

Kachina Women's Golf Association

General Meeting Minutes November 3, 2025

Meeting Location: Oro Valley Country Club – 1:30 pm

**Present:** Jane Anderson-President, Lynne Lombard-Vice President, Jenni Long-Treasurer, Sue Crickmore-Secretary, Nobi Pyle – LPGA Amateurs, Claire Baragona – MPWGA, Dena Knox-Quail Creek, Bonnie Stutzman and Michelle Lennox-SaddleBrooke, Michelle Young-Skyline.

SaddleBrooke Ranch was not present.

Jane Anderson called the meeting to order at approx. 1:30 pm. Handed out the Meeting Agenda and April 2025 General Meeting Minutes. Introduction were made. Jane announced that Del Lago decided to no longer participate in Kachina. Their 2025-2026 dues were refunded.

**April 28, 2025, General Meeting Minutes:** Minutes were reviewed, Claire Baragona made a motion to approve the minutes, Nobi Pyle seconded the motion. Motion was approved by all.

**Treasurer's Report:** Jenni Long handed out the 5/31/25 and 10/31/25 reports. End of the season balance as May 31, 2025, was \$7,854.46. Start of the new season the balance as of 10/31/25 is \$6,444.05. Discussion around current balance and possibly subsidizing future events to help reduce the cost participants pay. Example: giving participants a \$20 discount, KWGA paying for a portion of the golf/lunch cost, have KWGA pay for the 2026-2027 \$50 membership fee for clubs that participated in the current 2025-2026 season. Bonnie Stutzman made the motion to approve KWGA paying for the 2026-2027 season membership fees for current participating clubs. Dena Knox seconded the motion. Motion was approved by all.

Lynne Lombard made a motion to approve both Treasurer's Reports. Michelle Young seconded the motion. Motion was approved by all.

**Old Business:**

**Bylaws:** Each club received an update binder containing KWGA Guidelines – Standing Rules, Bylaws and Instructions on How to Host a Kachina Event. Sue Crickmore instructed Reps to turn to page 40 and scratch out the word Associates at the top of the page. The only people that can process a refund is the KWGA President and Treasurer.

**Perfect Golf refunds** include the credit card fee. If someone needs a refund, the player needs to contact the club representative, who in turn will reach out to the KWGA President for processing the refund (if applicable and within the allowed cancellation timeframe).

During the recent Kachina registration process there seemed to be confusion surrounding the **definition of a guest**. A Guest is a player who does not belong to a current participating Kachina Club. In addition, the guests must have active GHIN numbers. The Host Club will make every effort to pair the guest with the KWGA invitee. If that is not possible, they will be paired with a Kachina member.

Players signing up to play at an event cannot request to be paired with friends(s). Reps need to remind their members they cannot request playing partners and/or switch carts to play with whom they want. Kachina format is set up to have players meet people from other clubs.

**Registration Opens** – Events in Perfect Golf will open 60 days prior to event to reduce refund request. Lynne Lombard said the event may open sooner than 60 days, based on Monday prior to the actual 60 days. Example: The December 15 event opened on Monday, October 13. Lynne will work with the Club Host regarding the

opening date. Club Host will communicate the actual date to the Club Reps. However, the date on the website needs to reflect the correct opening date. Need to clarify on Website when registration opens....look at placing opening date on Schedule page under each event right above the Click here to register. This way the player knows when event opens and does not have to continue through the site.

Lynne will send an email to all registered players a week prior to the closing date with event details.

There is no maximum number of players for clubs. It is first come first served. SaddleBrooke will be different due to lack of golf carts. Starting with the January event there will be a drop-down menu for players to select their home club.

**New Business:**

As of the meeting, 43 players have registered for the December event at AZ National. Reps remind your members to register.

**Quarry Pines Event:** This is a Board sponsored event. Lynne Lombard proposed we consider a different fun format for the last event of the year. Suggestions included: 2 best ball – pick your own partner, 666, scramble, 4 person step aside scramble. Everyone liked the idea of a fun format. Reps were asked to email suggestions to Lynne.

The topic of inviting other Clubs to take part in Kachina was discussed. The following clubs will be contacted by the following people.

Desert Hills – Lynne Lombard

Tubac – Lynne Lombard

San Ignacio – Dena Knox

Tucson CC – Nobi Pyle

Omni Tucson – Open

Kachina Future Schedules: Jane informed reps that going forward, due to the lack of participating clubs, the Host Club Rotation will go back to a 2 year format – hosting every other year.

2026-2027 club schedule: 49er's, Quail Creek (11/30/26), SaddleBrooke Ranch and Mt View Preserve. The Board will host 2 events.

No other business – Dena Knox moved to adjourn the meeting. Sue Crickmore seconded the motion. Meeting ended at approximately 2:50pm.

Respectfully Submitted.

Sue Crickmore

Secretary