

Monthly Operations Report

Groveport Municipal Golf Course May 2026

Significant Maintenance Initiatives:

1. For most of the month, daily course maintenance became more routing, allowing for more consistent playing conditions. This was altered at the end of the month with two flooding events, one of which was significant.
2. Outside of daily putting green maintenance, we were able to perform our monthly venting process and timed sand topdressing with a series of rain events which helped incorporate the sand into the turf canopy.
3. Tree work: We were finally able to find the time and dry conditions to get equipment to the fallen mulberry tree on #6. We have also been making our way around the course, trimming limbs and brush impacting carts along the cart paths.
4. Entrance beds: We have installed a valve on our irrigation system to allow us to reconnect the abandoned irrigation in the front entrance beds. The beds were recently cleaned up by Eric's team and they planted an ornamental tree and annuals in each bed.
5. Equipment maintenance and repairs occurred frequently in May. This included routine maintenance (routine check of cutting units and engine oil change on Triplex Greens Mower). The following golf cart repairs were performed: CVT Belt replaced, battery replacement, voltage regulator replacement, front control arm replacement, and tire work.

Significant Golf Operations/Programming/Special Event Initiatives:

1. We had 4,395 rounds played in May. This was down 8% from May 2025. The decrease in play was due to flooding. We had seven days during the month when the golf course was either closed or partially closed due to flooding.
2. We hosted two golf outings in May. On May 1, we hosted the Gutridge Outing. They had 142 players and we had a few minor incidents with the group. On May 8, we hosted the Sheriff Baldwin outing. They had 72 players and had no incidents.
3. League play is now in full swing. We have 22 leagues playing Monday-Thursday. Leagues accounted for roughly 1,420 rounds in May.
4. Merchandise sales for May were \$7,106. This was 2% higher than May 2025 despite less rounds being played.

Significant Administrative/Personnel/Budget Initiatives:

- Tyler Phelps (Assistant GC Superintendent) continues to be a valuable addition to the staff. He has been thoroughly trained on the sprayer and is now a reliable product applicator.
- We have two seasonal maintenance candidates that have been offered and accepted positions. This will help us address a few of the small projects we have scheduled this summer.

Upcoming Events

- Groveport Education Foundation Outing- 6/12
- Bridgestone Golf Ball Fitting- 6/13
- IEC Golf Outing- 6/26