

A Good Turnout At River Oaks

The rain didn't keep the 90+ MGCSA members from turning out for the May meeting at River Oaks. Snow at the April meeting, rain and cold for May. What will June bring? Tom Parent and his staff did an excellent job preparing the course and facilities. Nobody should have left hungry!

Tom said his maintenance building is kept that clean seven days a week. Anyone who had the opportunity to take a look at the fertigation system at River Oaks was very impressed. Tom wrote an article for *Hole Notes* explaining how the system was put together and how it works.

Can you believe 12 members played golf on that day? It's good to know we're not all fair weather golfers!

Amy Rolando from WCCO-TV spoke about the problems of getting accurate forecasts and perhaps an alternative for superintendents. She is one meteorologist who is very concerned about getting the forecast right for golf courses. She also is an excellent golfer!

Thanks again to River Oaks for brightening up a rainy day!



Amy Rolando of WCCO TV explains her rainy forecast to fair-weather golfers.



"No, it's not Tom Parent's Crew, but it is his maintenance facility."

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