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GOLF COMMITTEE

December 9, 2014

Olde Barnstable Golf Course

Meeting called to order at: 5:31PM

Minutes: Approved

Roll Call :	DAVID MILLER	Present
	RICHARD ALIBERTI	Absent
	GEOFFREY CONVERSE	Present
	MARY CREIGHTON	Absent
	EDIN NACAR	Absent
	EDWARD HICKEY	Present
	BRIAN CONWAY	Present

ALSO PRESENT: BRUCE MCINTYRE
CHRIS WHITE
MERRY HOLWAY
ROMAN GREER

- Chair Miller reads statement in accordance with MGL Ch. 30.A.S.20 regarding public taping at meetings- No one responds as taping this meeting

Public Comments : NA

Act on Minutes from the November meeting : Bruce – Please add hole 10 on page 3 after cart path for the bunker to be filled in.

Motion duly made by Geoff Converse to approve the minutes of the November 18th 2014 meeting with change requested. Seconded by Edward Hickey Vote: so voted unanimously

Chair Miller asked the board if they have received and read the copy of the Master Plan letter to the Town Manager

Chair Miller : At the last Town Council meeting I was invited to give a presentation on what the Golf Committee was working on which went very well

Participation in Tournaments/Leagues: Merry Holway

-The Ladies league participation has been steady

-The Mens league is down from the potential 60 players it could have and there seem to be a few factors why that is. One big one is pace of play it has been difficult to get players to pick up once they are out of the hole

Brian Conway- The sequential start times does not bring everyone together at the end what about a shotgun start

Merry- Shotgun would have to start at 8am and we would end up eliminating tee times for other players and it could interfere with maintenance. The ladies are growing in numbers and they are more social and hold their own opening and closing day lunches. The senior men numbers are down.
Geoff Converse- We need to do more marketing within ourselves

Discussion Marketing Plan for Golf Outings: Creighton/Nacar

-Moved to next meeting neither person is in attendance tonight

Discussion: Promotion of Courses: Miller/Conway

-Chair Miller- When the time comes I would like to put an article in the Barnstable Patriot and I have also been invited back to do a spot on channel 18.

Brian Conway- What about the Chamber of Commerce?

Bruce- We do advertise with the chamber every year and attend the New England Golf Shows

Report on Regional Junior Golf Tournament: Roman Greer

-September 12-14th we hosted the Regional PGA League Event at Hyannis Golf Course. There were nine teams competing 30 families were on Cape Cod from all over New England. The event was a huge success and we plan on hosting again next year.

Golf Director's Report: Bruce McIntyre

-On November 20th Town Council approved the 4 year loan for the purchase of new equipment at OBF. The purchase will be made December 22nd.

-The 2015 golf fees were also approved and will go into effect January 1st 2015

-Membership renewal forms will go out after the Holidays

-We will be holding a staff meeting to go over the FY 16 budget and adjusting seasonal salaries and wages

Director of Golf Maintenance Report: Chris White

-We have started the winter rebuilds on some equipment and the course clean up is going well

-Our sweeper is down at OBF and hopefully the new one will be here soon

-We plan on closing the Par 3 tees at Hyannis this winter to give them a rest

-Aerification dates have been made for the spring weather permitting

Closing Public Comments: NA

Closing committee comments: Chair Miller welcomes Brian Conway to the Golf Committee

MOTION TO ADJOURN DULY MADE BY Geoff Converse SECONDED BY Ed Hickey Vote: so voted unanimously

Adjourn: Time: 6:34 PM

Next Golf Committee meeting scheduled:

Tuesday, January 13, 2015 at Olde Barnstable Fairgrounds Golf Course

Respectfully submitted

Wayne R. Malcolm

Recording Secretary

Public files are available for viewing during normal business hours

** Further detail may be obtained by viewing the video via Channel 18 on demand or at

<http://www.townofbarnstable.us/GolfCommittee> **