

“DIGGING IN”: WEEKLY IRRIGATION UPDATE

Week of August 6th, 2025

HNT Services has transitioned onto the back 9 of the golf course, with work nearly completed on hole #11. This is expected to be finished by end of day Tuesday, August 5. **The next hole to be worked on will be hole #15.** Once hole #15 is complete, all four Par 5s will be done – which is a good milestone, as Par 5s contain the most sprinkler heads. After that, only the Par 3s and 4s will remain.

With any luck, the rainy weather we experienced in July will subside in August, allowing HNT Services to continue progressing at a more typical pace. HNT was also able to return to hole #9 over the weekend and complete the tie-ins and mainline work there.

Please note: the hole-by-hole Gantt chart, which outlines approximate closures, **is fluid and subject to change.** This flexibility is necessary to keep water available to the back 9 holes via the old irrigation system while the new mainline pipes are being installed on hole #11. We will do our best to keep you informed, but some decisions may shift based on water requirements and integration with the new irrigation system.

With all the recent rainfall, the golf course is completely saturated. If golf carts are allowed on course, **please obey all “Cart Path Only” signage and adhere to traffic control measures in place.** We understand it’s not ideal, but we must avoid any damage from golf car traffic – especially on newly laid sod over recently completed irrigation trenches. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Thank you from the Turf Care team.

Please note that sodded areas and trenches on holes #2, #3, #4, #9, and #11 will continue to be in recovery mode. Contractors and the Turf Care team will do their best to maintain these areas in the best possible condition. Both teams are working together to ensure the finishing quality on each hole is completed to the highest standard. Throughout the project, there will be areas on the course that will take time to recover from trench work and slits from pipe pulling. We ask for your patience as the course’s visuals and aesthetics will be temporarily compromised until turf recovery is complete.

As we navigate through closed holes, please make sure to read all signage posted at the Pro Shop entrance, adhere to the First Tee Host instructions on hole closures, and read all signage posted on course with relevance to holes closed. Please do not remove any colored pin flags that are set in the ground. These are indicators for the Project Manager, contractors and Turf Care team on where sprinklers are located currently or to be installed in the coming days/weeks.

Please remember the golf course is considered a construction site. Remember to obey all directional signage when entering a hole under construction for your safety. Please exercise caution when entering the area and obey all directional signage and proceed with caution. Do not approach heavy equipment or irrigation contractors if they are using machinery as they may not see or hear you approach.

Best regards,

Lance Morris
Golf Course Superintendent

