

definitely shocking to view the golf course literally covered in debris. The hotel had to close operations, but amazingly, within two weeks, the crew on the golf course was able to push all the trees and debris off the fairways and onto the rough to allow the members to play. On number ten of Dogwood you can witness a souvenir left by Frederick in the form of a large oak, as shown in the photo below. On the left side of the fairway the oak continues to grow to this day with its roots thrust upward as a result of the raging winds of Frederick that forced it from its natural position in the earth. It is told that while the crew was clearing the course after the storm, they tenderly covered the injured tree roots with soil and the mighty oak with the help of Mother Nature took over to provide golfers with a conversational piece of history.



Hurricane Frederick's Imprint off the 10th Fairway of Dogwood

The Marriott Corporation purchased the Point Clear facilities in September of 1982 and began renovations to the property adding an additional 200 new guest-rooms. This expansion meant more golfers would be able to visit the resort and as a result, Joe Glasser, the new Director of Golf from Camelback Resort in Phoenix, Arizona, engaged the services of golf course architect Ron Garl. Joe redesigned and expanded the pro-shop area and worked with Mr. Garl to design nine more holes over the old polo field. This nine, completed in the fall of 1986, features