

## Greeting Members

December 29, 2017

New Year is but 2 days away. This year has flown by and I feel Green Oaks has done great. Two years ago we had 64 members and it was not looking good for the golf course. In truth the course was in real bad shape. The board hired US Lawns to take over the maintenance of the course. In my estimation they have done a great job of bring the course back. Now that's not to say we're satisfied 100 percent. There still is a lot of work left to be done; but Green Oaks has come a long way in 2 years, both members wise and the course looking better,

We as members can help improve the course in several ways: One stay on cart path as much as possible and use 90 degree rule. Cart path to ball and back to cart path. Do Not Park Near Greens. If you see any loose trash pick it up and put in trash cans when you get near one. Repair ball Divots on Greens even if you can't find yours. These are just some of the ways to help improve your golf course.

As mentioned in September news letter the Board of Directors voted to drop every members dues down. January 1, 2018 regular membership will be \$130 a month with the use of a cart or a cart shed to store your own cart. Junior membership will stay the same \$100 a month with the use of a cart or cart shed. Now the use of a club owned golf cart is 18 holes only not all day use. \$10 for every 18 there after or \$5 for 9 holes. We are limited in the number carts we have 25. So if your planning on playing 36 holes please advise the Pro Shop and pay for the extra 18 before hand. Thank you for your help in this matter. Now in voting to drop membership dues it was stipulated to a review of membership dues would be monitored and if need be dues would be increased to meet the obligations of the club.

Christmas has past and I hope everyone had a great Christmas with family and friends. Hope Santa brought you everything you wanted for Christmas, if not maybe you should be Nice and not Naughty next year.

Starting at 1:30pm on Friday Dec 30, 2017 the greens will be covered by US Lawns for approx a week. The weather is forecasted to be real cold temps at night and not warming up much in daylight hours. Sorry for any inconveniences this causes you playing golf but this is being done to protect the course. There is a possibility of US Lawns reseeding 3 greens next spring starting in April or May. Those holes would be 2, 4 and 5. Temp greens will be built to be used while the reseeding is being done.

Monday will be the beginning of a new year and hopefully a very prosperous year for Green Oaks and every one of our members.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR 2018**

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