

LAGS Committee Meeting

Monday 24th August @ 13:00

BBGC Board room

Present:

Alan Robb, David Merrygold, Geoff Hopkinson, Roy Matthews, Vic Cooper & Pete Ellingham

Matters Discussed and Agreed

1. 2020 Diary
 - a) It was generally agreed that recent competitions appear to have been trouble free despite the “new way”
 - b) LAGS & Ladies on Tuesday 6th October cancelled
 - c) All other competitions as notified plus 3 Clubs & Putter on Monday 30th November
 - d) It was decided that we should now agree to cancel both the LAGS AGM/Prizegiving & The Annual Dinner. A small informal prize presentation will be arranged in early November. There are 3 to present, namely Noble Cup, Best4 and Play Your Age
2. 2021 Diary (draft circulated)
 - a) January Scramble is cancelled. This is consistent with the recent club policy not to have Scramble Competitions from November to February inclusive
 - b) February Alliance Stableford will be changed to an Individual Stableford
 - c) Stocks have been informed we will not be playing against them
 - d) 9 of the 12 clubs have confirmed dates – awaiting responses from Calcot Park, Lambourne and Maidenhead. It was also agreed that the Secretary would contact Henley to request a morning start possibly with a different date (PMC – now all confirmed but no response from Henley yet).
 - e) Due to falling support in recent years and uncertainties over larger gatherings it was decided not to hold the Seniors Invitation in 2021. It would normally have been scheduled for Monday 5th July. This date will now be used for the LAGS Noble Cup.
 - f) Overall, this means that after Easter Monday (5th April) the first spare usable Monday is 27th September. Monday 9th August has been left free as it is only 1 week after Course Maintenance
 - g) With the removal of Stocks from the fixture list we now have 24 matches (12 each home and away) in 2021. It may be prudent to limit ourselves to this number in the future but it can always be reviewed at a later date.
3. Finances – no issues to report. Higher than usual entries for the Competitions means that the finances are healthy.
4. It was unanimously agreed that a collection would be organised and presented to Bill Streeter in recognition of his sterling service as LAGS Secretary over the last 22 years. It is hoped that the presentation will take place on Monday 21st September which coincidentally is Bill's Birthday.#

5. AOB

- a) A demonstration of the possible use ClubV1 Members Hub for LAGS Match availability will be organised with the club office. Gary Taylor has volunteered to arrange this for Geoff and Pete
- b) The distribution of Competition prize monies was briefly discussed. It was agreed that this should be broadly left as is.