

VILLAGE OF GLENCOE
GOLF ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes
August 15, 2016

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The Golf Advisory Committee was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Village of Glencoe, Village Hall. The following members were present:

Dale Thomas, Chairman
Jim Hirsch
Mitch Melamed
Ron Schmidt
Scott Shore

Committee member Eva Levy was absent.

2. APPROVAL OF THE 2016 JULY MINUTES

The July Golf Advisory Committee meeting minutes were approved as written.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

- None

4. MANAGERS MONTHLY REPORT

- Stella reviewed the July monthly reports and financial statement.
- The weather in July cooperated except for a three day stretch over a weekend that brought over 5" of rain.
- The course conditions were discussed, the committee commented that the course is in fabulous shape.
- The Drive, Chip and Putt competition and the Rally for the Cure events were discussed.
- The croquet club that utilizes the golf property was discussed. This is a good example of non-golf use of the golf property.

5. OTHER BUSINESS

- The committee recommended that the starters remind the golfers to repair their ball marks, replace their divots and to leave the rakes in the bunkers.
- Stella informed the committee that ball mark repair tools would be purchased and the starters will be given the task of handing them out and teaching golfers the proper way to repair ball marks.
- It was recommended that the Chicago Botanic Garden is asked to add more landscaping adjacent to their new greenhouse project to help disguise the buildings etc.
- Stella informed the committee that Jean Franczyk, the CEO of the Chicago Botanic Garden is coming for a tour. Ms. Franczyk will be

shown all of the work that been done to attain our Audubon Sanctuary status.

- The willow trees were discussed. Stella informed the committee that all of the trees are not being removed at once because they provide habitat for wildlife. Annually the willow trees are addressed and any hazardous limbs or trees are removed.
- Stella informed the committee that she will be reaching out to the CDGA, Chicago District Golf Association, to see how the GGC can help with their new foundation that provides programming to people with special needs, Veterans and youth.

6. ADJOURNMENT

- There being no further business for discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.