

VILLAGE OF GLENCOE
GOLF ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes
July 18, 2022

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The Golf Advisory Committee was called to order at 5:30 p.m. at the Glencoe Golf Club.

The following members participated:

Matt Siebert
Gerry Wine
Joe Halwax
Greg Turner

Committee members Eva Levy and Michael La Porte were absent.

2. CONSIDER THE JUNE 20, 2022, MEETING MINUTES

The June Golf Advisory Committee meeting minutes were approved as submitted.

3. MANAGER'S MONTHLY REPORT

- Stella reviewed the June Financials with the committee. June was a great month with warm temperatures and low precipitation. Most numbers were in line with last year's numbers which was great considering Heritage Oaks is now reopened.
- Power cart rentals were well above budget due to no rain issues.
- The golf course needed extra attention with hand watering dry areas especially greens and tees.
- Dave has completed the #15 green extension which will spread out the foot traffic and add more pin placements.
- Additional pollinator plants have been added around the clubhouse just in time to help sustain all of the butterflies that the golf course attracts.
- Invasive weeds were removed from all natural areas which is very labor intensive since it has to be done by hand to avoid removing the milkweed.
- Summer golf camps have been very busy close to capacity every week. The majority of the participants are Glencoe residents.
- The Chicago Croquet Club held a demonstration using the top tier of the driving range. This area will be available for croquet for the remainder of the summer, equipment and instructions on how to set up the court are available in the pro shop.
- A question was asked if there was a charge for utilizing the temporary courts. Stella answered that there is usually an annual membership fee to join a regulation club which includes the usage of the courts versus charging on a daily basis like the golf course.
- The croquet courts that are proposed as part of the redevelopment project will double as a practice area for chipping and putting when not in use for croquet. The goal would be to sell an annual practice facility membership to bring in additional revenue.
- The Wednesday evening twilight league began in June with the highest participation since the beginning of the league.

- Our new golf instructor has started to build his clientele and is filling his schedule. It will be hard to catch up with budgeted numbers for the Academy since we were an instructor short for five months.
- Winnetka Golf Course will be closing this fall for two seasons for a large drainage project.

4. OTHER BUSINESS

- None

5. PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

- Adrienne Gallagher, the Chair of the Glencoe Caucus, and Barney Gallagher, the Chair of the Sustainability Task Force were in attendance to learn more about the clubhouse project. Questions were answered regarding the Glencoe Golf Club's designation as an enterprise fund and suggestions were offered for gaining exposure in the community.

6. ADJOURN

- There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:14 p.m.