

Minutes of the Clearview Seniors Golf Club  
General Membership Meeting  
October 16, 2024

**Call To Order**

Tom Giudice opened the meeting at 1:00 PM at Verdi's of Whitestone. Mr. Giudice led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance, and then asked for a moment of silence for ill and deceased members. Tom asked for prayers for Joe Valenza who entered hospice. Mr. Valenza has been a long-standing member who served the Club as President for many years and was a consigliere to past presidents and members of the Boards of Directors.

Mr. Giudice mentioned that the Board of Directors has spent many hours in making changes to improve the operations of the Club. In particular, Alan Schultheiss, Chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee, has proposed changes to the By-Laws which the membership will be asked to approve at the meeting. Mr. Wolf, Chairman of the Tournament Committee, introduced changes to the competitive events held this year to allow more members to participate and compete for prizes. Tom mentioned that all the work by the Board was to fulfill the aim of providing a friendly and competitive environment for the play of golf.

Mr. Giudice turned over the meeting to President Feilich to be the Master of Ceremonies for the balance of the meeting.

**Mr. Feilich Remarks:**

President Feilich opened his remarks by announcing that next golf season will be the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Club and the Board has begun plans for a gala celebration. Larry displayed a proposed new golf shirt for the 50<sup>th</sup> that his daughter designed for the celebration. President mentioned that the hope is that the Club can attract one or more sponsors to pay for the shirts and allow their logo to be placed on the sleeve for recognition and acknowledgment of their sponsorship. Below is a picture of the shirt.

**Minutes:**

Since last year's gathering did not have any elections or proposed changes there was no minutes to be voted on.

**Treasurer' Report:**

Mr. Paul Coburn stated that the Club's check book and register were audited by Mr. Pirone and Mr. Feilich and received a valid and accurate account.

Paul stated that the actual 2024 financial balance, accounting for income and expenses, was \$3260.00. The bank balance which accounts for partial 2025 dues is \$13,710. Mr. Coburn emphasized the importance of increasing the number of sponsors in 2025.

**New Business:**

Mr. Matt Dowd raised the issue that the Club Championship should allow members in flights "C" and "D" be eligible to compete for Club Championship. After an explanation for the current rationale for this year's approach

President Feilich stated that the Board will consider Mr. Dowd's suggestion for the 2025 tournament.

Mr. Irwin Katz asked that Mr. Feilich poll the members to determine if all players should play from the red tees in 2025. The Board at a previous meeting had agreed to a trial for such a play and decided to introduce the subject at the general membership meeting. A passionate discussion ensued and there was division for the proposal. Mr. Feilich announced that the topic will be studied and a decision rendered before the 2025 season.

**Club Winners:**

President Feilich announced the winners for the President cup and the names are attached to the Minutes.

Larry then announced Howie Weiss as this year's Club Champion, and showed the special trophy that was created to mark this year's award. The trophy allows for multiple year winners. Mr. Feilich stated that the practice will be to have each year's recipient hold the trophy for one season and award it to the following year's winner.



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## **CLUB CHAMPION**

**HOWIE WEISS**

**2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**SHLOMO KOGOS**

**3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE**

**MIKE WHYTE**

## **FLIGHT "A"**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**GROSS**

**JOE BASS**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE NET**

**JAY PRIVEN**

## **FLIGHT "B"**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**GROSS**

**ANTHONY VERNACI**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE NET**

**LARRY FEILICH**

## **FLIGHT "C"**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE GROSS**

**ANGELO DIFILIPPI**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE NET**

**FRANK SAVARESE**

## **FLIGHT D**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE GROSS**

**BYRON WASHINGTON**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE NET**

**WALTER BLOHM**

## **PAST PRESIDENTS**

**GEORGE DIAMOND**

**IRWIN KATZ**

**JOE VALENZA**

**JOHN YACOVONE**

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## **PRESENTATION OF AWARDS**

Larry Feilich  
President

Sal Tobacco  
Vice President

Tom Giudice  
Recording  
Secretary

Paul Coburn  
Treasurer

### Board of Governors

Joe Bass  
Tom Doherty  
Steve Mendelsohn  
Pete Modifica  
Mike Pirone  
Rudy Popolizio  
Tony Rivera  
Alan Schultheiss  
Lido Tenaglia  
Paul Vassallo  
Leroy Wade  
Stu Wolf

1<sup>st</sup> Alternate  
Wayne Pokstis  
2<sup>nd</sup> Alternate  
Chuck Aiello

### **PRESIDENTS CUP**

#### **FLIGHT "D"**

**3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE**

**LOW NET**

**SAL TOBACCO**

**LOW GROSS**

**WES WARCHOL**

**2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**LOW NET**

**DOMINICK URSO**

**LOW GROSS**

**TOM GIDICE**

#### **FLIGHT "C"**

**3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE**

**LOW NET**

**PETE MODIFICA**

**LOW GROSS**

**MATTY DOWD**

**2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**LOW NET**

**RUDY POPOLIZIO / IRWIN KATZ**

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