

SBWGA-18 General Meeting
Meeting Minutes – Sept 7, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 pm by President Carol Bidwell. There were 51 women in attendance. Today's notes were taken by Ann Stonecipher due to Mary's absence.

With no changes recommended, the minutes from the May General meeting and the July financials are approved. The August financials will be posted after approval by the Board at their meeting on September 8.

1. Sarah Ernest and Pam Bicknell awarded certificates and pins to the following:

Geri Sandilands	Hole-in-1	July 22 Cat 8
Darlene Warner	Hole-in-1	Aug 15 Cat 3
Deb Fenton	Break 90	August Score of 81

Sarah and Pam will no longer be managing the Hole-in-1 and Break Pins, so we need someone to volunteer for next year.

2. Reva Stolpe, Special Tournaments Chair, announced the final two tournaments of the year:

Mixed-Summer Classic Sept 13 Hosted by the SMGA this year, Mark Miller is coordinator. Chelsea sign-up by Sept 10, entry fee is \$25. Pulled pork sandwiches for lunch. Women participants may sign up to play together or you may sign up to play in the same group as your husband – just let Mark know.

LAGOS Sept 21 hosted by the SB Niners this year. Sign up on the bulletin board by September 14 at 1:00pm. Entry fee is \$25.

Reva reminded us to save the date for the Solheim Cup type tournament which is to be held on November 16,18.

3. Christine Smith our Membership Chair, introduced our newest member Janet Robertson and invited other new members for 2021 who were present to stand
4. Ann Chatham and Geri Sandilands thanked the club for their support of YOTO (Youth On Their Own) this year. Our efforts earned us YOTO's prestigious Volunteer Group of the Year" award. The trophy is being displayed in the golf computer room.

The September YOTO initiative is to collect food and household items for the kids. You may shop from the approved list (see Ann or Geri if you need the list) or write a check to either Ann or Geri (put YOTO at the bottom) and they will shop for you. This drive ends on September 30. Ann and Geri will accept your donation at their houses or will pick it up if you give them a call. October will once again be sock month with a donation box outside the restroom.

5. Arizona Senior Women's Tournament

Carol announced that 7 of our members participated in this tournament held at Superstition Mountain. Helen Graham, Sandra Murray, Takeyo Eakin, Sharon Kreutzen, Cathe Kropp, Gail Plimpton and Joan Chyall.

Takeyo was awarded a prize by AGA for coming in 2nd Net in her flight.

6. Carol thanked those who played with the Ironwood Ridge girls golf team. Coach Doug said due to COVID, their team received fewer funds this past year and they are really on a tight budget. Carol reminded us that we could get an Arizona tax credit for up to \$400 for donating to the team. She will have envelopes with her every Tuesday Playday for donations.
7. The MountainView/Preserve Women's Golf Association has extended a special invitation to our members to play in their member/guess tournament which will be held November 2 & 3. You may sign up on our bulletin Board. The cost is \$168 for both days
8. Carol thanked the members for their handbook survey submissions and indicated that the Board will be reviewing the results tomorrow at their regular monthly meeting.

9. New Business

- A. Sandra Murray announced that the local PEO chapter is holding a charity fundraiser golf tournament at Randolph Golf Course on Saturday, November 6. PEO is all about education for women, giving out grants, scholarships and low-interest loans to disadvantaged women in the Tucson area. The entry fee is \$500 per team of four and the format is a scramble.
- B. Sherry Fitzpatrick asked about the slate of officers for 2022 and Carol stated that the names would be posted 3 weeks before the November meeting as stated in the By-laws.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:50pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Ribacchi – Secretary