



# GREENS REPORT

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- Mowing height is currently at 3mm.
- Greens are being rolled 2-3 times a week now that conditions are favourable.
- Preventative applications are up to date and greens are nice and healthy as we head into the cooler months.
- Greens renovations were successful despite losing one full day to inclement weather. A large  $\frac{3}{4}$ " solid tine was used on all greens except 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>. All necessary amendments were applied along with approx. 60 tonne of washed sand.



## TEES & FAIRWAYS

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- Growth is beginning to slow up on tees and fairways.
- Par 3 tee divots are being filled by staff on a weekly basis.
- 18<sup>th</sup> fairway was hollow tined and rubbed in (18/3)
- Pre winter colour, fertiliser and selective herbicide application to fairways and approaches (21/4)
- Follow up secondary application of selective herbicide couch tees and surrounds for kikuyu encroachment. Also 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> green surrounds and some trial work on 15<sup>th</sup>



*14<sup>th</sup> Approach...*



*Cored 18<sup>th</sup> Fairway...*

## BUNKERS

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- All bunker rakes removed due to COVID-19 guidelines
- Greenside bunker edges sprayed with non selective herbicide
- Fairway bunkers trimmed and sprayed with growth regulator and selective herbicide
- Many golfers entering bunkers incorrectly from the high side risking personal injury



## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

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- Round up spraying on mulch beds, mounding, tree bases, hazards etc is ongoing.
- Whipper snipping of miscellaneous areas is ongoing
- Sprinkler heads and tee plates edged and trimmed
- Copper log traffic posts repaired
- All ropes, stakes and signage are currently off the golf course