COURSE COMMITEE REPORT

Tribute to David Worth and Ciaran Burke

These two Members have dedicated a great amount of time to help the course committee and it is our pleasure to recognize in public our gratitude, which will be reflected in an engraved plate which will remind them of our gratitude once they return home.

Tee renovation program:

Thanks to David and Ciaran work we have a detailed document, which will be used in the future to continue with the renovation and upgrading of the tee platforms, as an example Men tees at holes # 1 and # 5 South course, and the tee line on holes #2 and # 10 which will be very useful, when next year our staff will start the renovation of these two tees, followed by the 14th tee pending on a Town Hall approval for removing few eucalyptus trees.

Bunker program

We tried in 2015 to improve the state of our bunkers, in both courses, actually we **rebuilt completely** bunkers at hole 11th and 8th North, and added sand to most bunkers in both courses, but in 2017 we have realized that we have to follow a more ambitious renovation program, and will spend a total of €100,000 to completely renovate all green side bunkers of the South course.

After 14 years since the renovation, bunker tend to deteriorate, mainly by natural pollution from rain and the raking practices.

Overseeding program

As we explained few years ago our intention is to have a "PURE BERMUDA" course (South) therefore The **NORTH** course has been over seeded with 16,000 kg of rye grass seed, **wall to wall**, and soon will presents an uniform green apearance, and on the **SOUTH** course we have **only** reseeded the **roughs** the to promote the definition of the fairways of Bermuda grass which soon will became pale, due to the lower temperatures.

Asking Club Members for their support "SAND BAGS" & Pitch forks

We have also started a new program with sand bags, on both courses at holes 1st and 10th, which will help the courses to faster recuperate from divots, and as from January we will hand over to most players, if not all, a nice pitch repair forks with some instructions about how to use it.

Thank you for your cooperation.