## **Greens Committee Meeting**

July 16, 2014, 6:30pm in Break room of Maintenance Building

## Attendees:

Sue Kahler, Max Tucker, Ken Stevens, Steve Solsky, Rick Funaro, Carl Jahn, Mike Farina, Bob Miskanin

Sue went over the "fire Pit" project. She noted that a member has run a new gas line from the club house to the fire pit. It is not hooked up in the club house at this time, but is in progress. A stone wall/seating area will be built between the gazebo and the patio/fire pit area. Then the area will be finial graded and landscape fabric and pea stone will be install with metal edging to prevent the stone from spilling out onto the grass. As I write this, the above work is being completed. Next the fire pit will be installed. The fire pit has not been purchased at this time because the cost is higher than estimated. Additional monies are in process of being raised.

Steve and crew have done some work on the 1<sup>st</sup> green. They have lowered the collar area in the back right corner to allow drainage of the low spot on the green. This will allow better growth on the green. He would like to see the same type of work done on the right front of the 9<sup>th</sup> green on project day.

The raffle for green covers was discussed. Rick F noted that there was an issue with printing the tickets that held up the raffle. After some discussion, it was suggested that the raffle be postponed until spring. Mostly because it is getting late in the season and there are other money raising efforts in process (ie., requesting donations for the fire pit). It was also suggested that having a 50/50 drawing at the men's year end event and at the cross country event, we could raise enough money for 1 cover for this winter. All present were in favor of this idea.

A member has donated some divot mix containers that will hook directly on your golf bag (this works very well for walkers). They have been installed on a rack between the office and the pro-shop, directly below the bulletin board. I have included this info in the Fox. Please use them and ask your playing partners to do the same.

Max T brought 2 issues to the group:

- All inquiries and requests for work, to be performed by her and/or Mary F,
  be submitted through the greens committee.
- All donations for memorial plaques and/or benches should be submitted via the BoD and/or Greens Committee. This would insure a consistent appearance of the golf course.

Both of these concerns have been presented to the BoD and they have agreed with this process. The BoD has suggested that a standard be developed, in writing, for the memorials.

It was suggested that Bob M check on the use of a donated "cherry picker" for trimming the bushes behind the 9<sup>th</sup> tee. I have talked to the member and have been informed that the option is no longer available but other options are being pursued.

The next meeting will be scheduled in the near future.

Thank you

**Bob Miskanin**