

Minutes from Golf Course Advisory Committee

Meeting 2/5/15

Present: Deb Moore, Chryso Lawless, Bob Smith, and Larry Wise

Guests: Jason Larramy and Joe Eckstrom from Johnson Golf

Deb Moore, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 7:40 pm. Jason and Joe gave an overview of the 2014 golf season.

They retained most of the league players. Golf lessons given by the pro Bill Allen sold well. Majority of the present on site staff will return next year. They have mailed a promo out to lock in last year's member rate before a 5% increase 1/1/15. They now have a large email list and will maximize it for promotions, etc. They will hold a junior tournament again. They will do a customer satisfaction survey. The committee and Johnson Golf are both pleased with the results of their first year of management.

Capital improvements: We still need material to cover the cart paths. Deb will check with DPW to use the material when they pave Mill St this year. Johnson will continue to eradicate the invasive plants on the course.

Jason and Joe left the meeting.

We then reviewed the financial results for 2014. Golf revenues \$629M and food \$309M. We will request a copy of both contracts for our reference.

We intend to put an appropriation warrant before the October town meeting for long term capital improvements, using the revenue which Johnson Golf pays the town. We will contact the town accountant for the amount which the course will have received in FY 2015.

We approved the minutes from the 10/15/14 meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Submitted,

Chryso Lawless