

## **Humpty Doo Greens Report 12/02/2019**

Only going to be a short and sweet report this time around.

In the two weeks since my last report, not too much has changed. We do have a couple of greens with fresh disease on them, the worst being the 3<sup>rd</sup> and the 4<sup>th</sup>. This problem is called Damping-off and is linked to the Pythium spores. As mentioned in my last report, if the humidity rises again the disease will try to come back. I have treated the soil this time, as opposed to using a foliar fungicide, due to the fact that Damping-off is primarily a soil problem. This should relieve the symptoms.

In general, the greens are picking up. There is new growth coming through now that I am feeding the greens, and this should continue.

There are a few weeds on the greens at the moment, but I will get around to sorting these soon.

I am hoping that we are back on track with the general cutting of the course after the weather we have had, together with a short week due to a public holiday which prevented it from all being complete.

### **The 7<sup>th</sup> green**

The 7<sup>th</sup> green has not progressed as much as I would have liked. The cores that were put down have not handled the rain well. Therefore, I will be redoing the cores as soon as it is appropriate. This will be when ground conditions and weather allow me to properly harvest the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> greens again. This is a slight set-back, but once it is complete it should not take too long to grow.

Many thanks

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