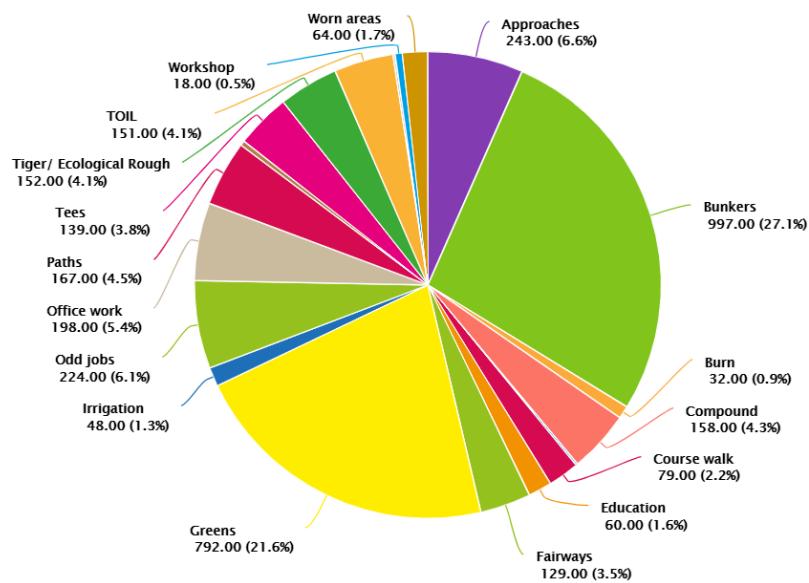




Labour Resource

As we move into the 2nd quarter of the year, I thought it would be beneficial to show where exactly our time has been spent so far this year on the course. As you can see from this graphic the bunkers have been our most labour-intensive area followed by greens. This is due to the work carried out building, turfing, raking, hand watering and sanding bunkers. When we consider that the bunker is essentially a hazard, this may help put into perspective how labour intensive this area can be.



As we move into the growing season, I would expect only the greens to overtake bunkers as our most labour-intensive area of the golf course, and more time on the close mown areas such as tees, approaches, and fairways.

The workshop is also an important section where we will see an increase in time allocated. This is where our machinery maintenance is carried out ensuring our fleet is managed and is performing as efficiently as possible. All staff have been trained over the past few months in machinery maintenance until such times we are able to bring a full-time mechanic into the team.



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