

**Tuesday Work Group Meeting Minutes
March 31, 2026
Canyon Lake Country Club Magnolia room**

Group Members: Larry Mensch, Sam Theodora, Dave Nickel, Susan Fitzgerald, Eric Shrader, Hugh Wagoner

Major Projects: Marcus Schonabaum

Greens Committee Liaison: Jon Keigwin

Chairperson: Larry Mensch

Board Liaison: Bill Van Vleet

Staff Liaisons: Steve Schneider - Director of Operations

Carlos Fernandez – Field Superintendent – Present

Guests: Paula and James

Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes of February 2026, Hugh Wagoner moved to approve, Dave Nichols moved to second and all board members approved.

Chairperson Communicants, Larry Mensch

- **Special Projects Work Approval form is in review, Steve Scheider is adjusting the wording and will revise for additional review. Agreed that email approval is ok as long as document is attached.**

Bill VanFleet

- **encouraging us to talk to the Equestrian group to see if we can find areas to help each other.**
- **Budget for 2026-2027 approved.**
- **Bunker budget approval has been set to vote on Tuesday of next week.**

Treasurer Sam Theodora

- **Bank reconciled and all expenses paid and submitted. Bank balance matches reconciliation.**

Project Manager – Dave Nickel

- 1431 February Work Hours with additional hours during off hours
- 25-28 people average attendance.
- Footbridge is decking is done, now ready for handrails.
- Finished handrail on Hole #4, painted and installed, may need additional plants to put behind, looking for plants that can take extra water.
- Trailer for trimming crew has new side rails that Dave constructed.

John Keiwarn

- Wants to discuss a turn out for hole #17. Bunker in #17 will be expanding, discussions to make it wider and adding a curb. Also, hole #9 seems to be congested on the grass, left of the tee box, it is killing the grass.

Secretary – Susan Fitzgerald

- Banquet approved for 6/25 at the Lodge. Susan to work with Steve Schneider regarding budget.

Cart Equipment Manager Hugh Wagoner

- considering the safety of solid wheels vs inflatable wheels for the cart to use for wood trimming.
- CLAMS tournament on 5/31 of May.
- Baseball Storm outings are available for us. Hugh's Granddaughter works for them and offering to help us with a discount.

Safety Officer – Eric Schrader

- No accidents this month.
- Safety importance is being actively discussed.

TWG Representative – Marcus Schonabaum

- Hole 18 stacking block wall and path, no permit needed. Wall location is staked. Suggest using pavers instead of concrete, so it would look just like the driving range. Working on pricing. Will need board and green committee approval and time frame suggestions. Would like to use vendor who did the driving range. Further discussion needed with Marcus, Steve and Pat prior to Green Committee meeting.

Current & Ongoing Projects

- Prune trees overhanging cart paths, Ongoing.
- Plaque Maintenance, Ongoing
- Splitting Wood, Ongoing – two loads of firewood ready for the Beautification Tournament.
- Fill divots, Ongoing.
- Vehicle Maintenance, Ongoing
- Teeing Ground Detailing, Ongoing – Steve Buckley is reviewing to advise improvements.
- Montor/ tv set up is completed, however Wi-Fi is not strong enough to use as mirror.

Future Projects

- Replace Drip Line by Street, mostly complete.
- Asking TWG volunteers to request equipment – it was suggested to get a few more Dewalt Batteries that we are short on for equipment. TWG agreed to buy two additional batteries. Also in discussion for a new electric hedge trimmer. Reviewing budgets available. Budget approved for new pole saw, two new batteries and a few plastic rakes.
- Election for new board members is open and discussions are in progress.
- The golden shovel award is starting to process of who can be nominated.
- Discussions to add another BBQ or pizza party for the end of the season for TWG in June.
- Review hole #16 to minimize that cut through on the fairway.
- Clearing out grass along drain lines at same time.

Old Business

- None

New Business:

- Remove pepper tree on #12 perhaps too large for our crew.
- Wood donation for Beautification Tournament (Two Truck Loads)
- Equipment needed
- Second helmet for chain saw use.
- scooper for leaves 20/30 quart needed.
- Plastic rakes to replace broken rakes.
- Additional trimming hedger (electric) to be considered.
- Chain saw blade (info on side of blade tells what size chain fits)

Next Meeting - Tuesday, April 28, 2026, at 1:00pm

Adjournment: 1:02 PM