

Minutes of the Ferndown Forest Golf Club Ladies Committee
11th May 2026

		ACTIONS
1	Attendees: Carol Guest (CG), Gail Leyland (GL), Caroline Sard (CS), Carol Thornton (CT), Penny Knight (PK) and Steve Pockneall (SP).	
2	Apologies: Martha Tucker (MT) and Janice West (JW).	
3	Approval of the minutes from the last meeting: The minutes from the meeting on 13 th April 2026 were approved.	
4	Matters arising from minutes: The summer knockout has been advertised and the first two results have been recorded. JW has contacted the Dorset Physio to share the committee decision not to go forward with a workshop JW has contacted Jane Miles regarding the summer social roll ups in May and June. SP confirmed that he will be organising the Leigh Clark memorial shortly.	
5	Treasurer's Report: There is £235.01 in cash and £1394.63 in the bank. The money in the bank includes the £200 deposit to Golf Breaks, which has been repaid, and charity donations of £285.00. That leaves a balance of £1324.64.	
6	Captain's Charity Day - 10th June 2026. A good range of items have already been donated for the silent auction. SP agreed to produce a poster and advertise the event via a newsletter. The event will be a Florida Scramble over 18 holes. Tee times will be from 9.16am until 11.32am and the welcome desk will be manned from 8.30am. All entrants will be given a scorecard, instructions for the game, a ball and a token for refreshments afterwards. It was agreed that the prizes will be champagne and chocolates for the winning team, Cremant and chocolates for second and prosecco and chocolates for third.	CG to liaise with SP. CG and CT to source prizes.
7	Ladies' Summer Roll-ups There was a roll up last Tuesday which 10 new ladies attended.	
8	Summer Eclectic A trophy has been allocated to the 9 hole eclectic.	
9	Succession Planning The membership of the committee will be reviewed at the AGM in November and the process for seeking new committee members, where needed, should start in September. It would also be appropriate to review the constitution at that time.	

10	AOB/Items for the next agenda As from the end of September Sturminster Marshall is changing to a pay and play course and will no longer be a member of the EGU. That means members will not have proper handicaps and therefore will only be able to play friendlies. Items for the next agenda: 1) Final arrangements for the Lady Captain's Charity Day. 2) PING 3) 3 clubs and a putter	
14	Date of the next meeting: 9 June 2026, 9.00am at the Forest Inn.	