9 Hole LGA Board Meeting April 6, 2023

Attending: JoAnn Snedeker, Mary Ann Murphy, Joan Campbell, Muriel Gross, Mary Jane Sanecore, Mary K Heyde, Angela Sheets, Sharon Davis, Toni Meierhoff.

Meeting called to order by President JoAnn Snedeker. A quorum was present.

Financial Report: Treasurer Joan Campbell has our bank balance as of March 31st at \$4,580.49

Membership: Mary Ann Murphy announced one new member for us to welcome, Karen Pagano. We will have a few resignations as the April 30th deadline for renewing membership in our 9Hole League approaches. Some members have found belonging to both the 9 Hole LGA and the 18 Hole LGA doesn't work for them. The following have already let us know and especially the Club (Stacy Rannazzizi ay the Club Accounting Department) that they will no longer be 9 Hole LGA members. Those leaving us are Gwen Murphy, Claire Wilcox, Kim Emmerson, and Marie Jaffee. We will miss them and thank them for their support and efforts on our behalf. Your May Club bill will reflect the \$60 charge for membership for the 2023-2024 Season. Our present membership stands at 85.

The Member/ Guest event was the talk of the Club. Everyone had a fantastic time from the game to the food and the ambiance that the event generated. Kudos to Sharon Davis and her committee for a job well done. I was a wonderful event enjoyed by all.

The two-day Championship became a real cliff-hanger with a tie-breaker. Jessica Bethoney won the two hole playoff becoming our League Champion and well deserved. Muriel Gross won the Second Flight, Mary Barry won the Third Flight and Lynn Lockhorn won the Short Course. The following players won Pro Shop credit: Pamela Mathews, Lynda Morrison, Denise Holter, Jane Zuckerman, Sharon Davis and Vicki DiPaolo. We held the Championship Luncheon in the Varsity Club because we didn't have the participation we had hoped for. Barb Honeywell decorated the room beautifully and the food was fabulous, especially the cheesecake and strawberry compote. We wish to thank all women who took part in the event and supported our League. Sue Ertl was our guest and ran the tie-breaker on holes 10 and 11. Barbara Romig made a beautiful plaque making Sue an Honorary 9 Hole LGA Member. Sue was very appreciative of the honor and the plaque and also received a pen with her name and UPCC engraved on the side as a token of our admiration for all that she has done for our League.

Closing Day: Angela and her committee of Lynn Pisani and Kay Cirillo have the Closing Day signup sheet in the Pro Shop. The theme is 'Bye, Bye Birdie'. We will have a wonderful buffet lunch.

As part of Closing Day we have our required Business Meeting and officially present awards to the winners of the Championship event now that the trophies are engraved.

The Chairs for this past season should bring their Event Books to Closing Day.

There has been a discussion about accepting donations for our events from members with businesses in UP. Our approved policy is we do not actively solicit but are willing to accept donations without advertising. This was approved unanimously by the board.

Summer Play: Requests will continue to depend on the algorithm used by the Golf Genius operating system. It is not capricious but we will not always get the most desired or requested tee times. Mary Ann will continue to request Tuesday tee times and the Pro Shop will do the Thursday games. Cart sharing is gaining more popularity and is encouraged to keep the golf course in good shape.

Season 2023-2024 Schedule of Events: Next seasons line-up of our League events starting with Opening Day on Thursday, October 19th. Looking forward to having the Café for this event.

Toni Meierhoff would like to arrange a coffee in the Fall for all the women who will chair an event in our new season to look over the 9 Hole LGA bins that hold decorations we've used in the past that are still in good shape and can be adapted for other events.

A move to adjourn was made by Mary Jane and seconded by Mary Ann.