

9 Hole LGA General Meeting - Closing Day April 25, 2024

Maureen Hicks, Closing Day Chair welcomed everyone to the Closing Day luncheon, a Celebration of the Champs and Business Meeting. It was a fitting ending to a great season that mirrored the Olympic theme we had for Opening Day. Maureen introduced her Committee members: Denise Holter, Carole Gilbertson & Kathy Miller and the Championship Committee: Mary K Heyde & Muriel Gross. Maureen thanked Chef Roger and Ashley for all they do for our league.

Ashley announced today's winners.

Today's game: Bronze: JoAnn Snedeker, Maureen Hicks, Jackie Donnelly & Kathy Miller

Silver: Carolyn Kluding, Jessica Bethoney, Anne Hyde & Barbara Barrett

Gold: Elaine Stulberg, Renee, Duchainey-Farkes, Lynn Pisani and Jean Dailey

Two Chip-ins today on hole 7: Mary K Heyde and Susan McKeon

This season we also had two of our 9Hole LGA women have a Hole-in-One: Maureen Hicks and Denise Holter

For the 9Hole LGA Championship:

Club Championship: Jessica Bethoney (for the second year)

1st in the Championship Flight: Kathy Crits-Christoph

2nd Flight winner: Mary K Heyde

Second: JoAnn Snedeker

Third: Mary Ann Murphy

Outgoing President JoAnn Snedeker thanked Ashley for all he does to help our league with a gift and our members gave Ashley a standing ovation.

Mary Ann Murphy gave a very moving speech thanking JoAnn for all the work she has done on behalf of our league for which she too received a standing ovation. JoAnn called our League a special group of women.

General Business Meeting:

Mary Jane Sanacore made a motion to open the meeting, Mary Barry seconded the motion.

Angela Sheets made a motion to approve the minutes from the last General Meeting of October 19, 2023, Jean Arnold seconded the motion.

Treasurer Joan Campbell: Our bank balance and UPCC credit is \$5,752.90. There are still some outstanding bills.

Vice President and Membership Mary Ann Murphy listed all the new members this year and as of today we have 76 members. As of May 1st members will be charged \$60 on their Club bill for their membership dues unless they notify the Club and new membership chairperson.

Mary K Heyde reported that this year our league is required to review and revise our By-Laws. She and JoAnn Snedeker will do this over the summer and present their recommendations to the League on Opening Day.

Alyna Fricke is in charge of Birdie pins: Recipients this year were Alyna Fricke and Cynthia Pugliese.

Carolyn Kluding was our Sunshine person and Jackie Donnelly will be in charge next season. If you know of someone who is ill or has a family situation that we should acknowledge please contact Jackie at jkdchicago@gmail.com or 616-546-1792.

The Nominating Committee for 2024-2026 was Alyna Fricke, Maureen Hicks and Denise Holter, Carolyn Roberts and headed by Toni Meierhoff that proposed a slate for the following offices: President: Carole Gilbertson, Vice President and Membership: Jean Arnold, Secretary: Kim Huebner, Treasurer: Ann Hyde, and Communications jointly: Maureen Hicks and Mary Ann Murphy

Call for nominations from the floor, Carolyn Roberts

Call for motion to vote, Carolyn Roberts

The vote was unanimous to accept the slate. With thanks to the committee and congratulations to the new Executive Board. Chairpersons for events are members of the full board.

President JoAnn Snedeker thanked her outgoing Executive Board: Vice President Mary Ann Murphy, Treasurer Joan Campbell, Secretary Muriel Gross and Communications Mary Barry. In addition JoAnn thanked all the Event Chairs: Carole Gilbertson, Muriel Gross, Barbara Romig, Angela Sheets, Mary Ann Murphy, Toni Meierhoff, Mary K Heyde and Maureen Hicks

Mary Ann Murphy gave beautiful thank you remarks for all the work, time and effort that Joann has given to our 9 Hole LGA League.

The new Executive Board were introduced to the membership by JoAnn Snedeker. Incoming President, Carole Gilbertson presented JoAnn with a beautiful bouquet of flowers and talked about our next season and what the board hoped to accomplish with Opening Day starting on October 10th.

Call for a motion to adjourn from Mary Jane Sanacore, seconded by Mary Barry