## JAGA KID-AM AT BRENTWOOD / APRIL 22ND



Moore-Myers and First Tee kids with program leaders Duke Butler III, Dr. Justine Redding and Monte Duncan.

The Jacksonville Area Golf Association (JAGA) had its monthly meeting at Brentwood GC yesterday. It was a unique meeting for JAGA....the first of its kind, we believe.

Brentwood Golf Course joined JAGA as a member club in January. Moore-Myers Children's Fund, which is based there, became a member organization of JAGA at the same time, joining the First Tee of North Florida in a similar capacity. The impetus for getting both involved with JAGA was Duke Butler III, a JAGA director who represents TPC Sawgrass and is a Lifetime member of the PGA of America. Duke is very active at Brentwood, spending many of his Saturdays there as a mentor and coach to the Moore-Myers and First Tee kids who are on property most weekends.

Duke pitched the idea of JAGA having one of its monthly directors' meetings at Brentwood in which we would conduct our business meeting, have a brief program with speakers, followed by golf with JAGA directors playing with one M-M/FT kid in a nine-hole event. The day concluded with ice cream and awards. It was a wonderful day and one in which all four groups (JAGA, Brentwood, M-M, FT) benefited greatly. We all learned a lot about one another, developed relationships, promoted golf in a very positive way, and got a great deal of enjoyment and reward out of the afternoon.

The top three finishers in the "JAGA Kid-Am at Brentwood" were (kids listed first):

1<sup>st</sup> – Josiah Foster, Cary Helton, Nathan Powell, Arch Copeland (26)
2<sup>nd</sup> – Andrew Davis, Larry Stark, Chas Trinder, Terry Allen (27)
3<sup>rd</sup> – Olivia Lyle, Justine Redding, Skip Lunsford, Michael McKenny (28)

A happy Josiah Foster celebrates his team's win in the JAGA Kid-Am.





(left to right): The following people spoke at the pre-golf event program... Jeff Adams, Dominic Clayton, Dr. Justine Redding, Monte Duncan, Mike Charrie, Miniya McNair, Olivia Lyle, Ron Castillo

The kids on the three winning teams received \$75 gift cards to shop at Edwin Watts. JAGA