

Minutes of EBLGA General Meeting
July 7th, 2020

Jan Gordon, President called the meeting to order at 1:34pm.

Approval of the June 5th General Meeting – June 5th General Meeting Minutes were approved.

Raising the Maximum Handicap: Jan shared that after the General Meeting on June 9th where we discussed raising the handicap index from 36 to 44, that the Executive Committee made a slight change. Instead of basing the maximum handicap on the handicap index, the new course handicap maximum will be 44 for both Tuesday play and tournaments.

Filling the Treasury Position on the Executive Committee –Jan Gordon welcomed Dena Brunskill to the EBLGA Treasurer position effective June 12th 2020.

Niners- Jan shared that after 17 years of managing the coordination of the Niners, Judy Meseroll has decided it is time for her to hand over coordination for the Niners to others. The Niners group will divide the duties/responsibilities among several members for the remainder of 2020. Judy will continue to serve as the representative for the Niners on the Board of Directors through September.

New Members - Teresa Holm introduced our new members that were in attendance (Donna Stevenson, Monika Nochisaki, and Carol Sadeckas. We are currently at 14 new members with a possible two additional new members joining in the next week or so. Welcome!

Member/Member (June 22/23) - Vickie Hammer shared that we had 46 participants. In addition we had two markers who enjoyed the tournament so much they decided to join the league. Due to the larger number of participation and keeping expenses to a minimum, we were able to have 3 flights and pay an additional 3rd place in each flight. The video from the Member / Member tournament is on the EBLGA website www.eblga.com. Go to the “Events” page and click on “Watch the Video” under the Member/Member tournament.

SWING FOR A SISTER (July 14) - Shirley Trent shared that as of today we have 17 teams registered. The tournament can host 18 teams with a shotgun start. If you have not yet returned your registration, please do so as soon as possible. Payment can be included with your registration or made in person on July 14th by credit card or check. It is not too late to request an honor/memory sign.

Chautauqua (Member/Guest) Tournament (Aug 3/4): The Chautauqua (Eagle Bend’s Member/Guest Tournament) is scheduled for August 3 and 4. Register in the Pro Shop by July 19th.

President’s Cup (Aug 25/16)– Bert and Cindy are planning a fun tournament in Solheim fashion. The tournament will be limited to 48 players. The field will be divided into two teams. We will play four nine- hole games each with different formats. Players will switch partners and competitors for each of the nine holes. Register in the Pro Shop. Sharon Maser has offered to host the party again this year on August 26th, but it will depend on the opening of the Canadian border. As a back-up, Dena Brunskill has

offered to host the party if Sharon is unable to. Rather than have each member bring an appetizer to the party, the party will be catered. Members would be charged a small fee to attend the party.

Junior Golf and Handicap Committee – Connie reported that score posting by Tuesday players is going well. It appears most of our members are aware of, and understand, the basics of the new World Handicap System.

Connie provided an update regarding the Eagle Bend Junior Golf Association. She is now the treasurer. The Junior Golf Association had decided to do an “ask” for a \$25 donation from all the Eagle Bend members via their member accounts. Members could opt out of the donation by calling the administration office. This was in lieu of a fund raiser event.

Connie reminded everyone that the Junior Golf Association offers individual lessons to junior golfers (under age 18) for \$10 per lesson. These lessons can be scheduled with Kyle, Karen, or Andrew in the pro shop. The Junior Golf Association matches the \$10 per hour at the end of the year, so the instructors get \$20 per lesson. It was decided that group lessons would not be offered this season due to the virus.

The Junior Golf Association also offers a junior golf membership at Eagle Bend for \$250 for a full season. The junior golfer receives all the benefits of a full membership, including access to the practice facilities and golf. The Junior Golf Association matches the \$250 per golfer, so the Club receives \$500 per golfer.

This year, there were two candidates for our Junior Golf Association scholarships. Both Carly Stodghill and Julia Wynne submitted essays and transcripts. Both were awarded scholarships this year.

Connie reminded members that if you have a birdie or an eagle or break 100, 90 or 80 for the first time at Eagle Bend (does not need to be on a Tuesday), sign up in the Pro Shop to receive your pin.

Jan adjourned the meeting at 1:55pm.

Next luncheon and general meeting will be August 11th at 1:30pm (after golf).

Respectively submitted by:

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