

WILLOWBROOK/WILLOWCREEK GREENS COMMITTEE AGENDA
April 7, 2022 @7:00 am, Riverview Meeting Room

CALL TO ORDER

CORRECTIONS/ADDITIONS/MOTION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES from March 3 Meeting

REPORTS/COMMENTS

1. BRIAN DUTHU - RCSC DIRECTOR OF GOLF
2. CHUCK MANNING - WB/WC SUPERINTENDENT
3. GLORIA STUMP - WB/WC HEAD STARTER
4. - WB/WC RANGER
5. CRISTI DORSCH - WC 18 HOLE WOMEN'S GOLF ASSN
6. LOUISE SARTORIO - WC 9 HOLE PRESIDENT
7. POLLY FISCHETTE - WC MEN'S CLUB MONITER
8. BARNEY ALANIS - WC MEN'S CLUB
9. HARRY EMERSON - WC MEN'S CLUB
10. MIKE CONRAD - WC MEN'S CLUB
11. - WB MEN'S CLUB
12. HARRIETT KELLER - WC 9 HOLE BEAUTIFICATION
13. MARY ANN RISPOLI - WB 18 LADIES/HOLE BEAUTIFICATION
14. LAURA HORVATICH - WC 18 HOLE BEAUTIFICATION

OLD BUSINESS

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NEW BUSINESS

- Points/issues from Golf Advisory Committee March meeting
- Issues for upcoming Golf Advisory Committee ?
- May last meeting? October Resume?
- Input for WB/WC Water reduction program

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Director of Golf Report

April 2022

Pro Shops

Green Fee/Cart Fee exceeded budget in March by 28.6%, driven in part by the lack of rain days. The only major category to not exceed budget was Merchandise, which was impacted by the lack of our normally scheduled demo day. Overall total revenue exceeded budget by 27.9%.

Saturday golf clinics reintroduced in March proved to be popular. For the month over 500 students attended the clinics. Free golf clinics will be offered again in November. Through March we have had 52 students participate in our Get Golf Ready program.

Our upcoming night golf event is a sellout, though we will accept names for a stand-by list in the event of cancellations. Check-in will begin at 5:30 p.m., dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m., and play will begin shortly after 7:00 p.m. Applicable green fees will be paid on the day of play.

Snack Shops

Snack shop exceeded budget by 14.3% for the month of March. Beginning April 1st snack shops are scheduled to close at 3:00 p.m., however they will continue to close at 5:00 until business no longer supports it.

Golf Courses

Beginning in April spring fertilizer applications will begin throughout our courses. We no longer utilize an outside contractor for this application, however you may notice increased activity in the early mornings. This application provides food to the bermuda grass as it continues to emerge from dormancy.

GREEN COMMITTEE OF WILLOW BROOK/CREEK GOLF COURSE

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT April 7, 2022 CHUCK MANNING

COURSE CONDITION:

April is the month we verticut our fwys and apply our summer fertilizer. We will be verticutting Creek fwys April 25 and 26 and Brook fwys April 28 and 29. With the warmer temperatures, we have been increasing the water to the roughs and perimeters, but the nighttime temperatures are still a little low for good growth of the Bermuda grass. Please fill your divots and fix your ball marks on the greens

BROOK

Greens: HOC .190 / Soil temperature 55^o
Stimp Reading 8.25'
Fairways: HOC .600"
Tees, Collars, and approaches: HOC .600"
Green banks/ Street Fronts: HOC 1.5"
Rough: HOC 1.5"

CREEK

Greens: HOC .125 / Soil temperature 50^o
Stimp Reading 9.5'
Fairways: HOC .600"
Tees, Collars, and approaches: HOC .600"
Green banks/ Street Fronts: HOC 1.5"
Rough: HOC 1.5"

PROJECTS IN PROGRESS:

1. Complete fertilizer program
2. Completed pesticide/Herbicide applications
3. Divots
4. Top dressed greens
5. Vac pro shop
6. Repair high and low plugs
7. Rake deserts

PROJECTS COMPLETED

1. Top dress greens
2. Trimmed deserts
3. Leveling and adding sand to bunkers
4. Trimmed olive trees
5. Trimmed drinking fountain bushes
6. Trimmed transformer bushes

STAFF:

Willow Brook Creek is short 2 staff members.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call me. Cell: 623-332-6155 Office: (623) 248-4781 Email: cmanning@suncityaz.org

