

Subject - WPA Project #18
Where - Mount Vernon, Wash.
When - June 5, 6, & 7?

Tentative plans have been made to use the new 18 hole Eaglemont Golf Course east of Mount Vernon for the project. The course is on hilly ground and the club rules require the use of an electric cart. The hills and the distance between tees is the reason for the electric cart. However, the course is a beautiful one and very different from any other course we have played.

Last fall, Jack Frisk, Don Nulle, Harold Trulson and myself played the course to check it out. We all agreed it would be a good experience that we should not miss.

Because of the distance over the rough on some of the holes, it was decided that the women would play the 9 hole course at Big Lake and rejoin us at the Eaglemont course that afternoon.

All we need to know at this time is if your schedule will allow you to participate in this project, #18?

May 9, 1994

WPA Project #18

Eaglemont Golf Course
4127 Eaglemont Drive
Mount Vernon, Wa 98273

June 5, 6 & 7 1994

Plans are complete for the WPA Project #18. Response to the initial letter was terrific.

Sunday, June 5th at 3:00 PM the attitude adjustment will be held at our Lake McMurray summer home 2283 Lakeside Lane (map enclosed). If your fishing license is valid bring your pole or bread to feed the baby ducks and hope for a sunny day. Bonnie insists on preparing a buffet dinner featuring products of the Skagit Valley which will follow the attitude adjustment. Cost about \$10.00 per person.

Monday, June 6th at 9:00 AM tee off at Eaglemont Golf Course where the green fees are \$50 which includes the required cart. Literature enclosed on Mount Vernon's newest course.

Women choosing to play a less challenging course will play the Overlook Golf Course at Big Lake where the green fees are \$8 for 9 holes.

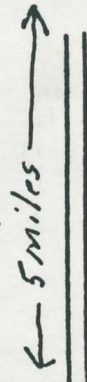
The group will reunite after 4:00 PM at the Big Lake Bar and Grill for drinks, trophy awards and supper. They have wonderful hamburgers and other menu items.

Tuesday, June 7th those wishing to participate in the scramble will tee off at 9:00 AM at the Gateway Golf Course in Sedro Woolley. Maps will be provided for you.

See you in June.

Bob and Bonnie Warnecke

Mount Vernon
North



5 miles

I-5 Freeway

Seattle
60 miles

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5 miles

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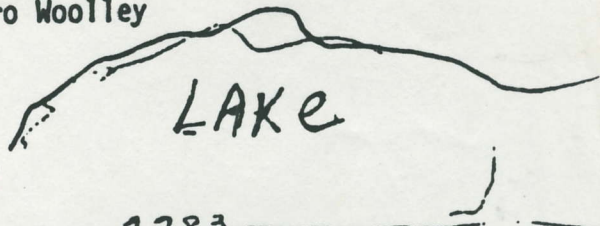
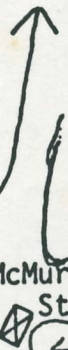
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Even nongolfers may appreciate new MV club

By MIKE NEMETH
Staff Writer

MOUNT VERNON — Mike O'Laughlin said a few people have told him his golf course is so gorgeous, he might want to consider selling tours that include lunch.

Anything is possible. However, nongolfers could be missing a great opportunity. Some may want to take up the sport just for a scenic ride through wetlands, rolling greens, towering Douglas fir and awesome views in every direction — all visible from a winding golf-cart trail. The course is designed over hillsides, ravines and incorporates ponds and streams.

Sand traps are just part of the challenge.

Visitors can see for themselves April 8 when Eaglemont Golf Club stages an open house for the Skagit Valley Tulip Festival.

Eaglemont is green and ready, a fact course pro O'Laughlin is not shy to advertise.

"We're up and running, there's no doubt about it," he said.

Following the open house, the course at 4127 Eaglemont Drive in east Mount Vernon, will be open to the public April 9 for all 18 holes. The cost is \$50 per round for a weekday and \$10 more for a weekend round. The course's first nine holes opened in September.

Real estate agents will be on

hand for those who want a golf course within backyard walking distance.

O'Laughlin operates his pro shop in a temporary building. Official golf shirts, jackets and hats with the Eaglemont logo hanging on the wall are the first thing a visitor sees. The building will be used for about two seasons until the permanent facility is built on a nearby hill.

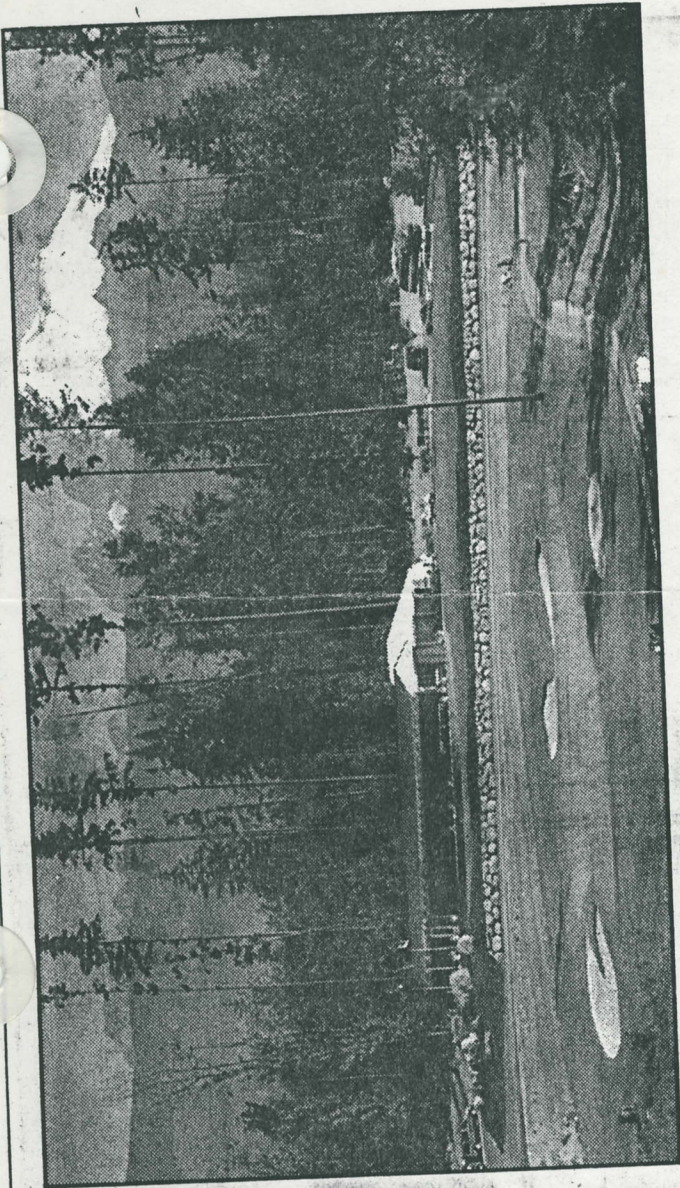
Behind the jackets is one of Eaglemont's nicer secrets, its deli, O'Laughlin said. The snack bar is open seven days a week and serves soup, sandwiches and hot dogs. He said it's perfect for the business getaway lunch.

"The views from this facility are spectacular," he said. "Many people don't realize what we have here."

O'Laughlin's job means he runs the shop, keeps the office running smoothly and makes sure people are pleased with the facilities and their game.

Unfortunately, he said, it sometimes gets so hectic in his line of work, he can only get in one or two games of golf a week. And, he said, a golf pro needs to be in good form at all times, not rusty.

O'Laughlin comes to Eaglemont from Seattle's Sand Point Country Club, where he worked as assistant golf pro for seven years. Eaglemont's assistant



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Eaglemont Golf Club is hosting an open house April 8.

golf pro, Kelly DeShaw, comes to Skagit County from Everett Country Club, and course superintendent Chuck Fisher comes from Camaloch Golf Club on Camano Island.

Eventually, Eaglemont will host charity tournaments and bring in some big-name players, O'Laughlin said.

The course has already won rave reviews from the Port Orchard-based newspaper *Inside Golf*, which predicted Eaglemont would be the "most photographed course in the Northwest."



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Scramble Golf Game

Tuesday June 7th

Tee off 9:00 AM

TAKE I-5 north past Burlington
to Cook Rd exit turn right to
Sedro Woolley AT stop light
turn left onto Hwy 20
proceed to Fruitdale Rd (Approx
5 mi)
turn left and approx 1 mi to
GATEWAY GOLF COURSE

9:00 DON JOHNSON

Marilyn Genovese

Jack Frisk

Rudy Johnson

9:30 Gene Maxim

Bonnie Warnecke

Emmett Oliver

Vi Frisk

Chuck Genovese

9:10 Morris Warnecke

Betty Maxim

Hileen Johnson

Fred Chappell

9:40 Howard Odell

Wanda Robinson

Dolph Frank

Bob Bainbridge

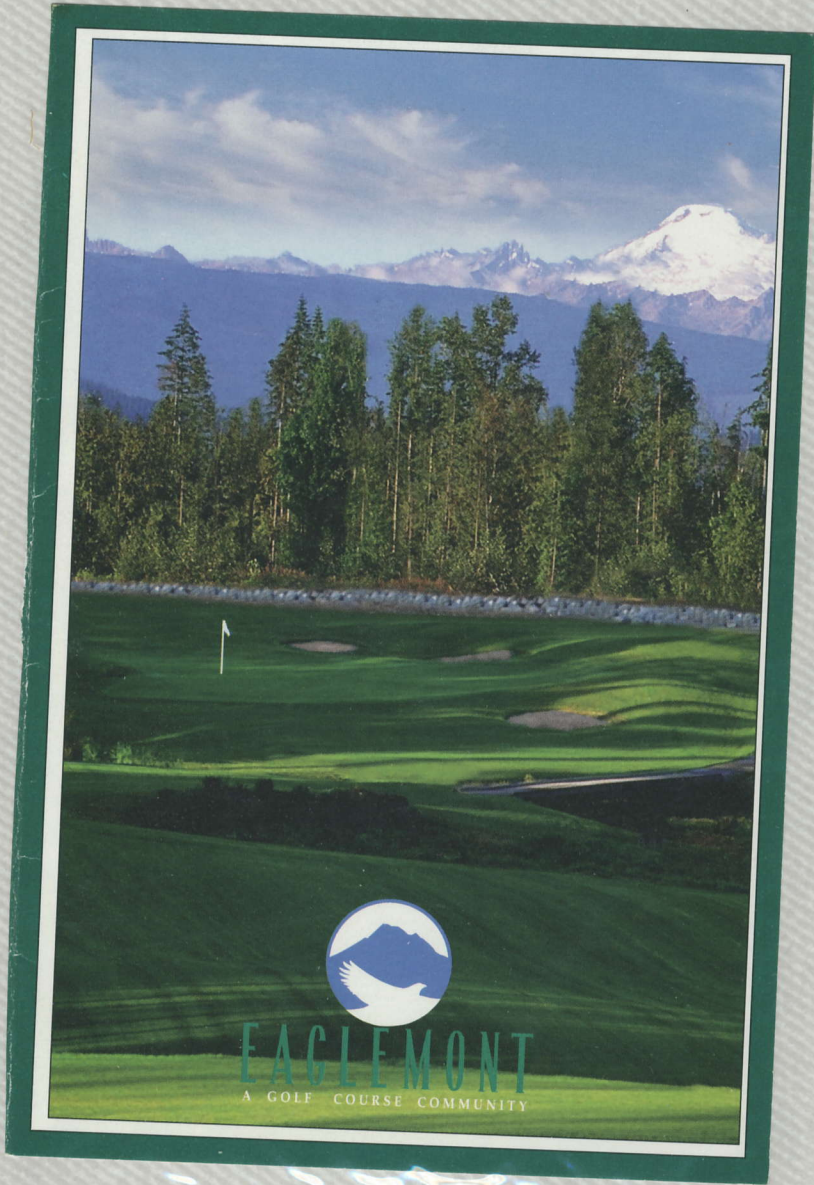
Bob Warnecke

9:20 Dick Robinson

Funelia Odell

Madeline Warnecke

No - Harold Trulson



EAGLEMONT
A GOLF COURSE COMMUNITY

Egglemont Golf Club

4127 Egglemont Drive
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

Pro Shop

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Local Rules

1. USGA rules shall govern all play except where local rules apply.
2. Lost balls within the golf course boundary; drop a ball within 2 club lengths of the point of entry, one stroke penalty.
3. Red stakes or paint are considered lateral water hazards.
4. Wetlands are played as lateral water hazards - you must drop out side of hazard, two club lengths, no closer to the hole.
6. Please be courteous and keep up with the group ahead of you.



Mike O'Laughlin
PGA Professional
John Steidel,
Golf Course Architect