

Seniors Committee Meeting - Minutes

Date:

27th March 2024 at 10:00 hrs

Attendees:

Ian Newman (IN), Larry Austin (LA), Steve Kitney (SK), Allan Bentley (AB), Graham Chadwick (GC), Keith Broom (KB)

Apologies:

None

Minutes:

Minutes of the previous meeting on 14th February were approved and recorded

Actions to be completed from last meeting:

All actions were completed.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

INCOME:

Income to date is £873.00

Gross income from Monday competitions is £603.00

Two's competitions gross income is £120.00

The Christmas lunch raffle raised £150.00

EXPENSES:

Expenses to date are £565.00

Prize money paid out to Monday competition winners is £445.00

Two's competitions prize money paid out to date is £120.00

NET INCOME:

Net surplus to date amounts to £308.00

Matters Arising:

- Senior Contact List Update, AB advised that the seniors contact list has been updated and will be used throughout the summer season to communicate with the senior members in addition to posts on the notice board.
- New Forest Golf Club Seniors Rally - AB advised that we have been approached by the New Forest Golf Club to participate in their August Seniors rally on Tuesday 20th August. Details are to be posted on our notice board. The committee will put in a team and hopefully others will as well.
- Reintroduction Friday Roll Up - IN advised Steve Pockneall has allocated the Seniors six tee slots from 7.45 am onwards commencing April 12th. The Roll Up will be on a first come first served basis and run in the same way as the Wednesday Roll Up and we will inform the members via email. **ACTION AB**

- Trophies and Engraving - KB advised that the Seniors will follow the club in having whisky tumblers as prizes for our Matchplay competitions, and retain our existing engravers for the perpetual trophies.
- Inter Club Matches - The Sturminster Marshall home fixture on 4th April has been postponed due to course conditions and has been rearranged for 16th May. Wolfedale are on notice we might need to similarly postpone their fixture as well. Unfortunately, Queens Park have advised they are dropping out of their fixtures due to a lack of interest from their members. However, AB has approached New Forest Golf Club to see if they wish to play us this summer and that looks promising.
- Next Social and Fund raisers - The fun competition on 22nd April will be a 3-clubs and a putter challenge (non-qualifier). On 28th May, we are looking for the fun competition to be a Texas Scramble with shotgun start and food (sandwiches, sausage rolls & chips) afterwards for a total cost of £10, including prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd. that will be communicated to the members via email and noticeboard. **ACTION AB**

Any Other Business

- Wednesday & Friday Roll Ups – It was agreed that the participants will pay their £2 before playing. **ACTION GC/SK**
- The closing date for the matchplay entries is fast approaching, a final email reminder will be sent out to members this week. **ACTION AB**
- We discussed the potential lack of use of the shoe/trolley cleaning area at the new entrance to the changing rooms once the compressor has been installed. A sign adjacent to the 18th green is considered a good idea and will be discuss with Steve. **ACTION IN**

Next Meeting

March 27th at 12:00

Allan Bentley

Secretary Senior Section