

Town of Ridgefield - Golf Committee Meeting Minutes
Final

Regular Meeting – via Zoom – March 15, 2023

Members Present:

Chairperson: Mr. Tyrrell

Vice Chairperson: Ms. Gerhard

Committee Members: Mr. Colamaria, Mr. Mancini, Mr. Mischenko, Mr. Reilly, Mr. Sherman

Alternate Committee Member: Mr. Ippoliti

Staff Present:

Golf Director and General Manager: Mr. Sergiovanni

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm.

Item # 1: Public Comment – none

Item # 2: Review minutes of previous meetings

- A motion was made, seconded, and unanimously adopted to approve the minutes of the February 15, 2023 meeting, with a the date in the header changed from February 16 to February 15.

Item # 3: Report and discussion on course operations

Mr. Sergiovanni:

Course:

- Weather has been good and crews have been working outside up until the last two days of snow.

Operations:

- Membership sales in the shop is up and ready to go with new computers. Membership sales start this Saturday, March 18.
- Capital and operating budgets were approved with no changes. There were some changes to operating budget during the early rounds.
- Staffing is mostly complete.
- Marshall Odeen and his crew are getting ready for the year:
 - New beverage cart (different configuration) has been purchased.
 - Banquette seating is being installed in the dining area.
- Mr. Sergiovanni speaks with the Superintendent every day and they feel that an early April opening is not out of the realm of possibility once the greens are aerated. It will be a day-to-day decision process depending on the amount of rain received during that time.
- Mr. Sherman asked if the committee felt that it was clear to the general golf population that weekend tee times outside of the lottery times were available for online booking or by telephone. Mr. Sergiovanni sends an email to the entire list explaining the lottery tee time procedures at the start of the season,

Item #4: Old Business

- Ms. Gerhard will be moving from the area in May of this year and will resign from the golf committee as of the end of April.

Item #5: New Business -none

A motion was made, accepted, and unanimously adopted to adjourn the meeting at 7:47 pm.