

**Amherst Golf Club
Board of Directors Meeting Minutes
September 10, 2025**

Present: George Oulundsen, Jack Stanne, Gordy Palley, Jay Morgan, Shawn Durocher, Kathryn Mahony, Greg Kwolek, Mike Hanieski, Don Hodgkins, Emily Ziomek, Glenn Allan, Carl Teschke

Invited Guest: Jack Jemsek

Absent: Steve Elkins, Elizabeth Geene, Bonnie May

Previous Minutes: The previous minutes of August 13 were reviewed and accepted.

Financial Report Update: Gordy reported that we have \$260,517 in the checking and savings account. Dues and Greens Fees are way up. House Expenses are way down. Golf memberships are at 256 this year versus 264 last year at this time.

Pros Report Update: Shawn reported that Light Speed has been easy to use. We have to run point of sale to keep track of the rounds played. Would like to find an IT person to help out with Light Speed to avoid problems. We are also looking to purchase a surveillance camera to help with security.

Superintendent Update: Carl reported that the Greens are coming along. He has been doing top dressing a couple of times per week. Sand is done in all of the traps. We are pursuing to have a shed for shade on the 7th hole. The roughs machine is having issues and we are looking to get it fixed. Carl had two full timers that went back to school. He has hired one new fulltimer. Also, looking for more weekday help.

Women's Association Update: Kathryn reported that the Battle of the Bridge with Northampton will take place on September 12. With Fall approaching the leaves are dropping. The local rule applies for a free drop if a ball can't be found. It is from the tree line in.

Member Liaison Update: Jay reported that the only concern was of beer cans being left in front of the shop.

New Logo Update: Jay reported that a file was sent and needs to be sent to the supplier. A discussion took place about putting the new logo on the hole flags. No decision has been made yet.

Event Planning Update: Greg reported that the Isenberg Women in Business will hold their Fall event on September 26. It will be the last event of the season. He added that they will be back next year as will the Spoke.

125th Celebration Update: Greens fees will be \$25 for the week of September 28. On October 3 there will be a Par 3 tournament where partners will play a best ball format and the winners will receive prizes. A putting contest , chipping contest and hot air balloon rides will also be taking place on October 3. On October 4 a scramble tournament consisting of four person teams with a noon shotgun start will take place. A brief social will commence afterward.

Capital Improvement Plan Update: George reported that we started replacing equipment in 2014. We need to increase our cash to purchase equipment in the future. Also, we need to look at our resource allocation and put together a budget. Our top priorities are replacing the 1997 Workman Truckmaster and the 2005 Greensmaster Triplex#2.

Next Monthly Meeting: October 8, 2025

Meeting adjourned at 6:35pm

Minutes prepared by Mike Hanieski, Secretary