

**TLQWGC GENERAL Meeting  
FINAL REPORT - GENERAL MEETING  
MARCH 4, 2020**

**Date:** March 4, 2020

**Welcome:** Pam Rutherford

**Call to Order:** 12:43 pm

**Pam Rutherford, President:**

\*Pam discussed the Club's concern about WGC members' pace of play. She stresses that she wants the rounds to be enjoyable and that maintaining a well-paced time is part of that. She gave several suggestions for improving pace of play. They were to write scores down when you arrive at the next t-box and also have the rider in the cart keep the scores. We also had Pace of Play Team Captains during the round today. Most groups felt this helped them to stay on time.

\*Mary Jane would like someone to be a back-up person for her in her position as Sweeps Chair. It would help her be more efficient.

\*Volunteers are needed for the appointed positions of Rules Chair, Social Chair, and Historian. These positions will be open starting May 1. Pam praised Linda Wheat for her exceptional work serving as Rules Chair for 6 (non-consecutive) years, and thanked Linda's Committee.

\*On March 24, WGC is having a day when members can play from any of the women's t-boxes, white, combo, or green. We are piloting this option for Tuesday play to collect data to see how it would work.

\*Pam asks all Rats to stay after the meeting to discuss options for summer play.

**Board Member Reports:**

**Helen Richards, Vice President**

\*Helen awards Lyna with a pin for the low net score in February of 66.

\*There were no First Time Milestones in February.

### **Lyna Newman, Tournament Chair**

\*Lyna talked about the Solheim Cup results. We are presently up 3-1 in matches. The next match is March 8. The results for the Solheim Cup will be on the website under the Solheim Cup tab.

\*Lyna said that the Member/Guest Tournament on March 10, is sold out and is and all set to go. Members will really enjoy what the committee has planned for the event.

### **Sue Sweet, Parliamentarian**

\*Sue asked WGC members to vote on the Slate of Officers for 2020/2021: this slate included Pam Rutherford, President, Helen Richards, Vice President, Sandy Jamison, Treasurer and Marilyn Crawford, Secretary, and Lyna Newman, Tournaments. The slate was unanimously approved by the Women's Club members.

\*The Women's Club members voted unanimously to change the wording of two by-laws. The revisions were given to members to review at last month's meeting. The Bylaws on the Website will be updated to reflect the changes.

### **Linda Wheat and Bonnie Campbell, Rules Committee**

\*Linda and Bonnie distributed handouts and discussed several rules that members are having difficulty with. They are rules 19.3 and 15.2a. They relate to relief options for an unplayable ball in a bunker and having a ball land in or on a movable obstruction.

### **Mary Jane Blanchfield, Sweeps**

\*Mary Jane discussed the upcoming Guest Day scheduled for April 7. WGC members are encouraged to bring a guest to Tuesday play that day but can play with another member if they don't have a guest. The game will be 2 best balls net. Sweeps will be free that week, paid for by the WGC. The cost for guests will be the Greens fee cost.

### **Rita Sipe, Rats and Birds Tournament**

\*Rita encouraged all members to sign up on the website for the tournament, being held on March 31. Members must scroll down on the site to find all the sign-up spots for tournament and horse race for each team, Rats and Birds. As of today, not many Rats have signed up.

\*The Horse Race pairs one Rat with one Bird. It is a random draw based on handicaps. Players play 6 holes, being eliminated if they cannot get closest to the hole. The scoring is gross. Players play alternate shots until they reach the hole. Whoever is eliminated on that hole does not T-off on the next hole. There is also pari-mutuel betting on teams done by team members or spectators. After the race all Rats and Birds will meet in the Santa Rosa Room for a party. This year Birds each bring a bottle of wine and Rats provide the food.

**DRAWINGS FOR DOOR PRIZES**

Karen Miller, Lois Mauser and Holly Sharps each won a bottle of wine as a door prize.

**NEXT GENERAL MEETING: Date TBD in November.**

The meeting was adjourned by Pam Rutherford at 1:22 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne Martin, Secretary

