

**Guilford Lakes Golf Course Commission  
Town of Guilford  
Special Meeting  
August 29, 2017**

Attendees: Ted Tighe, Golf Course Superintendent, Rob Pascale, Christopher Hodgson, Patrick Pascale, Robert Cuozzo and Mike Papp, Golf Pro

Excused: Eric Hedberg, Jim Merrithew, Cathy Provencher

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chris Hodgson, Chairman.

**1. Public Forum**

None

**2. Approval of July 18, 2017 minutes**

*Motion made by Bob Cuozzo, seconded by Rob Pascale and was unanimous to approve the July 18, 2017 minutes as written.*

**3. Superintendent Report**

- August revenue to date of \$22,200 against last August of \$21,700.
- **Course Report**
  - Lots of watering
  - Down one maintainer, applications close this Friday.

**4. Golf Pro Report**

- October 28-29, 2017 Fall Classic Tournament; 36 holes with an October Fest Theme
  - i. Hole in one prizes
  - ii. Additional prizes
  - iii. \$20 entry fee + greens fees of \$18/day nonmembers and \$7/day members.
  - iv. The Commission will be requesting permission from the BOS to serve liquor at the event.
- Chairman Hodgson requested that Mike Papp put together an 'after labor day' plan.
- Mike Papp reported the 2018 Schedule is in place including Jr. Camps, Memorial Day Tournament, etc. There will be 5 big tournaments next year.
- Chairman Hodgson requested that Stanimal participate in additional marketing efforts for 2018.
- Mike Papp requested the Commission require a contract for outside sponsored tournaments. The rate for tournament play is resident rate for the time period.

**5. Finances**

- July year to year comparison was reviewed.

**6. Old Business**

- Score Card Update

Mike Papp has obtained 7-8 sponsors for the tournament scorecard; at no cost to the course.

## 7. New Business

- **Fall Golf Rates**

**Motion** made by Patrick Pascale, seconded by Robert Cuozzo and was unanimous to raise the 2018 membership rates by \$25 across the board.

**Motion** made by Robert Cuozzo, seconded by Patrick Pascale and was unanimous to set the Fall Membership special prices at 2018 prices; which include free use of the course for the remainder of 2017 season.

**Motion** made by Chris Hodgson, seconded by Robert Cuozzo and was unanimous to eliminate the \$7 fee for members playing additional rounds effective immediately.

- Special Olympics Tournament
  - Potentially scheduled for October 2017. This event is sponsored by the GLGC at no cost to the players. Approximately 20 players and their chaperones.
  - Getting GHS golf course team members to participate in the event was discussed. They require community service hours to graduate.

Chairman Hodgson commended Pat Pascale on his great initiative for New Haven Register and Guilford TV marketing efforts. Our marketing is sparking positive course momentum.

**Motion** made by Rob Pascale, seconded by Robert Cuozzo and was unanimous to adjourn the meeting at 7:49 pm.

Respectfully submitted by:

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