## **Greeting Members**

Fall is in the air, college football season is about half over. The weather is beautiful and a great time to be outdoors especially playing golf. Hope everyone has been able to enjoy this golfing weather.

Green Oaks financial situation is still good, making money and we are able to put some back in savings for the winter and this coming spring. If we can having another mild winter like last year we will enter 2018 in outstanding shape to start the new year and golfing season on the right foot.

Now that the tournament season is over for this year, this brings up the need for a new tournament committee for the upcoming year. Bobby has said this was his last year heading up the tournament committee. We need several people on the committee, from people to take up money before tournaments, people to help set up dining room and clean dining room and kitchen before and after tournaments. We also people to help with flighting and the scoreboard. If you are interested in helping on the tournament committee please contact the Pro Shop.

This needs to happen before the first of year because most clubs in the area set their tournament schedule for the upcoming year and we need to have a committee set up and in place. So please think about and volunteer to help the tournament committee and your Club.

The last tournament of the year was Oct.7 & 8 a 1-person scramble. The winner in the championship flight was Kevin Cox, second place was Larry Mackin and third place went to JD Hatfield(and yes this gentleman is related to the Hatfield's as in Hatfield and McCoy's feud). In First flight Dana Studdard won first place, in a tie for second was Dennis Cox and Mike Spalding and in fourth place was Roger Hinshaw and fifth place was David Barger. We had a total of 20 people play and wish it would have been more but all in all not too bad a way to end the year. Looking forward to next year's tournaments.

Talked to Zack Holloway from U S Lawns about the green's #s 2, 4 & 5 and he told me he is looking into getting some grass and reworking these greens come spring time. The greens on the front side are 3 to 5 years older than the greens on the back side.

We as members have done better but please Please park at least 30 to 40 feet from the Greens and walk a little.

Again like the saying goes shop at home first. For your golfing needs please shop the Pro Shop. If Bobby doesn't have what you need he can and will be glad to order it for you. Looking forward to seeing you at the course.

Mike Spalding

President Board of Directors