

Minnesota Golf Course Superintendents Association

Affiliated with the National Golf Course Superintendents' Association

HOLE NOTES



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Anoka, Minnesota

Monthly Meeting JUNE 8, 1959
Golden Valley Country Club
Frank Anderson - Superintendent
Located on the Golden Valley Road, just
off the Olson Highway, and east of 100.
Time - 2:00 P M

The second meeting of the season was held at Columbia Golf Club where Ralph Lundin is the superintendent. An afternoon of wonderful weather welcomed us for golf. There were prizes for Blind Bogey and a door prize. Carl Anderson won the Blind Bogey and a pair of golf shoes, and the door prize was three pair of socks, taken home by Len Bloomquist. Refreshments and dinner were served courtesy of the Minneapolis Park Board. Those who couldn't make it sure missed a very eventful day. Ralph's course was in very fine shape. There were 23 participating in the golf game, and 32 stayed for dinner. There was an informal meeting after the dinner. Slides were shown by Ed Pohava. There was some discussion on the coming tournaments at the various clubs. It was decided to take no action until there is some evidence that these clubs want our assistance, preferably notifying us in writing. There was no other business to take up so the meeting was adjourned.

Visiting various clubs during the past month found one feeling somewhat relieved. There was evidence of desiccation on just about every golf course in the area. It didn't matter what course it was or whom the superintendent was, the damage from the severe winds and lack of moisture had taken its toll. Although some courses suffered more than others, they are the ones to help if at all possible, especially from the morale standpoint. All in all, the superintendents are doing just what they can to satisfy their clientele. If you have any, PAINT.

WANTED--Penn Cross seed. If anyone has some for sale call HAL-6196, or write the editor.

Ray Hall

There may be a chance that those who hold membership in the National Association will be allowed to enter the gates of the coming tournaments this summer and fall. It may be profitable to join the National body in the future.

It has been rumored that Todd Johnson was named to succeed Art Thorud at Hiawatha Golf Course by the city of Ipls. This has not been confirmed as yet, but will be soon, we hope.

For those who cannot attend our monthly meetings because of the distance they have to travel, the following is the financial report to date:

Checking Acct, May 31, 1959	\$108.93
Savings Acct, May 31, 1959	486.49

There will be merchandise for the Blind Bogey and door prizes this Monday, June 8. Be there and get your share!

Waynard Erickson was the winner of the contest for naming this paper - you can see his contribution above. The prize was \$10.00.

There was one Board Meeting for the month of May. This was held at the SouthView Country Club.

Has anyone heard how Art Thorud is coming along with his new project? Hope to see him at the next meeting.

Golden Valley has taken on a new look in the past year. Don't be surprised when you see it. Frank Anderson has done an excellent job since taking over. Be sure to make the rounds while you are there. If you are going to play golf please come a little early so as to get your score in before dinner. And post your handicap at the pro shop.

If you have the May issue of GOLFDOM be sure to read O. J. Hoer's article on the winterkill of the North Country. This will answer all your questions.

If this news sheet reaches some course who have not membership in the local Association, write for particulars.

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membership in the National Association
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Assistant Golf Course by the city of Anoka.
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will be soon, we hope.

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financial report to date:

Donating cash, Jan 21, 1959, \$10.00
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There will be a meeting for the club
beginning their purchase this Monday, June
1, 1959, and get your share.

Further action was the winner of the
contest for making this year - you can
see the contribution above. The prize
was \$10.00.

There was one found, waiting for the month
of May. This was held at the southview
Country Club.

The answer heard now, if there is one,
is along with the new program. Hope to
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subject of the North Country. This
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It is a new story treating how course
has been developed in the local
area. For particulars,

Golden Valley Country Club
Frank Anderson - Superintendent
located on the Golden Valley road and
off the Olson Highway, and has 18
holes - 3,000 ft.

The second meeting of the season was
held at Columbia Golf Club where eight
members in the neighborhood, in either
week of wonderful weather witnessed a
great golf. There were prizes for first
place and a box of golf balls.

For the third time a prize of golf
balls, and the door prize was a
pair of socks, which was given
to the winner.

Members of the Minneapolis
Park Board, those who were in
it and shared a very enjoyable day.

There were 23 participating in the golf
game, and 25 played for dinner. There
was an informal meeting after the
game.

There was some discussion on the new
the tournament at the various clubs.
It was decided to have a contest and
there is some evidence that this year
will be a successful one.

Let us in writing. There was an
other business to talk up on the club
and was discussed.

Visiting visitors might bring in part
have found one feeling somewhat re-
laxed. There was evidence of a
contest on just about every golf course
in the area. It didn't matter what
center it was or how the organization

but was the change from the course
which had lack of regularity has been
the club. Although some courses
suffered more than others, they were the
ones to help it all.

Generally, the weather was
all in all, the weather was
doing well that was the only
thing mentioned. If you have any
questions,

ALLU-D-John Cook and I will
be back for this call (1959) or
order the other.