

Monthly Operations Report

Groveport Municipal Golf Course December 2025

Significant Maintenance Initiatives:

1. We made a final light topdressing on the putting greens during the first week of December and finished the 2025 season with our application of snow mold protection to greens on December 23rd.
2. Removed five trees that were either declining, a safety hazard, or a negative impact on turf health. Also, cleaned up large limbs that fell throughout the season that didn't need immediate attention.
3. Planted seven new trees in areas that do not impact the golf course in a negative way.
4. Finished "winterizing" the golf course by bringing in many of its "amenities". These included bunker rakes, yardage stones, metal cups, most trash cans, tee signs, and bird boxes.
5. Our equipment tech, Jason V., begins winter maintenance on all high-use equipment now that the growing season has concluded. This includes grinding and rebuilding mower reels, sharpening and servicing rotary decks, and performing routine maintenance. As each piece is pulled in to have the cutting units serviced, the opportunity is taken to perform oil changes, replace tires as needed or tend to any nagging repairs. So far, 13 of 26 reels have been ground, 12 pieces of equipment have been serviced, and three life extending repairs have been made to some of our more integral pieces of equipment.

Significant Golf Operations/Programming/Special Event Initiatives:

1. Golf cart GPS agreement was acquired.
2. Danny and Audrey met with merchandise reps to finalize 2026 pre-books.
3. We started contacting league and outing reps to start planning for the 2026 golf season.
4. We started initial conversations with MemberSports about enhancing tee sheet functionality, especially regarding entering league tee times.

Significant Administrative/Personnel/Budget Initiatives:

- Matt D., Mark B., Zach N., and Jason V. attended the Ohio Turfgrass Conference. They learned about new trends in the industry and were able to earn credits towards renewal of pesticide applicator's licenses.
- Danny Sorgini (Director of Golf) started on 12/18.

Upcoming Meetings/Special Events

- 1/20- Committee of the Whole Meeting