Attendees: Jim Kenworthy, Drew Willoughby, Jerry Handegan, Billy Rice, Marti Duda, Brent Jessup, and Don Garrett.

April minutes approved.

Committee Reports:

President
Mr. Kenworthy reported an appreciation note received from Alex K. about the Christmas bonuses.

Finance
Mr. Rice reported no change in balance. Funds will be drawn upon the pay for #13 trees

Greens
Mr. Willoughby suggested more information about project work on course be shared with membership through newsletter and emails. Mr. Willoughby also mentioned tee and pin placements on #4 and #8 appear to be the same distance. Mr. Garrett will review set up sheets for adjustments.

There was discussion about pin placement card use. Jessup reported green size does not warrant more than three placement zones. Garrett reported his staff uses 6 Quadrants so placements vary based on that. A computer program does exist for such managements but it is price prohibitive. Further discussion was tabled.

Tournaments
Mr. Hembree was absent. Mr. Kenworthy reported 21 teams signed for the Member Invitational tournament. Ryder Cup format will be used and there will be a chipping & putting contest. He also noted there is an event every weekend until closing. Jessup mentioned the course will be open on Mondays until closing too. The Senior club championship will be held June 5 and 6. Regular club championship will be June 13 & 14. Super Saturday on June 20th. The university golf teams will not be available until late fall for College-Am event.

Handicap
Joe Kolis gave no report.

Women’s Association
Mrs. Smith reported the Greenville Metro event will be May 18th and Bring a Friend will take place on May 27th.

Golf Professional Report
Mr. Jessup reported Cateechee will permit a 1-day event, but not reciprocal due to business. Courses that are allowing reciprocal play will limit our tee time reservations to a 7-day window. Cross Creek will cost $35 and the AAG courses plus Oconee will cost $24 to ride on weekdays ($29 on weekends). Members will call the courses they want to play to make tee times within the Walker Course “time blocks.”
Jessup suggested the committee develop a plan for course tour and cookout for the Members when the course reopens. The reopening date will remain on schedule as much as possible. Main work will be done during closedown and final touches will take place after reopening occurs. Greens will be stripped and sodded within the first two weeks of work.

The course will not need to be re-rated by USGA since yardages will remain constant. Course ratings are generally done once every 10 years. Our current ratings were updated in 2012.

Restaurant surveys are being distributed and members need to participate. Aramark is considering leasing Seasons, clubhouse grill, and beverage carts to an outside vendor.

Superintendent’s Report
Garrett reported trees at hole #13 are planted and will not need Magnolia trees. There were two more trees planted than originally planned. Cost was $4,700. Three new benches will be installed on holes # 6, 13, and one on the practice tee. There will be @$6000 remaining to be used now or kept for future projects. Topic was tabled for future discussion.

Old Business  No report.

New Business  No report.

**Next Meeting: August 11, 2015**  (June & July = Course Closed, No meetings).