

COURSE MANAGERS MONTHLY REPORT

The following report is a summary of the work carried out by the Green staff during the month of June 2010

Introduction

In the main the month of June was very warm with a mean temperature of 14.7 degrees which was slightly warmer than last year, the dry start to the year continues with rainfall figures of 281.2 mm for the year so far (average figures for this period are 405mm) and 37.6mm being recorded for the month, last year's figure was 41.2mm.

GREENS

- Greens were hand cut 10 times in this period.
- All greens received sulphate of ammonia fertiliser at the beginning of the month.
- Greens were mown every day
- Fertiliser applied to all greens.
- All greens were sarel rolled.
- All were sprayed with seaweed to help combat stress.
- Iron was applied to all greens.
- Wetting agent applied as per programme (monthly)
- Some localised solid tining and over-seeding with bent grass was undertaken.
- Hand watering has taken place on a few occasions
- Greens were verti-cut twice. Below is a picture of a verti-cut reel.



OTHER POINTS OF INTEREST

- Some scarification has been undertaken to the thicker parts of the rough.
- Divoting of the tees continues on a weekly basis.
- Selective hand watering to the tees has taken place.
- The huts have been painted.
- All ditches have been strimmed and red lined.

WORK UP AND COMING IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

- All greens will be solid tined.
- All greens will be sarel rolled.
- Wetting agent to be applied to all greens.
- Fertiliser to be applied to greens.

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