



November 10, 2009

Re: Bald Head Island Club's Golf Course Revitalization Project

Dear Member:

With the hurricane season coming to a close, and with the grace of Mother Nature, we are ready to begin the golf course revitalization project! In this letter, we will offer a brief summary of what you can expect during the renovation in the coming months, as well as a glimpse toward what you can anticipate in May 2010 with the opening of your new golf course!

As described in previous correspondence, the golf course will be beautifully revitalized to unify the original and unfinished George Cobb design with the natural environment of Bald Head Island. Golf Course Architect Tim Cate was hired earlier this year to incorporate his respectable knowledge, which he has gained over the past 30 years, into the golf course design. He has exceeded all of our expectations with his astounding attention to detail and innovative vision. We invite you to view his remarkable design on the Club's website www.bhiclub.net and on the back side of this letter.

On the greens, we will replace the currently aged tif dwarf with Mini Verde, which is an ultra-dwarf Bermuda. Your ball speed will dramatically increase on the new greens and you will find your ball in the hole much sooner than you ever anticipated (with any luck!). Another improvement will be with the course yardage. Currently, the yardage is 6,810 and the new yardage will be 6,892, which is the approximate yardage designed for the course from the back tees. The new tee complexes will allow for multiple setup options enhancing your day-to-day enjoyment of the course.

The timeline of this vast project will be consolidated into an approximate six-month period. Beginning November 2, 2009, holes 10 - 18 were closed to play. Your suggestions have been heard, and in an effort to provide playability for you and your guests through Thanksgiving weekend, holes 1 - 9 will remain open along with the practice putting green and range! The complete 18-hole overhaul will begin in December and the entire golf course will remain closed through mid-May 2010. The scope of this project is immeasurable, especially on Bald Head Island, so we greatly appreciate your patience during the renovation. It will be worth the wait!

The Club staff has been arranging reciprocal programs with other like-clubs in the area. We are pleased to offer you access to these reputable courses, especially at an economical rate! Please visit the website for additional information.

We invite you to stop by the Golf Shop or visit our website to view the detailed renderings, which will help you to envision yourself teeing up in May!

Sincerely,

Board of Governors