SBWGA-18 General Meeting Minutes from the December 7, 2021 General Meeting

The meeting was called to order by President Carol Bidwell at 12:52 PM. There were approximately 110 in attendance including members, past presidents and guests.

With no changes or additions, the minutes from the November General Meeting and the November financials were both approved as posted.

Carol announced that the sign up sheet for Presidents' Cup, our annual match play tournament, will be posted on the bulletin board shortly. A notice will be sent to the membership containing pertinent information along with the Conditions of Competition.

Nancy Sartor awarded "I Beat the Pro" pins to the 20 pairs whose net best ball scores were less than Jane and Carol's. Nancy read the names of the players of the 2021 Gross and Net Aces of the Month and gave each a pin commemorating this accomplishment. She also announced that Helen Graham and Margie Buhler were the 2021 Ace of Aces Gross and Net, respectively. Helen Graham and BJ Murray will be representing us at the AGA State Medallion tournament in January. Payouts for Eclectic, Birdies or Better and Chip-ins will be paid out after the 1st of the year. Nancy handed out special golf bag ornaments made by Takeyo Eakin to the members of the Surfer Chicks for winning the inaugural Solheim Cup. Lastly Nancy thanked her TPD team - Francie Entz, Judy Fick, Bonnie Westra, Lisa Graff and Gerry Sandilands for all their hard work along with many other members who contributed to a very successful golf year.

Maggie Falconer explained how the Par Points award is determined and gave Marie Kahng \$100 as this year's winner.

Audrey Costello, Maggie Falconer, CJ Johnson and Mary Floerke came to the podium where Audrey read a poem Around the World in 18 Holes, next April's Quail Classic theme. The dates are April 10-12. Members are encouraged to invite their guests for this fun event. CJ is in charge of special big ticket raffle prizes that she's hoping members will sponsor. Mary will be in charge of the other raffle items. Social golf groups are encouraged to donate raffle prizes.

Ann Chatham and Geri Sandilands thanked the membership for their generous support of YOTO. Many of our members have donated ornaments with inspirational messages attached that will be given to the kids at the YOTO canteen.

Seventeen past presidents of SBWGA were present at the holiday luncheon. Each was given a yellow long-stemmed rose as a symbol of wisdom and joy. Those in attendance were: Fay Steele (1998); Bobbie Manges (1999); Bevin Wagner (2000-2001); Karen Vander Jagt (2003); Nancy Wyllie (2005-2006); Ann Chatham (2007); Sandy Collins (2008); Gail Plimpton (2009); Karen Haddock (2010); Reenie Romey (2011); Geri Sandilands (2012); Kerry Wolfe (2013); Debra Finn (2015); Brenda Brown (2016); Sheila Clarkin (2017); Venetia Lewis (2018); and Sherry Fitzpatrick (2019). She also thanked her Board and the Advisory Committee for all their hard work and support; Mike Roddy and Mike Phillips for the fabulous condition of our courses; our world-class Pro Jane for all that she does not only for our league but for the community; Molly and the Pro Shop staff for making it easy to spend our credit book money; Fay Steele, Betty James, Irene Sorensen, Bevin Wagner, Arlene Lipscomb and other former members who graciously volunteered their time to help us with our Major and Special Tournaments; those members who chaired our tournaments - Judy Fick, Deanna McCann, Nancy Sartor, Angie Denahan, Mary Floerke, Debra Finn, Cathe Kropp and Reva Stolpe and others whose names Carol accidentally forgot to mention.

Carol gave the oath of office to the new elected Board consisting of Ann Stonecipher (President), Nancy Sartor (Vice President), Jo Ann Ellison (Secretary), Patty Mawe (Treasurer), Francie Entz (Tuesday Play Day Chair), Lisa Graff (Special Tournament Chair), Sandi Chester (Handicap Chair) and Deanna McCann (Membership Chair). Carol then presented Ann with the gavel.

Ann presented Carol with a silk floral arrangement (the ultimate low maintenance plant) and the President's medallion.

Ann asked if there was any new business. Hearing none she adjourned the meeting at 1:47 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Carol Bidwell