

COUPLES GOLF GENERAL MEETING

SHADOWS RESTAURANT

November 19, 2017

President Susan Toder called the meeting to order at 5:45 p.m.

There were 82 members present.

The General Meeting minutes from March 19, 2017 were approved by Susan Moss, seconded by Ginny Doell. All in favor.

Susan reminded the membership to regularly check the website for all relevant information concerning couples golf.

She introduced the board members, giving each a chance to address the membership.

President, Susan Toder: Susan keeps the couples golf club running smoothly, thanks to her many hours of work on our behalf. She is the chief organizer, attending meetings, chairing meetings and keeping all of us informed.

Vice President, Linda Lunghamer: Linda is responsible for setting the menus for our delicious dinners with the food and beverage service.

Linda asked the members if they had enjoyed the turkey dinner, and loud applause was the response! It was scrumptious, and she thanked all the staff involved. Linda reminded anyone with allergies to note this on the website. The members can always contact her with any questions or comments.

Membership, Joyce Johnson: Joyce is the first person that our members contact, as she receives all registrations. If you don't have a ghin number, Joyce takes care of that too.

Handicap Chair, Jacqui Chin: Jacqui checks all the posted scores for accuracy, a time consuming task!

Jacqui encouraged the members to post their scores as soon as possible. She suggested each couple should keep a separate score card that they could take home so they would not forget their score before posting. Jacqui reminded everyone that the website has helpful information about handicaps and equitable score adjustments.

Treasurer, Larry Kunstler: Larry handles all the money for the couples golf club, including the hole in one fund.

Larry reported that we have \$3248.65 in the bank. From that money, The Can/Am and Member/Member tournaments will be subsidized with a total of \$2500.

Tournament Directors: Goldie and Don Kane: Goldie and Don set up the foursomes and the games, and work closely with Bryon Smith for the score cards and scoring.

Goldie apologized for the errors in handicaps on the score cards, and assured everyone that they were corrected for the final scores of the day. They are using a new tournament program, and all the little glitches are getting fixed. She stated that sign ups tomorrow morning for the general membership would

be done as per usual on the couples golf website. The board members will do a trial run of the sign up on the new program. Everyone thanked Don and Goldie for the great job they do in making couples golf so enjoyable!

Secretary, Shirley Bergman: Shirley records the minutes of meetings and **NEVER** talks.

Past President, Arnold Choy: Arnold is a non-voting, advisory member of the couples Board. We certainly appreciate his advice and experience.

Webmaster, Merlina Tate: Merlina is a non-voting member of the Board. She is responsible for the very attractive and informative couples website.

Susan also introduced our **GAC Committee representatives**, who attend the GAC meetings and keep us informed of any relevant information concerning our golf course. Thank you, **Don Hauser** and **Jim Angus**.

The next event is December 3; sign up is tomorrow morning at 8:00 a.m. Cart path only will no longer be in effect! That will speed up play!

Susan reminded the members that they can choose their playing partners for the Member/Member tournament. The very popular Can/Am tournament will once again be chaired by Canadians, **Linda and Herb Simon**, and Americans, **Jim and Nancy Angus**. Your good work is much appreciated. Thank you!

A question was posed by Larry Blazeovich concerning the sign up for the two tournaments. Susan replied that usually the sign ups are on the website; however, more information will be available nearer to the tournament dates.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:58 p.m.; so moved by Larry Kunstler, seconded by Martin Harris.

Respectfully submitted by Shirley Bergman