

# Greens Committee Minutes

December 3, 2007

## **Attendees:**

Ron Dubas, STMGA  
Brian Blaine STMA  
Lee Sutton Couples

Mark Benton, Golf Maintenance  
Sandy Reynolds, STLGA  
Rich Chamberlain STMA

Eddie Pratt, Dir. of Golf  
Carol Gartner, Lady Niners

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 PM.

## **Golf Maintenance Update:**

### **All Courses:**

- Winter annuals installed
- Overseed is established and ready to be mowed-will fertilize with starter fertilizer after first mowing
- Drought conditions persist but high water usage period is passed so we are in the clear for the winter

### **Jones:**

- Bunkers edged
- Cleaned up hazard area along #12
- Cut saplings/suckers from trees behind 3 and 15 greens
- Began edging beds

### **Byrd:**

- Bunkers edged
- Continuing with irrigation head survey
- Harvesting pine straw for use throughout the property
- Applied straw to area between 14 and 15

### **Maples:**

- Laid sod on some tee's and high traffic areas
- Continuing to spread pine straw
- Trimmed hedges around practice green

### **Upcoming:**

- Continued top dressing and rolling of all greens
- Tree pruning

### **Golf Shop Updates: Eddie Pratt**

- The 2008 schedules for league play have been established.
- The member dues letter is set to be mailed during the week of Decemeber 10<sup>th</sup>.
- Reduced rates for outside play with three cans of food for charity will be available during the off season.

### **Old Business:**

- Temporary Cart Paths 3<sup>rd</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> holes Byrd  
Response: Permanent paths will be in place prior to spring
- Out of bounds stakes 5<sup>th</sup> hole Maples  
Response: Additional OB Marker will be place to the right side
- Red stakes 14<sup>th</sup> hole Maples  
Response: Red stakes have been placed on the left side

### **New Business:**

- Ponds on Jones holes 6 and 8  
Response: Corrective measures have been taken to deal with the issue
- Could the nines be reversed on the Byrd Course to allow better access to the washrooms and snack bar  
With double tee in play most of the time really not an issue

### **Open Discussion:**

Next meeting January 14, 2008, 2:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Ron Dubas