

April Newsletter - 2015

Golfing friends,

- Spring might be here but, I am still wary of Mother Nature. She has been mean lately! We held our April meeting and there is little to report.

The Course

- Fred said there is a little damage to a few greens but golfers said they haven't noticed it so it can't be like last year...at least I hope not.
- They are rolling the greens and mowed them with plugging coming in a week or two depending on weather.
- The irrigation will be tested next week.
- Jeff reported we are expecting delivery of a new fairway mower as our 1996 second hand John Deere has about had it.
- Kevin McCutcheon has donated 8 Willow Hybrid fast growing trees to replace Poplars that died on #15 on right side. Thanks a bunch.

Financials

- Karen reported taxes are due and the chemical bill will be paid in monthly payments as it is always a lot.
- Just so you know, we have around 130,000 sq.ft. of greens to take care of.
- Dues are ahead of last year at this time so it looks as though people like RV enough to join. Everyone has to appreciate this as it is the way to the future.

First Tee

- Jamie Smith will be helping with First Tee at RV again this year getting youngsters involved in our great game (some say madness).
- She really puts a lot of time and energy into this program and is running a marathon for First Tee.
- So if you see kids up here in a group give them a smile and make them feel welcome. They are our future!

That is about it. Come out and enjoy the golf and the really, best part for me, the people at RV. Everyone likes what they find here so you all are doing a great job.

Sincerely,

Michael Schwarz
President