
1960	Tommy Plaxico	Jimmy Cleveland	7th	4th	9 4 0
1961	Tommy Plaxico	Lefty Ewing	10th	5th	8 6 0
1962	Tommy Plaxico	Bill Ploeger	7th	4th	7 7 2

MISCELLANEOUS GOLF INFORMATION

The incomparable Bobby Jones, who graduated from Georgia Tech in 1922 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering, is without doubt the most famous Yellow Jacket golfer. While he was a student at Georgia Tech, Bobby Jones gained many of his honors in golf. Some of the best known included: 1919 runner-up to David Herron for the U. S. National Amateur title; 1920—won the Southern Amateur championship and was medalist at the National Amateur tournament; 1922—won the Southern Amateur title and tied for second in the National Amateur tournament. Of course, Bobby Jones went on to become the most famous golfer in history after he graduated from Georgia Tech.

Georgia Tech won the Southeastern Conference team championship in 1949.

Georgia Tech's National Intercollegiate champions were: 1927, Watts Gunn; 1934, Charlie Yates.

Georgia Tech's Southern Intercollegiate champion; 1938, Tommy Barnes.

*Georgia Tech's Southern Intercollegiate medalists: 1935, Charlie Yates; 1948, Albert Swann.

Georgia Tech's Southeastern Conference champion; 1948, Albert Swann.

Georgia Tech's Southeastern Conference medalist: 1948, Albert Swann.

*Charlie Yates set (and still holds) match play qualifying record for the Southern Intercollegiate tournament with his 8 under par 71-67—138 in 1935.

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