

## Happy New Year

We hope all of you had a great 2009 and wish you the best in 2010. We are excited about the New Year and what it may bring.

Please visit the pro shop for some great deals on merchandise. We will also be receiving the new product lines beginning with the new TaylorMade Penta TP 5-piece golf ball in mid-February. We will have trial

packs for a discounted price as well as dozens. Shoes, clubs, and accessories will arrive in March and April.

Please be aware frost as this will have an adverse affect to the golf course. In the event frost is present, the course is closed until it melts. This closure includes the PUTTING and CHIPPING greens as well as the driving

range.

Please observe the daily cart restrictions as this will improve the playing conditions throughout the winter and spring. Please check with the pro shop for restrictions.

Thanks,  
Jacob

## Course News

We would like ask all of you to keep the golf carts out of the fairway at all times. This will promote a better hitting surface and a quicker-and-thicker grow-in this spring. Cutting across the fairway four or five times a hole is just as bad as driving up the fairway the entire way.

For those members who have their respective dues withdrawn from a debit/credit card, please check the expiration date to make sure Island Green has up-to-date card information.

Please remember to fix ball marks on the greens. There are

many greens with large amounts of ball marks on them. The greens do not heal as quickly as they do in the summer so please do your part and fix your mark and one more. This will tremendously improve the condition of the greens.



*"Let me get this straight-- you've hit your ball so far out of bounds, you actually need a taxi to find it?"*

## 2010 Member Events

- 4/17 Member-Mixer
- 5/31 Memorial Day Couples
- 6/13 Member Guest
- 6/14 Member Guest
- 7/4 Red, White, Blue
- 7/28 Club Championship
- 7/29 Club Championship
- 8/7 Ladies Invitational
- 8/8 Ladies Invitational
- 9/6 Labor Day Couples
- 10/25 Mission Impossible

### Excuses For When You Must Play Golf!

- I always play well when it rains.
- I am almost 50; I need to practice for the senior circuit.
- I am just very optimistic I will play well if I golf today
- I am required to golf for work; I love my job.
- I am sick of playing golf on my computer and I want to play for real.
- I am useless at work unless I golf twice a week.
- I bought a whole new golf wardrobe.
- I bought those new golf contact lenses, guaranteed to cut 5 strokes
- I can expense it for business purposes.
- I can finally play under pressure, so I can start betting again.
- I can get some lawn care tips from the ground maintenance crew
- I finally got a set of brand clubs. I want to see if I can break 100.

### Funny Golf Truths

- Golf is by far the ultimate love / hate relationship. Sometimes it seems as though your cup runneth and moveth over.
- If your opponent has trouble remembering whether he shot a six or a seven, he probably shot an eight.
- A good drive or putt on the 18th hole has stopped many a golfer from giving up the game.
- A good golf partner is one who's always slightly worse than you.
- If there's a storm rolling in, you'll be having the game of your life.
- Golf is the perfect thing to do on Sunday because you always end up praying a lot.

