

June 27,2019
TO: White Bluff Property Owners
FROM: Gregg Fjelland
RE: June Golf Courses Update

Dear Homeowners at White Bluff,

Hope the summer is treating everyone well as we look forward to getting both courses open in the coming months.

The New Course was sprigged on May 31 and has been progressing nicely for twenty- eight days of grow-in. The greens are being fertilized and mowed to a height of .160 and rolled. The topdressing of sand helps to smooth out the greens and then watering is key. **There will be weeds associated with any sprigging project and we are on top of it. Please do not try to help us by pulling them as you will do more damage than good. Spray applications are forthcoming and will take care of any weed issue.**

The Old Course sprigging date had to be pushed back due to Lake Whitney being over its banks and us not being able to pump water into the Old Course pond until the lake level receded. We rented a diesel pump for ten days to start filling the pond until we could get our permanent pumps back in place. As of June 26th at 10am we begin filling into the Old Course pond again. So the rumors of sprigs not being available or many other things that were being tossed around were simply not true. The fact is we needed a steady water source to begin any project like sprigging as I'm sure everyone would agree with. With that being said we are planning on the final floating of the greens on the Old Course on July 8,9,10 and sprigs will be put down on July 11th and 12th with weather permitting of course.

Opening dates are too soon to nail down but our goal of late August on the New Course is still on track. The Old Course will catch up due to the hotter temperatures but still will open behind the New Course by a 2-3 week time frame.

We will be sodding large areas on both courses beginning right after the holiday and continue tree trimming and fine tuning both golf courses. Creeks and ponds will be cleaned up and hope to have all the pump work done on the recirculation creeks prior to opening.

We will continue to keep everyone up to speed as we move forward.

Sincerely yours,

Gregg Fjelland, GC Supt.