

Clearview Seniors Golf Club Board of Governors
Minutes of the Meeting held July 29, 2025.

• **Attendance:**

Chuck Aiello, Joe Bass, Paul Coburn, Larry Feilich, Barney Gallagher
Tom Giudice, Peter Modifica, Mike Pirone, Wayne Pokstis, Rudy Popolizio,
Sal Tobacco, Paul Vassallo, Leroy Wade

Former Presidents: George Diamond, Irwin Katz

Excused, Tom Doherty, Lido Tenaglia, Alan Schultheiss,
Guests:

George Diamond called the meeting to order at 10:02 AM at Mr. Diamond's House.
The meeting began with the Board members reciting "The Pledge of Allegiance", and a moment of silence was observed to honor all past deceased members and those members that are ill.

Opening Remarks: President Larry Feilich

President Feilich opened the meeting and announced that Clearview's GM has moved our September Outing to September 17 and in October we will be using a shot gun start.

Minutes:

Secretary Giudice read the minutes of the June 24th Board Meeting and requested that the Minutes be accepted. Mr. Pirone seconded the motion, and the Board Members confirmed passage of the Minutes.

Financial Report:

Treasurer Coburn presented a Report stating that the balance of funds as of 7/29/25 is \$7,924.72. This includes expenses of \$2357.06 for payment to MGA and collection of \$730 of sponsorship monies. Mr. Popolizio questioned why the Club is spending \$2357.06 for MGA when our Treasury is limited in its funds. It was pointed out that in previous years the Club had been criticized for the calculation of handicaps under the free software the Club was using. Now the MGA is a professional organization that specializes in the recording and calculations of handicaps. Also, there was a significant amount of work related to the old system and MGA can be used to handle scores from non-league play. The Board agreed to continue with MGA.

Mr. Coburn reported that our June application for the Club's "non-profit status" has not been acted upon. The required department is only handling applications prior to May 8. Mr. Coburn stated that once the Club is approved, the Club will be required to make a Charitable Contributions to a Charity to maintain the status as non-profit. Mr. Coburn asked the members to suggest worthy organizations for consideration for our next meeting.

Treasurer Coburn announced that for the September Outing Mr. Popolizio will be given a budget of \$100 for each of the flight champions. The fee for entry to the Outing will include all the expenses to run the event.

Outings:

Mr. Popolizio began his report by suggesting we place a business card from each sponsor into each goody bag that each participant receives.

The list of committees has been created and Mr. Popolizio has begun to match the member volunteer to each of the committees.

Mr. Popolizio moved to have the fee for the September Outing be \$160, Mr. Giudice seconded the motion and it passed.

Mr. Feilich announced that his daughter will donate “hole flags” for the September Outing.

Rules

Mr. Gallagher distributed the new Rules brochure. Mr. Katz pointed out that Rule 4.3 is incorrect. The winner of the “A” flight championship will earn the title of “Club Champion”. The Rules will be amended to reflect that error.

Mr. Feilich announced that due to a lack of membership and many members not having 8 rounds The President’s Cup will be cancelled this year. There were alternative proposals suggesting ways to having a President’s Cup competition but the Board decided to cancel it for this year.

The question was raised concerning members not wearing the Club Uniform. The Board will reinstitute the practice that if a member does not wear the Club Uniform after an initial warning, the golf score will not be entered towards championship play.

New Business:

Mr. Modifico stated that he has ordered new hats to match the Club’s blue shirts. Questions arose as to the advisability of continuing with that approach since, one, there is only 3 months left for the Season, (two), the Board will return using the white shirts after this year.

Mr. Modifico will check to see if he can stop the order, and if so, select another hat for the Club for next year.

Conversation arose of members choosing to wear the white shirts over the blue shirts due to extreme perspiration. Mr. Tobacco suggested to make the blue shirts only mandatory for the September Outing and the Awards Dinner. Also, Mr. Wade explained to Mr. Modifico that a note be placed on the initial application form that members are required to wear the Club’s uniform when playing and attending golf events.

Mr. Katz said that a letter will need to be created to invite past members to the Awards Dinner. Invitees will be required to pay for their attendance.

Mr. Katz suggested to count the September and October rounds from the previous year towards the required current year’s 10 rounds needed for qualifying for competing in the Championship Round and The President’s Cup. The Board passed the resolution with a 7 to 6 favorable vote.

Adjourn:

Mr. Katz moved to adjourn the meeting, Mr. Giudice seconded the motion, and the members voted in favor.