

GOLF COURSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

March 11, 2009 MINUTES

ATTENDEES: Allan Morrison, Roger Snodgrass, Suzanne Gebhards, Hank McCauley, Eric McCormick, Bob Giles, Tim Swanson, and JJ Johnson.

SUPERINTENDANT'S REPORT: Eric McCormick

- Eric headed to Seattle this Friday. Has been to Boise and Spokane for the Golf Expos.
- Will start blowing greens April 1st.
- Has looked into green heaters. Cost is too high to feasibly consider.

PROFESSIONAL'S REPORT: Allan Morrison

- Restaurant will close Sunday March 15th and reopen May 1st to allow for deep cleaning and vacation time for the crew.
- The course has booked several events for the summer:
 - Three weddings, each over 150 people.
 - Several corporate events with 20 or more people.
- Allan will develop a policy for pre-booked group tee time cancellations to be discussed next month.
- Still waiting to hear about hosting tournaments from Meadow Creek.
- Shepherds' Home tournament is tentatively scheduled for August 7th.
- Junior clinic is scheduled for June 8-10, 3:30 -5:30.
- Four lifetime memberships available. Motion was made and passed to sell the four lifetime memberships to raise money for capital improvements. The process by which they will be sold will be determined next month. The project(s) to be funded by lifetime membership funds will be decided by this advisory committee.

GENERAL DISCUSSION: Elections of officers.

- Elections held, motioned made and passed to re-elect Bob Giles as Chairmen and Suzanne Gebhards as Vice Chairperson.
- City Council meeting appreciated Bob's written report. Discussed financial woes due to economic situation. Briefly discussed our game plan in light of current national recession. We plan to continue to make requests of LOT funds. Made them aware we still have a year or so left on the irrigation bond. Council was very supportive, although it was expressed by the Council that we may not be receiving as much LOT money in the future.
- Next months meeting will be April 8th, review future fee schedule and golf activities.