

Triggs Ladies Inner Club Meeting
March 5, 2014

The Triggs Ladies Inner Club Board met at 6:00pm on Wednesday, March 5, 2014 at The Fire.

Board Members Present: Barbara O'Neil - President, Pamela Brodeur – Vice President & Membership/Website Chair, Dawn Giguere - Secretary, Barbara Davis - Treasurer, Governors - Maribeth Brock, Karen Kutniewski, and Linda Albamonti, Laura Parziale – Handicap Chair.

Call to Order:

- Barbara O'Neil – President called the meeting to order at approximately 6:20pm

Minutes from Past Meetings to Review and Approve:

- There are no minutes to review and approve

2013 Club Championship Prizes:

- Barbara Davis (Co-Chair of the Club Championship Committee) will be looking into purchasing prizes for last year's Club Champions:
 - Championship Division: Lori DiPersio – Champion
Cheryl Rebello – Runner Up
 - First Flight: Claire McCorry – Champion
Kyong Kim – Runner Up
 - Second Flight: Maribeth Brock – Champion
Dawn Giguere – Runner Up

Treasurer's Report:

- Barbara Davis gave the Treasurer's report.

Handicap Chair's Report:

- Barbara O'Neil reported that Laura Parziale has volunteered to be Handicap Chair. The board has welcomed Laura as Handicap Chair and Barbara O'Neil handed over handicap information.
- Barbara O'Neil reported the annual RIGA handicap meeting will be held at Potowomut CC on March 19, 2014 at 4:00pm. Currently there will not be a representative for the Trigg's Ladies, but, Laura Parziale, Handicap Chair with contact Bob Ward, RIGA Executive Director for the minutes. Barbara Davis may be able to attend.

New Business:

- **Tournament Chair:**
 - Barbara O'Neil reported there is no tournament chair for the 2014 season. Tracy Higgins has volunteered to run 5 tournaments. The board discussed having a tournament committee. Members are asked to volunteer to create pairings and run one weekly tournament during the 2014 season.
 - Barbara Davis reported the following tournaments and dates:
Spring Training: April 12 & 19th
Open Day: April 26, 2014, 10:00am tee times off the front. Theme TBD
Member/Guest: June 25, 2014
Member/Member: Date TBD
Team Challenge: July 7, 2014, will be a RIGA women's weekly tournament. Trigg's Ladies will run the optional Birdie Pool and closest to the pin contest.

- **Annual Letter to Members:**
 - Barbara O'Neil will update and send the annual letter to members via e-mail.

- **Membership Fee:**
 - The board voted to increase the membership fee to \$175.00 - which will be due to Barbara Davis by April 12, 2014.
 - Members will be asked to notify Barbara O'Neil if they know of anyone interested in joining the Trigg's Ladies Inner Club who should receive a membership letter and application.

- **RIGA/RIWGA Merger:**
 - Barbara O'Neil reported that due to the merger, Triggs' members have been able to sign up for RIGA tournaments since February 3. Because this is the first season and Barbara wanted to ensure members were able to register for tournaments, Barbara asked that Triggs members pay the \$25.00 fee to RIGA directly if they want a membership with RIGA for the 2014 season.
 - Barbara O'Neil recommends having all Triggs members become a member of RIGA for the 2015 season by adding the \$25.00 RIGA fee to the Triggs membership fee. Anyone receiving a GHIN through the Triggs Ladies Inner Club would automatically become a member of RIGA. It is important that we support RIGA which is now the one organization in the state for all golfers and the state representative to the USGA.
 - Barbara O'Neil reported that Barbara Davis has accepted an invitation to be on the RIGA tournament committee, which is an honor.

- **Letter to Men's Club President:**
 - Barbara O'Neil will send the annual letter to the president of the men's club, requesting the use of the computer and requesting the Ryder Cup be scheduled for Sunday, September 14, 2014 and a donation of \$500 for Ryder Cup prizes.

- **Rules Refresher:**
 - Bob Ward, Executive Director of RIGA will be invited to present the annual “Rules Refresher”. The event will be open to the Ladies and Men’s Inner clubs and any golfers who are interested. We will also have a voluntary collection for the John Burke scholarship fund which awards scholarships to employees of golf courses.

- **Next Meeting Date:**
 - Next meeting is scheduled for March 24, 2014 6:00 pm at Fatima Hospital

- **Adjournment:**
 - There being no questions or further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:20pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Dawn Giguere
Secretary

TRIGGS LADIES INNER CLUB
Meeting Minutes
March 24, 2014

The Board of the Triggs Ladies Inner Club met at Fatima Hospital on March 24, 2014 at 6:00pm

Present: Barbara O'Neil, Pamela Brodeur, Barbara Davis, Dawn Giguere, Linda Albamonti, Maribeth Brock, Karen Kutniewski, Tracy Higgins

Call to Order: Barbara O'Neil, President, opened the meeting at 6:00 pm.

Treasurer's Report: Barbara Davis presented the Treasurer's Report.

Rules Refresher: Barbara O. will send Bob Ward an email and ask Bob if he would like to present a "Rules Refresher", hosted by the Triggs Ladies (at Triggs), on April 19th, 2014. The format will be questions that have come from members of the Triggs Ladies Inner Club.

Tournament Report: The Board discussed the procedure for calling the Pro Shop to register for tournaments. The board also discussed tournament formats for Opening Day, Member/Member and Member/Guest. The 2014 tournament schedule was discussed and Barbara O. will email the schedule to the Ladies of the Inner club.

Next Meeting Date & Place: The next meeting will be held on Monday, April 14 at 6:00 pm at Fatima Hospital to discuss Opening Day held on April 26th 2014.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at approximately 7:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Dawn Giguere
Secretary

Triggs Ladies Inner Club Meeting
April 14, 2014

The Triggs Ladies Inner Club Board and members met at 6:00 pm on Monday, April 14, 2014 at Fatima Hospital .

Board Members Present: Barbara O'Neil - President, Pamela Brodeur – Vice President, Dawn Giguere - Secretary, Barbara Davis - Treasurer, Governors -, Karen Kutniewski, Linda Albamonti

Excused: Maribeth Brock and Laura Parziale.

Members Present: Tracy Higgins

Call to Order:

- Barbara O'Neil – President called the meeting to order at approximately 6:00pm

Treasurer's Report:

- Barbara Davis gave the Treasurer's report and also reported that we have and counting 52 total members with 7 new member that have registered.

Opening Day:

- Opening Day will be April 26th, 2014
- Tracy Higgins will speak with Yogi about the dinner
- Tracy Higgins will set up the tournament and post the schedule on our website.
- Club Championship prizes will be awarded to the 2013 Champions.

Adjournment:

- There being no questions or further business the meeting was adjourned at 6:45pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Dawn Giguere
Secretary

TRIGGS LADIES INNER CLUB
Meeting Minutes
April 26, 2014

The Board of the Triggs Ladies Inner Club and members met at Triggs for the meeting to open the 2014 season, on April 26, 2014 at 2:00pm

Board Members Present: President - Barbara O'Neil, Vice President – Pam Brodeur, Treasurer – Barbara Davis, Secretary – Dawn Giguere, Governor – Maribeth Brock, Karen K., and Linda Albamonti

Call to Order: Barbara O'Neil, President, opened the meeting by reading the Triggs Ladies Inner Club's Mission Statement(written by member Sue Falcone):

Triggs Ladies Inner Club was formed in 1972, with the purpose of promoting an organized, competitive ladies golf league for players of all abilities. We foster friendships amongst women who have the same passion - playing golf. We strive to better ourselves socially through the group and competitively through the game. All members can look forward to a fun and competitive golf season.

Welcome: Barbara welcomed all returning and new members to the 42nd season of the Triggs Ladies Inner Club and introduced and thanked the Board for volunteering and going above and beyond to make this the best Ladies Inner Club:

Board

Pam Brodeur, Vice President
Barbara Davis, Treasurer
Dawn Giguere, Secretary
Maribeth Brock, Governor
Karen K., Governor
Linda Albamonti, Governor

Barbara also introduced and recognized the following Committee Chairs:

Pam Brodeur, Website Chair
Laura Parziale, Handicap Chair

RIGA/RIWGA Merger: Barbara advised that the merger of RIGA & RIWGA has gone thru, and Barbara suggested that any member that has not joined should in fact do so. The member fee to join is \$25.00. Barbara noted that since the merger, the RIWGA schedule will be open to the Triggs Ladies, because Triggs is a member of RIGA.

Volunteers: Karen Kutniewski, Governor, has volunteered to recruit members to volunteer and organize weekly tournaments since this year the Ladies Inner Club does not have a tournament chair, and also to help with events as needed. Barbara asked members to remember that this Club was founded and continued to run for 40+years due to the dedication and hard work of members who volunteer.

Barbara also reminded members that there is a raffle at the end of the season for members who volunteer and help during the season. The gift is a round of golf (with cart) at Triggs. Previous winners have been: Linda DaRosa – 2010, Luann Dias – 2011, Gerry Wholey – 2012, Patricia James – 2013. The Board has elected to be ineligible for this drawing.

Barbara noted the handouts in the members' packets:

- *Golf & Friendships
- *Amongst Her Peers
- *Handicap Committee's Policies
- *General Information & Player's Responsibilities
- *Rule cards that can be attached to golf bags

Barbara reminded players that they have to post all acceptable scores and not just the ones they want to so that their handicap is lowered. Barbara said that the handicap system only counts the best 10 of a player's last 20 scores so do not worry if you have a high score.

Barbara will post information regarding acceptable scores for posting but it is basically anytime you play 13 holes or more according to the rules of golf and you play your own ball from tee through holing-out.

Ringer Tournament: Barbara explained this season-long tournament and said she will keep track of ringer scores this year. This tournament is included in the membership dues. The tournament has four divisions and prizes will probably be \$35 and \$25 cash for first and second place by division.

Local Rules: Barbara said Local Rules are included in the handouts and posted on the website.

Tournaments: Barbara noted that we do not have a Tournament Chair for the 2014 season. Barbara advised that Karen K will have a list of tournaments that members can volunteer to sign up for and run a tournament.

Members must call the Pro Shop (401-521-8460) from Thursday through Saturday at noon for the following weekend (10 days in advance). On Saturday at noon, the remaining tee times reserved for the Ladies are released to the public.

Members must call the Pro Shop directly for tee times and cancellations. The member who volunteered to run that tournament will contact the Pro Shop for a list of members who have signed-up and will make pairings from that list.

2013 Club Championship Presentations: Barbara presented the awards for 2013 Club Championship to:

- * Lori DiPersio – Club Champion
- * Cheryl Rebello – Club Champion Runner-Up
- * Claire McCorry – 1st Flight Champion
- * Kyong Kim – 1st Flight Runner-Up
- * Maribeth Brock – 2nd Flight Champion
- * Dawn Giguere – 2nd Flight Runner-Up

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Dawn Giguere
Secretary