



ORCC WGA Meeting Day Minutes

Tuesday, March 31, 2026

1. Call to Order: Meeting called to order by Kim Hughes at 1:00 pm. **Kim Hughes** welcomed everyone, noting the interesting game and perfect golf weather.

Suggestion Box Update for WGA: Suggestions were previously submitted through a written box in the locker room, which was difficult to monitor and respond to in a timely manner and occasionally included entries from kids. We now have an online “Suggestion Box” available at <https://orwga.com/>, which also allows us to respond in a more timely manner. Please use it to share ideas, suggestions for improvement, or feedback on what you’re enjoying.

2. Reports by Kathy Bihl:

Kathy shared that we’ll be continuing the monthly Cocktails with Kathy and Kim. The next one is Wednesday, April 22 at 5 p.m. It’s very informal, no agenda, just a chance to ask questions, share ideas, and connect. We’ll send an email reminder; please RSVP there.

3. Diane gives handicap report.

Posting has been inconsistent, with some days only about half of those on the tee sheet recording scores. After thoughtful discussion, the Women’s Golf Board has decided that all players are required to turn in a scorecard when playing during WGA times on Tuesdays and Thursdays. This will also support Diane in monitoring that scores are posted regularly and correctly, helping ensure fair and equitable handicaps for all of our games and tournaments.

- Most improved golfers February
 - Jenny Lee from 29.6 to 27.2
 - Suzi Good from 25.2 to 23.3
 - Patti Spyra. from 23.1 to 21.8
- Low Net February
 - Patty Spyra 64
 - Patty Spyra had a break pin: 89

4. Gail shares rules update.

Gail Teaford shared two reference sheets with the group. The first outlined the five areas of the golf course, putting area, teeing area, bunkers, penalty areas, and general area, and provided guidance on how rules apply in each.

A question was raised regarding accidentally striking a ball during a practice swing in the general area. The group discussed the rule and noted that clarification will be sent via email. Members are encouraged to watch for that communication.

Gail also reviewed the ORWGA approach to “gimme” putts. During meeting day events, sweeps, and ringer play, putts of up to 24 inches from the cup may be conceded to help with pace of play. However, many tournaments will still require all putts to be holed.

4. Taeko shares about April schedule for WGA

All members are encouraged to log in to the WGA website (orwga.com) to see the most up-to-date calendar information.

April 2: Guest Day

April 6 through April 10: Course closed. During this time, please support our Spring Team playing an away match at Dove Canyon on April 9.

April 14 and April 16: Regular WGA tee times from 8:00 to 9:30 a.m.

April 15: Nine and Wine

April 21 and April 23: Partner Eclectic Tournament

April 28: Meeting Day

April 30: Old Ranch will be hosting the Spring Team competition. No WGA tee times.

5. Barbara shared about upcoming and social events.

Friday, May 15 sip and tips-watch email for more details

May 22, Magic Castle Evening

6. Board update.

Kim announced with regret that Charlotte has resigned as Tournament I Chair due to increased personal commitments. Kim expressed sincere appreciation for Charlotte’s dedicated service on the board over the past two years and also thanked her for generously volunteering to run the Partner Eclectic Tournament later this month.

7. Charlotte reports Birds & Bees tournament results

Birds: 192 points — Winners

Bees: 168 points

Closest to the Pin:

Hole #5 — Birds: Charlotte Sanders, Bees: Kathy Bihl

Hole #11 — Birds: Stephanie Dunyon, Bees: Jeanette Nowlin

Charlotte also distributed additional prizes.

8. Kelly O’Connell shared March Birthdays

Sandy Sherman
Linda Kayajanian
Gail Teaford

9. Cathy Gies report.

Cathy Gies shared that members can visit the website and view the participation list to confirm whether they have signed up for an event.

May 5 is a paid Guest Day. This will be a themed and festive event, with a fee of \$95 that includes breakfast, lunch, cart, and prizes.

10. Patty Spyra shares ringer results:

A Flight:

1st: Diane Balagna

B Flight:

1st: Taeko Kanai

2nd: Emi Kobayashi

3rd: Yoko Miyano

C Flight:

1st: Patti Spyra

2nd: Suzi Good

3rd: Kathy Jervik

4th: Mary Sell

D Flight:

1st: Adrienne Biehl

2nd: Janice Harbin

9. Brian announced today's prize winners.

- Closest to the pin #7
 - Charlotte Sanders - 22' 7"
- Closest to the pin #11
 - Betty Wucetich - 3' 10"
- Winners
 - 1st Gross- Charlotte Sanders, Patti Spyra, Sharon Knobloch,
 - 2nd Gross- Lisa Mulvaney, Kelly O'Connell, Mary Sell, Adrienne Biehl
 - 3rd Gross- Kathy Bihl, Lynda Robinson, Suzi Good, Betty Wucetich
 - 1st Net - Kim Hughes, Allison Teel, Kerie Dawson, Kristie Pabst
 - 2nd Net- Susie Streelman, Aya Ito, Mary Wright, Janice Harbin
 - 3rd Net - Gail Teaford, Teri McCasland, Jessica Hoskin, Kathy Roberts
- Pace of Play
 - Kim Hughes, Kerie Dawson, Allison Teel, Kristie Pabst

The meeting was adjourned at 1:35

Recorded and respectfully submitted by Susie Streelman

