

MINUTES FOR MEN'S COMMITTEE MEETING

Date and time: Wednesday, 22nd March 2017 4.30 pm

Location: Farrington Park Golf Club

Committee in attendance: Rob Riccio (RR) Captain

Shane Phelps (SP) Vice Captain

Steve Ball (SB)

Chris Liberty (CL)

Apologies: Paul Thomas & Tom Snelling

Publish date of Minutes: 27th March 2017

Actions from last meeting:

SB has arranged the changes to the Men's Committee photo board. This should be completed by 1st April.

Captain's Report:

RR announced that the recently held Quiz Night for the Prostate Cancer Charity was a great success.

Many thanks to Dave Harvey and friends who organised a very entertaining evening. Thirteen teams attended. There were many good raffle prizes, which helped towards raising a terrific sum of £605.00 for the charity.

The next quiz evening will take place on Friday, 30th September with Clive Stilwell kindly offering to run the event.

Owing to a current injury, RR has decided to postpone the Captain's Drive-In to a later date in the season and his Captain's Away Day at Lyme Regis to Sunday, 2nd July.

After the great success of the Lee Francis Golf Day, with the golf club being at its busiest ever on a Monday; RR is investigating the organising of a charity golf day on Monday, 11th September.

It was decided that we would not ask for spotters on the first hole for the Max Stone weekend, but we would ask Bobby Appleby to be the starter for the two days.

CL will display a competitors' sign-up list five weeks before the event.

Vice Captain's Report:

SP is looking at areas in the Pro Shop, to see if there is anywhere we can display important announcements about forthcoming events and competitions.

On Sunday, 17th September, the Club has the honour of hosting the Bristol & District League for the first time. The course will be closed for the day, but members will be able to play at other courses at a cheaper rate.

SP will speak to the Club to see if they can provide food and coffee for the Bristol & District officials.

Treasurer's Report:

In PT's absence, he had sent the accounts' balances.

Competition Account: £1,860.84

Charity Account: £1,115.88

Competitions:

We had a bye in the first round of The Daily Mail Foursomes. We were drawn away to Woodspring in the second round, but they have asked to play the tie at Farrington.

It was decided to delay the closing date of the Summer Knockout to 3rd April.

The Lombard Trophy qualifier is to be held on Saturday, May 6th, with the winner going to play at either Burnham & Berrow or Parkstone. The winner must be aged 18 or over.

Bank Holiday competitions:

Monday, 1st May is a four player Texas Scramble

Monday, 29th May is a four player Bowmaker

A.O.B.:

RR said the manufacture of the tee signs for the Duchy course are underway and sponsors have been approached with response being favourable.

Next meeting: Wednesday, 17th May at 4pm

Meeting closed.