October 2018 President's Newsletter

Hi guys,

The start of another golf season is about a month away. While work continues on the golf course and Perimeter, we are doing a few things to prepare as well.

First, Vice President Ken Smooke is in charge of the Divot Patrol. He would like to get an early start filling all of the spots for this endeavor. Please email <u>Ken</u> if you can help out.

Next, Tournament Chairman Tom Sweet is preparing the entry forms for the first two events of the year, Welcome Back and Holiday. Keep an eye on your email inbox as those will be coming soon.

Membership Chairman, Mike Budd, will be soliciting everyone soon for your annual dues. Collection of that will begin in November and due by December 1st.

Work on the Perimeter is almost complete. Most of the holes have new plants, irrigation and DG/Birdseye. It is imperative that all of this work does not become undone by golfers. To that end, the Golf Course and the Men's Club will be implementing a new Local Rule effective with opening day of the new season. The Perimeter will be designated as a "No Play Zone – Penalty Area". All will incur a 1 stroke penalty with a drop, 2 club lengths from the point of entry. The golf Course will be providing painted lines and stakes to designate these areas. A new tab has been added to our ILQMC.net website called "Golf Course Perimeter Rules" for examples. Greg Henry and the Rules Committee are working on the changes for The Standing Rules.

Thanks,

Joe Rutherford

President TLQMC