



## **Course Superintendents Report July 2026**

Even though growth habits throughout the golf course have slowed down we are still keeping ourselves as busy as ever through this period with the pathway on the 10<sup>th</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> recently completed earlier this week thanks to Romano Pavlovic and his team.

Topsoil has been placed around the bare areas on the right-hand side of the 10<sup>th</sup> hole and various other areas around the course where irrigation works have taken place over the last 12 months.

1650 square metres of turf has been laid earlier this week to fill in a lot of bare areas around the course mainly on the right-hand side of the 10<sup>th</sup> which was a massive undertaking by my team but they all did an amazing job and I am blessed to have the group of guys that I currently have.

All tees, fairways, collars and aprons have received a fertiliser and pigment application last month to keep them happy through the slower growing periods and the greens have been dusted numerous times and aerated while we have the opportunity to give them a better growing environment leading into a busy period for the club with various corporate days ahead.

The pathway on the 14<sup>th</sup> hole between the two dams has the potential to collapse due to water leaching underneath the PVC pipes located below the pathway therefore in order to solve the issue we will more than likely have to remove the existing pathway, excavate down to the current spillway and make the area more stable before inserting a new system complete with headwalls on either side to ensure this doesn't happen again, once this is complete the pathway will have to be formed up and concreted. This whole process could take up to two weeks to complete therefore the temporary hole will have to be in play and access to the 15<sup>th</sup> tee will have to be done through the 7<sup>th</sup> hole.

Zak Marsh has recently resigned from his position on our team, I would like to thank him for his efforts since I have been here and wish him all the best for his future endeavours.

Peter Chard

Course Superintendent