



ORCC WGA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, May 28, 2024

1. Call to Order – Meeting called to order by Suzi Good at 12:30pm
 - a. Suzi thanked everyone for the best pace of play to date.
 - b. She thanked Cameron for a great meeting day event. It was great fun.
 - c. Suzi called Kathy Sears and Susie Alexander to the front and thanked them for their 15 years (Kathy) and 7 years (Susie) for their time on the WGA board, running spring team and sweeps. They will be missed. Here's to their next chapter in life.
2. Advisory Board Updates
 - a. The Tee Box project will resume towards the end of August.
 - b. Matt (food and beverage) retired and moved to Mexico. We wish him well.
 - c. The new mats for the range are on order and should be delivered soon.
3. Old Business
 - a. The 2 Day still has spots for four more teams. We can have a total of 96 players. Right now 80 players have signed up and paid. We encourage anyone who hasn't signed up to do so. It is our most fun event of the season.
 - b. Club Championship starts on June 13th. There are many flights so please sign up if you haven't.



4. New Business

- a. It was brought to the boards attention that providing cash payouts for events at ORWGA is against the “Rules of Amateur Status” specifically rule 3#b. “Handicap Competitions – An amateur playing in a handicap competition is not allowed to accept prize money, but may accept any other prize up to a limit of 700 euros or US1000 in value, per competition, unless the national governing body has set a lower limit.” This really is a bit of a sticky wicket. Many comments were made and suggestions such as a gift card given out either at the end of the year or once a month. Note who won what, accrue for a year and the winner gets one gift card. This gentle scribe remembers years ago Nordstrom gift cards were given out as prizes. The board will be discussing this at length and will determine as to what is in the best interest of our membership. A survey will be sent out to all the WGA members to help then board determine what our best course of action should be on this matter.
5. Tournament 2 – Cameron – Today was the last day to sign up for the June 4th Guest Day. Our next meeting day is June 25th. The theme is Grand Old Game and is postable.
6. Sandi Sherman – Membership – she announced our newest WGA member – Kathy Bihr who was not in attendance. Birthdays this month were Patti Spyra, Heather Moro, Kelley Hartwyk, Cathy Gies, Sherry Vogeli and Ginny Trapani.
7. Patti Spyra reminded us that this quarter Ringer games runs through June. Club championship scores will count. Payouts will be at the July meeting. New sign-up sheets will be posted in July.



8. Rules – Charlotte reminded us to please repair all ball marks on the green, scuff marks and anything that mars the green in anyway. A question was asked if we are allowed to repair the edge of the cup before you putt. You are allowed to repair ball marks and flag marks but not normal wear and tear.
9. Handicaps – Diane – There were no Breakpins for April. The Low Net goes to Patti Spyra for net of 64.

Most improved golfers for April:

Debi Russell – 10.4 to 6.5

Kelley Hartwyk - 25.2 to 21.6

Debra Rodden – 26.1 to 22.6

10. Awards and Prizes:

There were 3 chip ins – Patti Spyra, Carla Watson and Carol Baghramian

Closest to the Pin – Hole #7 – Marsha Fatone 16'.4" & Hole #11 Debi Russell 2'10"

Today's round winners are:

Net:

1st Place: Chris Hardy, Kim Hughes, Heather Moro sand Betty Wucetich

2nd Place: Debi Russell, Emi Kobayashi, Carol Baghramian and Cameron Hernandez

3rd Place: Diane Balagna, Jeanette Nowlin, Sandi Sherman and Marsha Fatone



Gross:

1st Place: Robbie Luongo, Ginny Trapani, Kathy Jervik and Carla Watson

2nd Place: Lisa Mulvaney, Susie Streelman, Patti Rein asnd Patti Spyra

3rd Place: Charlotte Sanders, Cathy Gies, Kelley Hartwyk and Libby Thomas

Pace of Play winners: Charlotte Sanders, Cathy Gies, Kelley Hartwyk and Libby Thomas

Dinner for Two – Lynda Robinson

Appetizer – Kim Hughes

Cocktail – Patti Spyra

The meeting was adjourned at 1:15pm.

Recorded and respectfully submitted by Teri McCasland