

pair" signs should be eliminated completely, and a ball in such areas be called an unplayable lie.

Protecting Fairways, Tees and Greens

Tees as well as fairways must be roped off. In fact, for the last tournament in 1950 we used 20,000 ft. of $\frac{3}{4}$ in. rope, to protect fairways, tees and greens.

We used 1500 iron rods to support the rope. The iron rods were approximately 6 ft. in height and the ropes slip into loops on the rods so we could drop the rope in a minimum amount of time to make openings for the galleries.

You need about 5000 ft. of gallery rope to be stretched across the fairways by the committee in charge of the galleries.

Greens must be roped off to prevent unnecessary damage.



Greensboro (N. C.) Golf Year Is 358 Days Long

George Corcoran, pro at Greensboro (N. C.) CC, shows count on non-golf days at his club last year. Jan. 9, Feb. 19, March 2 and 11, Dec. 4, 18, 12, were only days missed. There were 266 consecutive days of play.

This record, says George and Jim Foster, golf editor, Greensboro Record, makes Greensboro the nation's greatest location for good golf weather.

Greensboro, with 5 18-hole courses in a city of 74,000 population, had 89,546 rounds of golf played last year. George and Jim figure that's the greatest per capita golf playing record of any city in the world.

You must keep people from trampling all over the greens and bunkers.

Provision must be made for comfort stations. At least three double ones must be erected on remote spots on the course to provide facilities for the spectators. Three or more comfort stations are needed.

You will need to have installed three or possibly four public telephones.

Outgoing message facilities are needed for the press room, as well as messenger boys. You must have a press room or tent to accommodate at least 100 reporters. Naturally, they must have a well lighted scoreboard and other necessary facilities.

Parking facilities must be provided. There should be convenient parking for at least 2000 to 5000 cars. You may arrange two or more places for parking.

Provision should be made for a tent to accommodate a Red Cross First Aid Station. If possible a doctor should be in attendance. Medical aid must be available in case an emergency arises.

The serving of food to the public comes under the jurisdiction of the House committee, but the man in charge of the course must have a hand in it too. It is his job to provide water and other facilities, and comfort stations for the attendants.

Care of Greens During Play

There must be a man for each hole to take care of all ball marks on greens after players have holed out. This man shall not go on a green while players are approaching or putting, but as soon as they start to move the man must make any needed repairs.

Also the man must take care of footprints in sand bunkers. Our bunkers are so constructed that they do not need any artificial ribbing. But in order to make it fair for every player footprints must be roughly taken care of.

You must have a crew to take care of cleaning up every evening or morning. We prefer evening as the time to clean up the must be removed in order that the course will be presentable every day of the tournament.

Preparation of Greens

The putting greens must be in A-1 shape and the surface should be uniformly smooth. This does not mean it will have to be as smooth as glass.

The greens should not be too soft. You must be careful not to overwater. Use the minimum amount of water needed to enable the grass to survive. The green should be firm enough to offer a challenge to the skillful player. Do not water so excessively