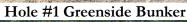
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The McDonald and Sons crew is making great progress with the greenside bunkers. They are currently sodding the freshly shaped edges with TifTuf Bermuda grass. This new strand of Bermuda grass was selected due to its superior drought and wear tolerance.





The sump (large drain basin) in each bunker will receive a layer of Capillary Concrete. The porous concrete layer will help deliver more efficient and faster drainage at the low point in the bunker.

Hole #6









Hole #6 Fairway Bunker

The last phase of the bunker renovation is to add back in the proper amount of sand. This is when being located in the Sandhills region comes in handy! The Fazio Design team located an area to the right of the fairway bunker on hole #6 where they can mine enough sand for all greenside and fairway bunkers. The color and texture of the local sand will give bunkers the "natural" look and feel they were meant to have.



This Robotic Total Station (GPS system) is used to ensure the final grades match the original 3D green scans. The most noticeable change that you will see in the greens complex is that they have returned to their original size. The larger surface will give us more usable pin locations and let's hope more greens in regulation!





Hole #3

Once the grades are confirmed, the McDonald and Sons crew does the final shaping by hand to ensure precise contours.



Hole #3

Today we began the cart path portion of the project. A large majority of the cart paths will be converted to the screenings material that was installed on hole #4 last year. The screenings (crushed concrete mixture) give an informal feel to the cart paths and more importantly hold up very well during a heavy rain.