



The Biltmore was designed by Leonard Schultze, architect behind Grand Central Terminal in New York City. There are approximately 2,500 National Historic Landmarks across America, 45 of which are in Florida. The Biltmore Hotel is the only *resort* in Florida to earn the prestigious designation.



Tiger Woods receives the championship trophy in 1991.



Rickie Fowler receives his Daily Medalist Prize in 2005.



Sergio Garcia receives his Daily Medalist Prize in 1998.

What El Nino, Tiger, Steek, and Ollie Have In Common

All have competed for the Junior Orange Bowl Championship title at The Biltmore.

CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA: The Junior Orange Bowl Championship, hosted by The Biltmore Hotel, has been a launching pad for many of PGA TOUR’s best players since the Beatles released their first album back in 1964.

Sergio Garcia (El Nino), Tiger Woods (Tiger), Rickie Fowler (Steek), and José María Olazábal (Ollie) have played in the tournament and used the experience as a steppingstone toward turning professional.

“The tournament was an eye-opener for me,” recalled Sergio Garcia, 2017 Masters champion. “I was a kid from Spain playing an incredible junior event in Miami back in 1998. I have great memories of the golf course and The Biltmore Hotel. The course was fun to play and I still remember Al Capone’s suite!”

RICKIE FOWLER ON THE HUMAN SPIRIT: “Everyone out here is human, we all understand the struggles as far as good golf and bad golf and the ups and downs of the game. That’s just part of the process if you’re working on new stuff or just having a bad day.”

SERGIO GARCIA ON COMPETITION: “I’ve always felt I should do things 100 percent or not do them. It’s all or nothing. That’s what makes me a good athlete — doing things with all the ‘ganas’ I can.”

JOSE MARÍA OLAZÁBAL ON LIFE: “All men die, but not all men live.”

TIGER WOODS ON HIS YOUTH: “As a kid, I might have been psycho, I guess, but I used to throw golf balls in the trees and try to somehow make par from them. I thought it was fun.”



“WHEN YOU COMPARE Donald Ross’s original 1925 blueprint and handwritten notes, it’s easy to see our course’s footprint is almost identical to his design from 90-plus years ago. With few exceptions, we are a pure Donald Ross course with the look, feel, and design he intended. The majority of holes feature slightly elevated turtleback greens that have falloffs into grass collection areas. Most bunkers are shaped with scalloped edges, creating a distinctive look.” — BOB COMAN, DIRECTOR, GOLF OPERATIONS

The Biltmore Hotel is located seven miles from Miami International Airport and within walking distance to the shops lining Miracle Mile. Amenities include a Donald Ross golf course, 275 lux rooms, and 75,000 square feet of meeting space. Its grand pool—one-half mile long, 22,000 square feet, and 600,000 gallons of water—is one of the largest hotel pools in the continental United States.

The list of celebrities who have vacationed at The Biltmore ranges from Bing Crosby to the notorious gangster Al Capone.

“The Biltmore has a long history of competitive golf.

The Miami Biltmore Coral Gables Open, hosted on our course, had the richest purse in golf in 1931 with Gene Sarazen, Bobby Jones, and Tommy Armour in the field,” said Bob Coman, director of golf operations. “We have hosted the Junior Orange Bowl Championship for more than a half century and are the current home course for the University of Miami women’s golf team.” ■

For information on The Biltmore Hotel’s membership offerings and fall golf packages, visit BiltmoreHotel.com, or please phone (855) 311-6903.

