

## Advisory Greens Committee Meeting

March 30, 2022 3:30pm (via Zoom)

Bill Marsden

**Members Present:** Steve Argo (Touchstone Reg. Mgr.), Stan Korich (New Shoreline GM), Dave Tuttle (Assistant GM Shoreline), Randy Perea (Head Greenskeeper), Douglas Cookerly (Michaels), Teru Harada (Men's Club), Bill Marsden (Senior's Club), Robby Gray (Women's Club), Mark Diamond (Member at Large and Men's Club), Brady Ruebusch (City of Mountain View Parks & Rec), Brenda Sylvia (Touchstone)

### Golf Operations (Stan)

- Shoreline's new GM, Stan Korich, was introduced by Steve.
- Driving Range users will move onto the grass tee platform this Saturday (April 2), and target yardage signs and water buckets with brushes will be available. Still to decide if grass will be available just on weekends or Fridays, too.
- We had planned to move the Driving Range closing time from 8pm to 9pm in late April (as with 2021), but the City requests a use review to first determine if past use warrants this move 7 days a week or only on certain high use days. It is likely that the later hours will start about April 15.
- Handicap computer in Golf Shop has still not been replaced by the NCGA. We have been reminding them periodically. Will need to call NCGA.
- The new scorecards are in use with the new hole handicaps and course ratings. **Note that there is an error on the scorecards. There should be only one set of handicaps for men for all tees (which is the white tee handicaps on the scorecards), and one set of handicaps for women for all tees (which is the red tee handicaps on the scorecards).**
- Dawn Patrol's donated Memorial Bench was recently installed at #11 Tee Area. In honor of long-time Shoreline supporter, Eddie Dodds, who sadly passed away last year.

### Michael's Restaurant (Doug)

- Michaels has been fully open since early February
  - Use is steadily returning to pre-Pandemic levels, including private banquet bookings.
  - Lobby water leak appears to have been stopped with the recent repair of the overhead downspout.
- Miscellaneous items to be completed
  - Repair and use of soda fountain is still pending due to part supply line interruptions
  - Trash Cans and patios power washed. Cobwebs removed from patio trellises and other exterior areas (3.28.22)
- Bill reported that the Senior Club has been making good use of Michael's, and that the coupons provided by the pro shop for discounts are greatly appreciated.

### Course Maintenance (Randy)

- Green aeration went very well, and with minimal impact to player use (completed 3.23.22)
- Front 9 Tees were aerated yesterday, and the back 9 tees will be aerified tomorrow. Tees are being over-seeded.
- Fairways to be aerified starting Tuesday and over next few weeks. Split tines will be used with sweeping, so no play issues.
- Greens #1 and #8 surrounds to be pulled back and sod repairs made with buried ground squirrel wire installed (to prevent squirrels from making holes).
- Replace with sod on #18 where the temporary pipe was placed. Going to re-pave cart path on #18 as well.
- Driving Range Berm project - Randy has planted shrubs for visual partitioning at Range.
- Two irrigation line blow-outs were timely repaired in March at the back of #18 Green and the cart path at #10 fairway.

- Teru reported that a number of greenside bunkers (eg., both bunkers in front of #4 green) have virtually no sand. Randy to address.
- Mark said that he believes there should be OB left of #7 rough. He has seen players (particularly from blue and black tees) hit up the 6<sup>th</sup> fairway rather than hit to the 7<sup>th</sup> fairway, and that this is a safety hazard. Shoreline management to review.

### **Projects (Brady)**

- City/Management reviewing Robert Trent Jones architectural designs, plus drainage and irrigation plans, for re-design and USGA spec construction of replacement Green Complexes #2 and #12. Project work to commence soon. Mark pointed out that “this project should be soon” has been said for several years. Brady acknowledged this.
- The two new bridges to Holes #1 and #5 are still to be installed sometime this Fall.
- The restroom exterior refurbishment project at hole #7, including new drinking fountain/bottle filler installation, is largely completed, with fountain warranty work and door lock changes still pending.
- Sanitary Sewer trunkline repair and manhole installation work is nearly complete and de-mobilization, including removal of temporary bypass (surface) lines, is underway and scheduled to be completed in early April. They still need to raise one existing manhole elevation near Cart Barn. Once this is done over the next three or four days, the temporary lines in front of #18 Tee can be removed. Re-conditioning/seeding of #18 fairway turf where the contractor truck travel has occurred, will also be completed.

### **Open Forum**

- Comments from club representatives have been indicated above.

**Next meeting is May 25 at 3:30pm.** Meetings are every other month.