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Amy's Anecdotes

Amy Adams: General Manager:

Well, after 24 exhausting months of COVID, we come to a new year full of promise and opportunity. In all seriousness, it is an immense pleasure to be the GM here. We have an incredible community and boy do you all make this place a fun and exciting club to run! I love it here!

We will continue to keep apparel and golf equipment on sale to blow out the 2021 merchandise, as we must make room for the fantastic new gear arriving for 2022. So, if you have not been in to grab these insane deals, we invite you to stop by today to shop and have a bite of lunch.

Speaking of gear...Question? Are you playing the ideal ball for you? As you may know, there are a wide variety of golf balls on the market, and each one of them is made to perform in a unique way. Much like having clubs, clothing, or shoes that fit correctly, it is important for you to play a ball that brings out the best in your golf game. Rock Harbor carries the full spectrum of Callaway, Titleist, Srixon, Mizuno golf balls and several others, meaning we have a ball for every player.

Here are a few questions that can help you determine which ball you should use: What are you lacking in your game? Do you need more greenside control, or do you need more distance off the tee? What do you like in the feel of a golf ball? Does your current ball feel too hard or soft on the irons and wedges? Do you have trouble controlling your trajectory? Do you prefer a low flying ball, or would you like for a ball to fly higher and land softer? All this information can help our Head Golf Professional, Jon to guide you toward the ball that matches your game. For any information regarding the golf ball selection or how to choose the right ball, just ask us!

Do not forget about frost this time of year. When reserving your starting time, please be aware of how frost can affect your time. First, the opening of the courses may be delayed if there is coverage of frost or if the greens are frozen. Secondly, if the courses are delayed in opening, then starting times scheduled prior to our actual opening time will go off first. We will make every attempt to accommodate every golfer on the tee sheet. We may start some groups on the back if available or work in groups as

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space allows. Most importantly, bring along some extra patience! Like our course Superintendent said, we have no interest in delaying our members and guests.

Over the years Rock Harbor has been blessed with a lot of really great quality staff. Many members have commented that the Golf shop staff is now one of the strongest we have ever had. No arguments from me. With the addition of Rene Basque and Mike Kelley, who both are also a Starter/Rangers, I feel grateful to have these guys, who are “retired”! Introduce yourselves if you haven’t met these gentlemen. I also want to give a shout out to our Member, Dave Bartlett whom you all know. Dave is not only a Starter/Ranger, but creates and maintains the Ranger schedules for us, which is a big job! For that I am very appreciative. Thank you!

Member feedback is the reason we do many of the activities that we schedule every year here at Rock Harbor. Please let us know where we are doing well and where we can improve. We take to heart every suggestion because we know your feedback is vital to the success of your club. We look forward to seeing a continued active membership in 2022!

Thank you for your support in 2021, we are so thankful for our members. On behalf of the staff here at your club, we wish you and your family health, peace, joy, and prosperity in 2022!

The Green

Chris Dieter, Course Superintendent:

Looking back at 2021, it feels like it was a lousy year, but when I think about all that has happened and everything we accomplished I would have to admit it was not too bad after all. We took down a large tree on Boulder #15 this week. We tried very hard to get the tree to fall where we wanted and it ended up in the opposite direction, but in the end no one was hurt and it did not hit the green.

Not everything may have gone exactly as we may have wanted it to this year, but things seemed to come out in our favor. Just remember sometimes it is a good thing not to hit the green.

Happy New Year

