

NEWSLETTER

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May is almost gone and it has been tough on our equipment. Most of May our mowing equipment would break or go down for one thing or another. At one time we had no operational mowers. We did repurchase the 7-rail mower back from West Point cheaper than we sold it. The good news all is good now. The pump house was fixed by Bill Jenkins, so it worked until a pressure hose leaked shutting it down. It finally was fixed today so we can get water flowing back on the course. I believe this is the first May in a long while where weather was not the biggest factor. It was great that everything came together on 19 May.

With that Gene, Rock, Jarrod put in some long hours to get the course ready for GO 1st tournament the 2-man on 22-23 May 21. They could not have done it without the help of our members and Andy Gilly who hopped on the tractor and finished mowing 14 through 18. Thank you to all the hours put in to making the course ready and looking the best it has in years. Most of the members have by now have played the course and seen the improvement in the greens. Gene is now ready for phase two of his efforts on the improvement of our course. His next steps will include working the fairways and greens.

The tournament was the biggest we have had in a couple years 31 teams signed up for the event. It was a big event for us, and all enjoyed the event. Our next Tournament will be 5-6 June 3- person, Bobby Parker Memorial Scramble \$300 per team. Let get in and sign up for it. Also, 31 May GO is sponsoring an 18-hole draw scramble starting at 1:30 pm come on out and enjoy the holiday with us.

We had the annual membership meeting on 6 Apr 21, only 12 members showed, it was disappointing in that it was such a poor showing. It is sad because I get so many suggestion or comments on how things should be done or what GO needs to do, and our members will not show for our annual meeting. Here is a brief run down: 1. We elected Roger Hinshaw & Gene Davenport to the board again (all board officers stayed the same). 2. Gene Holcomb gave an in-depth briefing of his plans and how he was going about them. A motion was made to do away with the sand traps. We have 51 members and 28 voted to keep, 5 to remove, & 18 did not vote. With the majority voting to keep them they will remain.

There is Steak Night every 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month (which is the 3rd & 17th of Jun). Come on out and cook a steak and join the great companionship on those nights. With weather getting warmer and days longer GO 9-hole (Blind Pick) scramble will be on Wed at 4:45 pick teams and 5pm tee-off and Sunday afternoon SCRAMBLE is CANCELLED for the summer. Come on out and join the fun.

Please spread the word GO is working hard on improvements and the course is in great shape and there is lots of fun to be had at Green Oaks Golf Course. Well, that is about it here on GO. Let us enjoy the coming warm weather and play golf.

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