April 2, 2015

Spring Greetings,

Welcome back! Spring is in the air. There may still be frost below the surface and an occasional snow flurry, but it is time to dig out your clubs and rid yourself of the winter blues.

We are extremely excited to celebrate our 50th anniversary with all of you. The golf industry is taking notice of this momentous occasion as well.\(^1\) After all, it was University President Harlan Hatcher that gave Pete and Alice Dye their first big break, forever changing the world of golf.\(^2\)

As our Celebration Committee plans a variety of events, we ask for your help for our first endeavor. From Fred Matthaei to Bo Schembechler, from Marvin Gaye to Jeannine Galetti; there have been many great people creating Radrick’s culture and lore over the past 50 years. You are a part of Radrick’s history too. Please send us your favorite story, so that we can collect them and share them with all of you at the end of the season.\(^3\) If you prefer, we can even video record your favorite tale, just ask Clubhouse Manager Jon Moll for details.

As we prepare for the next 50 years, we try to continuously add value to your Radrick experience. The 2015 MacKenzie – Dye Challenge for the Trueblood Cup promises to add another year of highlights to its growing legend.\(^4\) We also continue to explore ways for our Season Pass Holders to enjoy UMGC, included reduced greens fees.\(^5\)\(^6\) Our Team continues to focus on protecting the natural feel of the property by planting trees along our borders which also furthers our culture of Environmental Stewardship.\(^7\) And for those of you who wish to know more about the ins-and-outs of maintaining the golf course (or what happened to the dogleg tree on the 6\(^{th}\)), be sure to follow Superintendent Dan Mausolf's blog.\(^8\)

The entire Radrick Team looks forward to offering you a truly exceptional golf experience in 2015,

Paul L. Scott, II
General Manager

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3. [http://goo.gl/9uS8si](http://goo.gl/9uS8si)
4. [http://radrick.umich.edu/?page_id=2658](http://radrick.umich.edu/?page_id=2658)
5. [http://umgolfcourse.umich.edu/](http://umgolfcourse.umich.edu/)
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