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General Manager's Report

Winter has been bearable so far and each day we get closer to spring it leaves less time to be ugly here. Our bridge players continue their games through the winter. Generally we have card players here from noon to four every weekday with the exception of Thursdays.

Wednesday and Friday dinners have been down slightly, although we had good dinner crowd for our Texas Hold 'Em night. We hope to do better this month with the game on Wednesday the 15th.

Serving prime rib every Friday has been well received by our members. We hope to see more of you soon.

We haven't given up on our "Murder at the Elks" role play and dinner night. We look to March for that date as writing and set-up has proven to be more involved than we first realized.

Secretary's Report



Reminder there will be an initiation ceremony Monday, February 20th. Currently we have thirty-four candidates elect.

Winter Golf Course Update

The warm winter has been great for pruning and removing dead and undesirable trees. Our main focus has been in the wetlands along number four fairway.

The driving range was used by a few avid golfers in early January, along with about 10,000 Canada geese who are keeping the grass cut (a little too short!). The range is open 365 days a year. Remember to hit from the trees by the shop and limit your self to short irons.

I recorded a first for me in January. I mowed six to seven acres of native artas with the new mower purchased with the Chili Open money. Thanks to everyone who chipped in to purchase this new piece of equipment.

Winter has caught up with us as I write this message. It's back to equipment maintenance and repairs in the shop along with snow removal.

A good blanket of snow will help to protect the greens and tees from winter desiccation.

Speaking of tees the new forward tees are completed and will open for play late spring of 2012. They will make the golf course player friendly for our women, juniors and seniors.

It is also the time of the year to prepare the budget for 2012. I need inventory parts, fertilizer and irrigation for spring order.

Hope we open early in 2012
Ned Giles, Golf Course Superintendent



Trustees/House Committee

MINUTES 1/2/12

- I. No meeting

MINUTES 1/16/12

- I. General Manager's Report
 - A. Info from company that wants to buy out cell tower lease arrived. Basically offering seven year worth of cash to take over
 - B. New Years Eve successful with 69 for dinner, best head count since '07
- II. Treasurer Report
 - A. Still have little over \$2,000 in 60 days past due, those members are posted in lodge

III. New Business

- A. Matt Zacek will take over cell tower info and contact company on the offer

IV. Old Business

- A. Budget work continues. Swim done, golf close, restaurant and Lodge soon.

V. Attendance

- A. Present: Jeff Johnson, Mike Lehman, Ron Kramer, Mike Stibal, Matt Zacek, Lucas Haldeman and Mike Morony
- Absent: Matt Devery



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FEBRUARY 2012

- *Luncheons*
- *Dinners*
- *Private Parties*
- *Meetings*
- *Members / Guests*

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
			1 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4	2 Pro Shop 11-4	3 Prime Rib Every Friday Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	4 Pro Shop 11-4
5 Closed	6 Lodge Meeting 7pm Pro Shop 11-4	7 Chick Lits Pro Shop 11-4	8 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4	9 Pro Shop 11-4	10 Crab Legs Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	11 Pro Shop 11-4
12 Closed	13 Pro Shop 11-4	14 Pro Shop 11-4	15 Texas Hold'Em 8pm Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4	16 Pro Shop 11-4	17 Beef Tenderloin Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	18 Pro Shop 11-4
19 Closed	20 Lodge Meeting 7pm Initiation Pro Shop 11-4	21 Private Party Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	22 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4	23 Pro Shop 11-4	24 Walleye Dinner 5:30-9 Pro Shop 11-4	25 Pro Shop 11-4
26 Closed	27 Pro Shop 11-4	28 Pro Shop 11-4	29 Dinner 5:30-8:30 Pro Shop 11-4			

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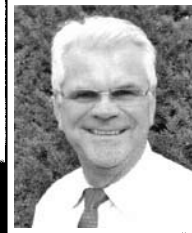
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