



THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY
Sarasota-Manatee Alumni Club

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Dear Buckeye Booster,

The Ohio State University Sarasota-Manatee Alumni Club is currently planning its Tenth Annual Golf Outing. The event is scheduled for April 28, 2012 and will be held on the beautiful Cypress Links Golf Course at the Lakewood Ranch Golf and Country Club. All proceeds from this event, after expenses, will go to the Club's Scholarship Fund. Because of the enthusiasm of many Buckeyes like you, this outing has experienced continued growth over the past several years generating over \$36,000 for scholarships. It's a great day for Buckeyes to get together, enjoy golf and have fun. There will be a change in the format for 2012. Golf will begin at 1:00 rather than in the morning. It will be followed by heavy hors d'oeuvres including salad, wings, quesadillas, sliders and shrimp. Food and drinks will be held at the beautiful Lake Club, followed by an awards raffle and a guest speaker. Last year's speaker was Chico Nelson, strong safety for the Buckeyes from 1990-93. The golf committee will announce the 2012 guest speaker in the near future.

This year's event will have a similar format to previous years, but we are adding some new features that should be exciting to our Buckeye supporters. There will be new sponsorship opportunities, and a helicopter drop is planned for the day. Some lucky person(s) will have a chance to win \$1000. Chances for the "helicopter drop" will be sold throughout the game watch season and during the golf outing at \$10 per chance, three chances for \$25, or 15 for \$100.

An attachment has been included with this letter that explains the new format. We are also including four business cards that can be shared with fellow Buckeyes and friends. Be sure to mark your calendars, form your teams, and join us on April 28, at Lakewood Ranch Golf and Country Club.

Go Buckeyes!

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