

SBWGA General Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, February 6, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Venetia Lewis at 7:40 a.m.

Having no corrections, the December financials were approved.

Molly Fullerton and Reenie Romey had questions regarding the December financials; specifically on budget items regarding tournaments. A letter has been sent to the membership from Venetia Lewis and Karen Vander Jagt to clarify their questions.

Having no corrections, the January general meeting minutes were approved.

Bernie Eaton had suggestions on the mental game of golf. Some of his suggestions were: there is no picture on the scorecard, stay in the present (same routine each time), learn to love your driver, putter and wedge, get out of your head, use good course management, and most importantly, have fun!

Bernie also reported on progress of using the red/aqua tees. He is working on getting a more acceptable rating for the red/aqua tees.

He also reported on the plans for reconstructing SaddleBrooke 2. New liners and sand will be added and during this time, he hopes the bunkers in the back will be reconfigured with half of the right side of the left bunker and half of the left side of the right bunker removed.

Sponsors – Nancy Huffman introduced our sponsor of the month, Tyler Morgan of First Inspection, a gold sponsor. He gave a brief presentation of his company. Brochures were available on the tables.

Nancy also referred everyone to a flyer on the table from Spirit West. They are hosting an event the morning of March 8 at Top Golf. Beverages and light refreshments will be provided.

Also on the table was a note regarding Brakemax specials.

Venetia L thanked those that donated \$10 on behalf of the Board of Directors and the membership.

Charley Johnson introduced the Most Improved Player for 2017 in the SBWGA. Brenda Brown was presented the award in addition to a check for \$100. Her handicap went from 15.4 at the beginning of 2017 to 11.7 at the end of that year.

Judy Melo reported on the 3 Queens and a King tournament which will be held Tuesday, February 27. There has been a great response. The sign up sheet will be taken down on February 16. Registration is at 7:00, followed by an 8:00 shotgun. The luncheon will be a buffet. If you don't have a team, there are still spots where the committee can fit you in.

Molly Fullerton reported that she continues to have same day cancellations on league day. Please, if you sign up to play, don't cancel if at all possible!!

Molly also reported on the Club and Senior Club Championship which will be held on March 13, 15 and 20. Molly and Deb Finn have worked to make this year's event more equitable than last year. Those ladies who play from the red/yellow tees on ACE day will compete from the red/yellow tees for Club Championship. Those ladies who play from the red tees on ACE Day will compete from the red tees. Those playing from the red tees will be flighted. Ladies who turn 72 any time in 2018 are eligible to play for the Senior Club Championship. They will be flighted with others with similar handicaps but will make a notation on the signup sheet if they would like to compete for the Senior Club Championship. Anyone who plays from the red tees on ACE Day is eligible to compete from the red/yellow tees for Club Championship. The sign up sheet is up. Kay Kunze has again agreed to host the party at her home.

Eila Sallaberry reported on the Catalina Cup. Anyone with a 26 or lower handicap is eligible to play in Catalina Cup. If you have any questions, please contact Eila or Kerry Crowell.

On March 26 SaddleBrooke is hosting Catalina Cup. If anyone would like to loan their cart for this day, there is a sign-up sheet downstairs. The carts would be needed by 11:00 a.m. the day of the event.

Deanna McCann reported that Southern District play is closed for this month. The Del Sud tournament, a two-day tournament March 6 and April 3, is hosted by SaddleBrooke. If you are playing ACE Day on those days and are a member of Southern District, you will automatically be in the tournament.

Carol Bidwell thanked everyone for their prompt play in the President's Cup. The semi finals and finals are being played now. Carol offered her congratulations to Reenie Romey on her win of the Criers Cup in the consolation round. She was awarded a box of kleenex and a sleeve of balls.

Angie Denahan reported on the Quail Classic which will be held on April 15, 16 and 17. You may invite a non-SBWGA member (can invite a 9'er) with a GHIN. There will be a cocktail party on the evening of April 15. A practice round will be available from April 8-15. The cost will be \$170/person which includes the cocktail party, two lunches and prizes. Raffle tickets will be available for purchase – please support!! Call Angie D or Sandy Collins with questions or to sign up to volunteer for the event.

In Sally Drennen's absence, Connie Culley introduced four new members and their big sisters:

- Ellen Avenoso, big sister Connie Culley
- Barb Eisenberg, big sister Carol Bidwell
- Bette Wald, big sister Sandy Collins
- Judy Briney, big sister Kathy Minx

Connie had handbooks available today for those who hadn't yet received theirs.

Sandra Murray presented break pins:

- Under 100 – Kaye McCollom and Vernie Tupa

Under 90 – Nancy Huffman and Pam Bicknell
Under 80 – Takeyo Eakin and Sandra Murray
Sign up for league has been moved to Wednesday at 2:00 p.m. Please remember to sign up ASAP for league days!

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Sarah Earnest, Secretary