

GOLF COMMITTEE

Frye Island Golf Course

Minutes of Meeting of May 24, 2015 – 10:30 AM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mike Hurley, John Kett, Vic Solimini, Bob Thurston, Ken Hanchett, Jim Hirsch, Todd Kiegwin, and Mark Thomas

OTHERS PRESENT: Jim Hodge

Equipment vs. Paving

Dana would prefer not to pave the first hole cart path in favor of buying equipment that's needed. Dana will give us a list of what's needed and what the priorities are. His immediate requirements are for a new Utility Vehicle and a Greens Mower.

Mark will have Dana & Jim Hodge look into the equipment issues and report back on the best way to proceed.

There was a discussion about how quickly funds could be made available from the Reserve Funds. Mark felt a quick approval could be available if we had an emergency situation the required an immediate answer.

A short discussion took place regarding where we stand on the water pump and what we are doing about providing a replacement. Mark is in touch with a company he feels could provide us with an "off the shelf" answer.

Golf Cart storage was discussed. Dana wants to secure the rental carts at night to prevent damage and theft of carts and things like batteries. Ideas were a covered "lean to" that could also be used for serving dinners and a fenced off area between the first tee and the club house. The "anonymous donor" mentioned in previous minutes was mentioned as a potential methods of funding these projects

Bob & Kenny to research creating the area next to the club house with a rock perimeter and a chain link gate and "Lean To" for winter storage and to service dinners.

Todd to get artwork to Mike for Real Estate agents flyers.

Mike to approach his web designers regarding reworking the course web site after we solicit help through the FINS for a person to potentially volunteer their services for this project.

A suggestion was made to put sand units on all rental golf carts. Jim Hodge to look into the expense involved in this project.

A motion was made to get rid of the water containers on the 4th and 7th holes to reduce work associated with maintaining them and making sure they are sanitary. In conjunction with this the course would make a free bottle of water available to anyone with greens fee payment. Motion was made by Vic and seconded by John Kett.

It was suggested that seats in the railings on the back porch need to be repaired and we should not include any seats in future railings.

John Kett, Mike Hurley and Mark Thomas are to meet with the new Cafe manager of the Café to look into ways to mutually improve each other's business.

Todd suggested approaching local paper companies regarding harvesting tress on the course and thinning out the woods.