

June 2016 Newsletter

Greetings and welcome to summer!

It's been awhile since my last newsletter so I thought I take a minute to update you on a few things, ask for your assistance on a few others and make you aware of a special event.

<u>Junior Golf</u> - We are just starting week 2 of our 3rd year of TCC Junior Golf. Once again the interest and talent among in our community is amazing. I think our total number is right at 57 this year which is good news for the future of our club and the Tiger golf program. In week one we had our first 4 kids complete all three levels of the program with many more right on track to do so.

<u>Pond/Dirt Update</u> - The pond is much better/cleaner than years past but the subsurface vegetation is still an issue in some spots. We'll keep battling. As for the dirt pile on #4, it has been worked twice and each time after peeling off the top we've found it too soft and wet to finish the rough grade. Hopefully in the next month that can be completed and the area seeded. We are holding off on the rock for right now. The edges are much firmer than the past and we are able to mow very close to the bank resulting in a much cleaner look and less maintenance. If that continues we'll leave it as is.

New Fences - As most of you have seen the new fences on #4 & 5 have been installed thanks to contributions from Men's and Women's golf. I've heard complaints that they are too small. My hope is to plant an evergreen(s) on #4 to extend the protection. From the tees most of the greens are covered. When the course is busy please pull up to the fences and walk back to the green.

<u>Ball Marks</u> - I posted on the Facebook page about this issue and want to make sure it reaches everyone. Two days after the post I counted 17 ball marks on #7 green alone. Please help try and find and fix the marks on the greens even if you are not the one who

created them. I promise the golf gods will reward you. Next course of action will be to eliminate greens irrigation so balls are impossible to make. (I'm kidding)

<u>Cart Rentals</u> - We are coming up on some of our bigger events this year and I will once again forfeit my opportunity to profit on cart rentals if you are willing to lend yours out of tournament use. The Tipton Open and Rochau are the main events. Please let me know if you are willing to do so and I'll add you to my list. My best guess is this method of fundraising was responsible for nearly \$1500+ last year.

<u>Tipton Open</u> - The field is filling fast, please contact me if you are interested in a tee time or volunteering to help put the tournament on. This is a special event heading into its 45th year, made possible by all your help.

New Clubhouse Fund - We are still hard at work adding to the NCF. Already this year we are pushing \$2,000 with a 13 month total, by the time you read this of \$7,000. Thank you for your support. By the way....I'm still looking for that first founding member!

Summer Bash '16!!! - News of this is out but here's the official announcement. Saturday July 30th we will be hosting a Million Dollar Hole in One Shootout followed by a band/dance on the 1st tee! Another of my big ideas to raise funds and well as give us a reason to get together and show all our new members and community what a great place the TCC can be. To have a shot at the Million you will need to play a qualifying 9 hole round from 8-4 Saturday. The cost is \$25 per person. The round will be filled with lots of prizes and games with the 5 closest shots to the pin on #2 for the day getting a chance for a swing at the Million on #9 at 7pm Saturday night just before the start of the concert. Contact me to sign up for a tee time or jot your name on the tee sheet in the clubhouse starting tomorrow. All participants must be registered by July 23rd. Please come out and have some fun and take your shot at financial freedom!

As always feel free to contact me with anything in this newsletter or club related anytime!

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