



## **Minutes of the Ladies Committee Meeting: Monday 1st July 2019: 7pm**

### **1. Members Present**

Helen Corbett (HC)	Committee Member and Junior Committee representative
Mina Crowe (MC)	Past Lady Captain
Jess Howard (JH)	Vice-Captain and Weekend Competitions
Ann Ryzner (AR)	Midweek Competitions and Midweek Friendly Matches
Anne Stratford (AS)	Ladies Committee Secretary (minutes)

### **2. Apologies**

Pat Collins (PC)	Lady Captain and Handicap Secretary
Sally Royall (SR)	Midweek Competitions

### **3. Approval of Minutes of the Previous Meeting/s**

Proposed – HC      Seconded – AR

### **4. Matters Arising**

4.1 Jane Pugh has been announced as the next vice-captain – congratulations and thanks to her.  
Jane to be invited to attend the committee meetings - **Action: AS**

### **5. Lady Captain's Report (JH on behalf of PC)**

#### **5.1 Club Championships**

This was a very successful day. The sun shone and the course was in fabulous condition. Many thanks to the green keepers – we really appreciate their hard work. The winners were:

Di Heavey - Gross Champion  
Carol Hardy - Net Champion  
Sally Royall - Super Seniors Champion  
Marian Richardson - Seniors Champion  
Jill Toothill - Super Seniors Eclectic  
Sheila van Piggleden - Club Eclectic.

There were 8 entries this year for Super Seniors who played on Thursday and then Sunday. JH confirmed that she has no plans to change the format for Super Seniors (over 70) or seniors (over 60) next year. The question was raised however as to whether we should all play Thurs/Sun. JH will take this to the Ladies AGM in October for a vote **Action: JH**.

It was discussed that the current cups for each champion need to be changed to incorporate the new super senior champion. JH will speak to TC so she can adjust them accordingly **Action: JH**

#### **5.2 Captains Away Day**

This was another great success – the day was thoroughly enjoyed by all – weather, venue, course and food were all excellent. There were 4 team prizes and the winner of the day was Vanessa Lynton on 39 points – well done to her and many thanks to the organisers – Sally, Barbara Jane and Pat.

#### **5.3 NAPGC Seniors Competition** – 4 x Hoebridge ladies competed at West Middlesex however did not feature in prizes.

#### **5.4 Mixed Foursomes** – this is on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July – still time to sign up.

#### **5.5 Reconciliation of members** – this has now been completed and we are awaiting a full breakdown of the category split. JH to speak to Phil. Looking at doing a 6month reconciliation going forwards.

**5.6 White Webbs** played on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June. Team A lost against East Hampstead but Team B led by Kim Price won through to the regional final – congratulations to all involved and good luck.

**5.7 JHB Finals** – 3 teams will represent us at West Middlesex the w/e 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> July – we wish them the best of luck.

## **6. Officers' Reports**

### **6.1 Past Captains Report (MC)**

Congratulations to Pat, Jess and all their helpers on a successful and enjoyable Lady Captain's Away Day. The sun shone, the course was in great condition and we were rewarded with a delicious dinner and some lovely prizes. It was good to see our 'newbie' Nessa Lynton winning on the day.

Preparations are in hand for the Past Captain's day on October 12th. The menu is agreed and the invitation will be sent out shortly to all past members and partners.

### **NEW MEMBERS' REPORT**

I have met with two more new ladies – Sally Lines and Kate Stofberg. Kate has one more card to submit and will soon be playing on the main course on Thursdays; Sally is very new and I am playing with her for the first time next week.

We had a successful Nine and Wine Evening on June 28th. 12 Spring Chicks and 11 newish members played on the Shey Copse course ably assisted by some old established members. The purpose was to convert flexi-members to Flexi-with fees membership but we will have to wait and see if we achieve that. I have sent out the July sign-up sheets to the Spring Chicks – they play on the Shey Course on Wednesday afternoons and Saturday mornings.

### **CHARITY REPORT**

Everything is going well so far. Graham Norris has raised over £2000.00 for his 72 hole challenge so far. The running total to date is £14,933.00.

We have 26 teams entered for Charity Day and a good number of items for the auction. However, if you are playing away, please continue to ask for 4 balls and, if you have anything else you think would be good to auction then please let me know and I will collect it.

I have a team of helpers for Charity Day (16<sup>th</sup> July) but if anyone else is around we can always do with more hands.

### **6.2 Midweek Competition Organisers Report (AR)**

Random Pairs and Bronze Trophy matches are going ahead as per schedule – this may be having an impact on numbers though attending on Thursday's as the Medal is down this week. We need to review the dates particularly for the random pairs for next year so that this doesn't impact again.

'Traffic Lights' taking place on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July – JH asked for confirmation of the day's format – AR confirmed that you play off the red then yellow then white blocks – continuing that order for the 18 holes.

### **6.3 Juniors report (HC)**

HC has not been to any meetings as they have fizzled out. JH said that we are currently not promoting junior golf at the club as there were issues previously with lady members not wanting to play with the juniors – primarily due to issues over safety/care for the juniors. We need to review this going forwards for the ladies section of the club and how we might incorporate them and their family into the club - ?chaperones/caddies. As such currently we do not need a Lady on the junior committee.

## **7. Developing roles for new committee members**

JH said that she was keen to get a 'pool' of ladies to do the roles and is currently working on a list of the committee roles required – we will discuss at the next meeting. In the meantime if any members show an interest we are to get them to speak to JH/PC. JH also asked what Jane could start with now to get her into the ways of the committee – any ideas to JH.

## **8. Any Other Business**

**8.1 SKORE process** – the men have mapped their midweek process - JH/AR/SR to have a meeting with the men to see how the ladies midweek might fit. Suggested JP might want to attend to  
Action: AR to invite JP.

**8.2 Ladies General Meeting** is on 22<sup>nd</sup> October – JH is looking at planning the evening now in order for it to be a success and to see what changes the club would like to make for next year. It was

suggested sending out a questionnaire (anonymous) before the meeting so everyone can have an input even those that cannot attend the day. Survey monkey was also suggested – JH to review options and feedback at the next meeting.

**As there was no further business the meeting closed at 8.20pm**

**9. Date of next meeting**

The date of the next Ladies Committee meeting is **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm**

Signed .....  
LADY CAPTAIN

Date .....