

Greens Committee Minutes

September 10, 2007

Attendees:

Matt Owens, Dir. Golf Maintenance
Ron Dubas, STMGA
Brian Blaine STMA
Rich Chamberlain STMA

Eddie Pratt, Dir. of Golf
Sandy Reynolds, STLGA
Lee Sutton Couples

The meeting was called to order at 2:40 PM.

Matt Owens

Golf Maintenance Update:

All Courses:

- Summer is OVER!!!!
- All greens aerified week of Labor Day
- Finished with aerification of all Bermuda tees, fairways, and rough
- *Poa Annua* pre-emergent applied to tee's and fairways
- Drought conditions/water restrictions remain a persistent issue

Jones:

- Tee and Fairway markers edged
- Cleaning pond banks
- Spreading pine straw that has been harvested from Byrd course

Byrd:

- Slit-seeded greens 3, 5, 8, 14, 16 on aerification day
- Beginning irrigation head survey
- Harvesting pine straw for use throughout the property

Maples:

- Edged irrigation heads
- Spreading pine straw that has been harvested from Byrd course

Upcoming:

- Regular top dressing and rolling of all greens
- Overseed scheduled for October--4th (Byrd), 9th (Jones), and 10th (Maples)
- Edge all bunkers and waste areas
- Maples tree pruning

Golf Shop Updates: Eddie Pratt**SEA TRAIL GOLF RESORT UPCOMING EVENTS
September 2007 thru December 2007**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>COURSE(S)</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
SEPT 10 (Mon.)	JONES	STLGA CHAMPIONSHIP (7:53 am – 9:18 am DT / 80 PL)
SEPT 10 (Mon.)	JONES	S T LADY NINERS CHAMP. (12:53 pm START BACK NINE / 28 PL)
SEPT 12 (Wed.)	BYRD	STLGA CHAMPIONSHIP (7:53 am – 9:18 am DT / 80 PL)
SEPT 13 (Thurs.)	MAPLES	S T LADY NINERS CHAMP. (8:15 am START BACK NINE / 28 PL)
SEPT 14 (Fri.)	BYRD	NC MFTD. HOUSING (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 100+ PL)
SEPT 15 (Sat.)	JONES	NC MFTD. HOUSING (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 100+ PL)
SEPT 17-19 (Mon.–Wed.)	JONES / BYRD	US / CANADA FIREFIGHTERS (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 100+ PL / COURSE)
SEPT 18-19 (Tues.–Wed.)	MAPLES	NCSWGA (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 120 PL)
SEPT 20 (Thurs.)	MAPLES	RICE MILL OPEN (8:40 am – 9:37 am DT / 56 PL)
SEPT 20 (Thurs.)	JONES / BYRD	SEA TRAIL COLLEGE INV. (Practice) (12:24 pm – 2:37 pm DT / 200+ PL)
SEPT 21-23 (Fri.-Sun.)	JONES	SEA TRAIL COLLEGE INV. (MEN) (8:00 am SHOTGUN / 100+ PL)
SEPT 21-23 (Fri.-Sun.)	BYRD	SEA TRAIL COLLEGE INV. (WOMEN) (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 90+ PL)
SEPT 25 (Tues.)	MAPLES	MATHEWS COUPLES (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 100+ PL)
SEPT 29 (Sat.)	JONES	GAULT OUTING (7:30 am – 9:38 am DT / 136 PL)
SEPT 30 (Sun.)	MAPLES	SADIE HAWKINS (12:00 pm SHOTGUN / 90+ PL)
OCT 2 (Tues.)	J / M / B	BOILERMAKERS (12:15 pm SHOTGUN / 100+ PL / COURSE)
OCT 3 (Wed.)	BYRD	NCAEC Mgmt. (12:00 pm SHOTGUN / 100+ PL)
OCT 4 (Thurs.)	BYRD	OVERSEEDING (COURSE CLOSED AFTER 9:30 am)
OCT 8 (Mon.)	JONES	SEA TRAIL STAFF / MEMBER (12:30 pm SHOTGUN / 60+ PL)
OCT 9 (Tues.)	MAPLES	OVERSEEDING (COURSE CLOSED AFTER 9:30 am)
OCT 10 (Wed.)	JONES	OVERSEEDING (COURSE CLOSED AFTER 9:30 am)
OCT 31 (Wed.)	BYRD	STLGA HALLOWEEN TOURN. (9:00 am SHOTGUN / 120+ PL)
NOV 5 (Mon.)	BYRD	NAT'L LAW ENFORCEMENT (9:00 am SHOTGUN / 120+ PL)
NOV 10-11 (Sat.-Sun.)	BYRD	BRUNSWICK TOURN. OF CHAMPS (12:00 pm – 12:18 pm DT / 24 PL)
NOV 12 (Mon.)	MAPLES	VFW (8:30 am SHOTGUN / 144 PL)
DEC 1 (Sat.)	MAPLES	LIVE OAKS OPEN (9:00 am SHOTGUN / 90+ PL)
DEC 4 (Tues.)	JONES	STMGA BCFAA CHARITY (9:00 am SHOTGUN / 100+ PL)

Old Business:

Out of bounds markers 3rd hole on the Byrd course

Response: Markers are still going to be placed along the silt fence.

New Business:

Drainage ditch left of fairway on the 13th hole Maples Course.

Response: The area of concern on the left side of the ruff will be looked at to see what corrective measures can be taken to make it safer.

Open Discussion:

Sandy Reynolds thanked Matt for correcting the Red Tee area on Byrd 2

Eddie identified the drop area on Jones 8 with markers for the STLGA Club Championship. This should allow for Sea Trail Lady golfers in the future knowing where to take a drop.

Suggestion was made to look into the elimination of the cart path along the green on Maples 7. This could allow for a greener and more playable area.

Following the over seeding of the courses the cart path only rule will be in place for about 3 weeks depending on the weather conditions. Also if we continue in this drought condition the over seeding could be delayed.

Next meeting October 15, 2007, 2:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Ron Dubas