



The Town of Barnstable Office of Community Services

367 Main Street, Hyannis, MA 02601
Madeline Noonan, Director
Office: 508-862-4956
Fax: 508-862-4782



Barnstable Golf (Olde Barnstable Fairgrounds and Hyannis Golf Course)	508-362-2606	Marine & Environmental Affairs:	508-790-6272
Hyannis Youth & Community Center:	508-790-6345	Senior Services:	508-862-4750
Recreation:	508-790-6345	Veteran's Service:	508-778-8740
		Youth Services :	508-790-6345

Golf Committee

November 10th, 2020 05:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Link <https://zoom.us/j/96287393286?pwd=aFZyNFh5bVY5bG8yUmVFOXJka09aQT09>

Meeting called to order at 5:30pm
MINUTES; Approved

Roll Call:	GEOFFREY CONVERSE	Absent
	JOHN COOKSON	Present
	RON MATROS	Present
	KEITH HOCHSTEIN	Present
	SUSANNE CONLEY	Present
	KEN MOREY	Present

ALSO PRESENT: BRUCE MINTYRE, CHRIS WHITE

Chair Hochstein reads statement in accordance with MGL Ch. 30.A.S.20 regarding public taping at meetings- No one responds as taping the meeting. Chair Hochstein also reads the executive order on remote participation via zoom and that the meeting is being recorded and will air on channel 18 after the meeting concludes

Public Comments - NONE

Motion duly made by Ken Morey to approve the minutes of the September 8th 2020 seconded by Susanne Conley. VOTE: 4 yes 1 Abstained (Ron Matros for not being present at said meeting)

2021 Rates and Fees Discussion – Bruce McIntyre

-Bruce discussed the amount of play that we had in 2020 and the amount of pass holders using tee times this year. Bruce went over some of the changes that happened during the season due to covid and how tee times were affected. Management has decided not to increase fees for the 2021 season.

Ron Matros suggested raising the annual pass rates due to the increased play, topic discussed. Chair Hochstein asked the committee if there is any more input on this matter and if we should vote on it.

Motion duly made by Susanne Conley to support Barnstable Golf and the Golf Directors recommendation for no changes for the 2021 golf rates and fees, seconded by John Cookson.

Roll Call Vote: all vote in favor

Course Closures- Bruce McIntyre

Bruce gave an update on all the meetings that took place between both town staff and golf staff. This decision has been made to conserve resources in order to successfully operate in the spring of 2021. At this point almost 75% of the seasonal salary and wages budget line has been spent. Both Merry and Jesse agreed and help explain why being fiscally responsible is very important to the golf division.

Bruce also discussed how he will be putting in a supplemental budget appropriation for additional seasonal salary and wages for the spring with hopes it is approved and we can bring more staff on spring 2021.

Chris also mentioned the concern for potential mask mandates or more we could face in 2021 that we also need to be ready for.

Chair Hochstein thanked everyone for their input on this matter and asked about questions.

Ken Morey asked about the changes and Bruce went over them

Susanne Conley expressed how closing Olde Barnstable early can end the golf season for those players who choose not to play Hyannis.

John Cookson finds the closing justified and that the weather can make it difficult if it is a nice day

Chair Hochstein asked if anyone was denied play. Bruce explained that being denied play is always a possibility, year round.

Director of Community Services, Maddie Noonan also voiced her support of the decisions made on the closing proposals made by the golf division.

MOTION TO ADJOURN duly made BY Ron Matros SECONDED by Susanne Conley

Adjourn 6:52 PM

Respectfully submitted

Wayne R. Malcolm

Public files are available for viewing during normal business hours

** Further detail may be obtained by viewing the video via Channel 18 on demand or at <http://www.townofbarnstable.us/GolfCommittee> **