

SBWGA-18 General Meeting Minutes Tuesday, October 16, 2018

Before the meeting was called to order, Sandra Murray announced that next week we will play Catalina twice in the morning, the game being 'ringer'.

President, Venetia Lewis, called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Venetia reminded everyone of the two upcoming rules seminars on October 22; the first will be held at 8:00 a.m. at HOA1 and the second at 2:00 p.m. in the MountainView Ballroom.

Venetia received 'rule changes' for those 65 and older from Bonnie Barker - a little humor for all.

Venetia read excerpts from Every Shot Must Have a Purpose. There were ideas to help us improve our mental game of golf.

The August 2018 Financials were approved as posted.

The September 2018 General Meeting Minutes were approved as posted.

The Nominating Committee will post the slate of new board members on Tuesday, October 23. Nominations will not be accepted from the floor. The election will be by ballot unless there is a single slate nominated.

Venetia presented a gift and card from the membership to Bernie Eaton. He will be leaving for another position. She thanked him for all he has done for our organization and for the club as a whole. Bernie thanked everyone for their support in the years he has been at SaddleBrooke. Troy Jewkes will be acting head pro until the end of the year.

Troy J talked about loft of irons. Loft angle and loft of irons can be used interchangeably. He spoke of trajectory and the degree of loft in different clubs.

Troy holds a monthly clinic for SBWGA-18 members. The class is \$10 and is for 8-10 members at a time. The notice of dates/times is on the downstairs bulletin board.

DeDe Crowder introduced one of our sponsors, Dr. Robert Mitchell from Oro Valley Eye Care, which is locally owned and has been in business for eight years. They are a primary eye care facility. Dr. Mitchell's associate, Miguel Nakono, spoke of health care prevention and measuring antioxidant levels, especially as it relates to macular degeneration. Oro Valley Eye Care is a sponsor for the Quail Classic.

Charley Johnson announced the charity for 2018, Emerge! Since we are a women's organization, we want to support women. Emerge! provides shelter for domestic abuse victims. The shelter is primarily funded through donations. This year, they are celebrating their 10th anniversary; October is Domestic Abuse Awareness month and donations will be doubled for 2018. They have a 24-hour hotline staffed by mostly

volunteers. For more information, their website is www.emergecenter.org. A representative will be attending the January 8 luncheon. If you would like to make a one time only donation rather than contribute to the heart box, contact either Karen Vander Jagt or Kathy Minx.

Connie Culley introduced a new member, Emily Wierenga. Audrey Costello is “Em’s” big sister. She was encouraged to join our league by Shellie Pierce. There are three other new members – Helen Graham, Martha Foresman, and Laurel Parrott. They were not able to attend today.

Filling in for Ginny Ford and Brenda Brown, Venetia L reminded everyone of the upcoming Cactus Classic. The dates are November 13, 15, and 17 at SaddleBrooke. This is a 3-day net tournament played from the red tees. There is a shotgun on the first day and the following two days are tee times. Forms are on the bulletin board and November 6 is the signup deadline. Kathy Minx is a sponsor for this event.

Tomorrow (October 17) is the deadline to sign up for the Robson Challenge. A field of 12 players is needed to participate.

Deanna McCann reported on the Southern District. Phyllis Sarrels won the Del Sud which was a two day event held in March and May. The Telegraph Tournament will be held on ACE Day, November 20. The winners will be flighted.

Jan Kreis gave an update on Kachina. The dates for upcoming Kachina are November 26 - Skyline, December 10 – The Views, January – MountainView/Preserve, February – Del Lago, March – Highlands. The signup is on the bulletin board. Cost is \$68, shotgun at 9:00. Checks should be made payable to Kachina.

Sandra Murray told us that Tuesday Play Day is made possible by help from her committee consisting of Takeyo Eakin, Bonnie Westra, Sharon Kreutzen, Chris Smith and Pam Bicknell. She asked if everyone is enjoying getting the game sheets for each week and said that she would continue to provide these in 2019.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Sarah Earnest, Secretary