Ladies Village Cup Monthly Meeting Minutes
Colony – The Keeping Room
September 17, 2026

Attendees: Carol Smith (Palmer), Gayle Hazelwood (Cane Garden), Diane Martino (Cane Garden), Delia Treffer (Bonifay), Ro Greenwood (Orange Blossom), Sue Nelson (Glenview), Connie Quellette (Shadow Creek), Paula Boulette (Tierra Del Sol), Judi Andrews (Hacienda Hills), Pat Golen (Evans Prairie), Suzie Phillips (Evans Prairie), Debbie Harlan (Evans Prairie), Dorine LeBlanc (Mallory Hill), Cindy Everett (Mallory Hill), Susan Frevert (Belle Glade), Beth Sholar (Belle Glade), Kyle Maday (Shallow Creek), Peggy Pruitt (Orange Blossom), Sheri Kent (Bonifay), Mary Hewitt (Lopez), Cindy Globush (Havana), Susan Bryne (Treasurer), Seay Anne Sheley (Southern Oaks), Lissa Degan (Southern Oaks), Kay Schnepf (Palmer)

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 3:57 p.m.

Gayle Hazelwood explained that a gatekeeper and/or timekeeper will be assigned when needed to help keep discussions focused, productive, and on schedule.

Guests/Representatives in Attendance:

- June Badarick Meno represented Jeanne Cooper (Hacienda Hills).
- Ro Greenwood represented Penny Turner (Orange Blossom).
- Susan Frevert represented Sally Dees (Belle Glade).

Approval of the August 27, 2026, Meeting Minutes

Gayle Hazelwood noted that the August minutes indicated the new budget would be discussed at the September 17th meeting. After Gayle and Susan Bryne began reviewing the budget, they determined that additional information should be provided to Committee members for review prior to discussion. The budget discussion will therefore be moved to the December 10, 2026, meeting.

Motion: Kyle Maday moved to postpone the budget discussion until December. Mary Hewett seconded the motion.

Old Business

- **Committee Assignments**
  The 2027 LVC Committee leads and members were updated as follows:
  - Competition: Seay Anne Sheley, Suzie Phillips, Kyle Maday, Delia Treffer, Peggy Pruitt, Jeanne Cooper and Dorine LeBlanc, Cindy Globush and Lissa Degnan
  - Communication: Pat Golen, Mitzi Gibson and Cindy Globush
  - Tee-Off Party: Judi Andrews, Susan Frevert and Cindy Glosbush
  - Tee Gifts: Paula Boulette, Sherry Kent and Connie Quellette
  - Bylaws: Gayle Hazelwood and Barb Cooksey. Judi Andrews will edit the document to remove redundancies.
  - Pro-Am: Mary Hewitt
  - Rules: Beth Sholar, Kay Schnef and Marcia Balmert
  - Logistics: Carol Smith

- Strategic: Gayle Hazelwood, Barb Cooksey, Linda Laughlin, Teri Tonioli and Deb Harlan
- Raffle/Charity: Susan Bryne and Jenn Hibbard

- **Captains Classic**
  - The Captains Classic will be held October 1, 2026, at Palmer in the afternoon. Carol Smith is waiting for the menu and asked players to let her know if they will not be staying for dinner. The cost is $5 per player. Carol will email additional details to the captains.

    Captains should notify Carol of any player changes.

- **2027 Tournament**

  - Each captain shared feedback from their 2026 players regarding their availability to participate in the LVC if the tournament were moved to late April or early May.

    The purpose of exploring late-April/early-May dates were to provide additional flexibility when discussing tournament dates with Ken Roshaven. Based on the number of players who indicated they would not be available during that period; the Committee will proceed with the original tournament timeframe.

- **November 19, 2026, Informational Meeting**
  - The informational meeting will be held: La Hacienda Recreation Center – Carmen Miranda Room – 5:30 p.m. – 7:20 pm.

    The meeting will focus on providing information to players, volunteers and people who are interested in learning more about the LVC. The top concerns identified in the 2026 survey will be addressed, and Seay Anne Sheley will present the LVC pairing process.

    Paula Boulette suggested that the Committee revisit the team selection process, specifically the possibility of returning to selecting the 16 lowest-handicap players.

    Gayle Hazelwood noted that the Committee previously voted to retain the 2026 team selection process for 2027. It was also noted that some teams selected the 16 lowest-handicap players, while others did not. In cases where teams used the draft process, captains selected from the players who were available.

    Each captain discussed the circumstances and criteria used in selecting their team.

    Because the addition of a new team may require changes to the selection process for 2028, the Committee discussed whether it made sense to change the process for 2027 and potentially change it again in 2028.

    Gayle reiterated that captains have the responsibility and flexibility to select players using the criteria that work best for their individual teams.

    Motion: Kyle Maday moved to keep the team selection process unchanged for 2027. Seay Anne Sheley seconded the motion.

    Vote: 13 in favor; 1 opposed. Motion carried.

  - **2026 Survey Concerns**

Seay Anne presented the primary survey concerns that will be addressed during the November 19 informational session.

Weather – Concern - Playing in Poor Weather
A possible solution discussed was establishing a three-captain committee, along with the golf course professional, to make decisions regarding weather or other circumstances that could affect completion of a round.

Handicap Compliance - Concern was expressed that communication during the handicap compliance review process was lacking.

Possible solutions discussed included:
Notify the captain at the same time a player is notified of a potential compliance issue.

Utilize members of the Captains Committee who also serve on the Handicap Committee to adjudicate potential non-compliance issues.

Revisit the policy regarding whether players who do not meet handicap compliance requirements should be permitted to participate.

Registration Timing
Concern: Registration currently takes place during the holidays, and some players indicated they missed registration because of the timing.

Possible solutions discussed included:
If the tournament moves to later in April, consider moving registration to the first two weeks of January.

If the tournament remains in early April, continue discussing registration timing to determine what best meets the needs of the event and participants.

Better educate players about why early registration is necessary, including the time required for handicap compliance reviews and team selections.

Present a timeline showing the tasks required to successfully prepare for the event.

Week 2 Volunteers - Concern was expressed that captains and co-captains whose teams did not advance to Week 2 were not utilized as volunteers.

A possible solution would be to reduce or eliminate the need for outside volunteers during Week 2 by utilizing captains, co-captains and players from teams that are no longer competing.

Sue Nelson shared several concerns from the Glenview team:

- The team feels there has been a decline in the number of golf professionals interested in participating in the Pro-Am. One possible alternative would be to change the format to a mini tournament with four players from each team.
- A concern was raised that more strokes were given this year than in the previous year. Seay Anne Sheley stated that there were a few such cases.
- Golf professionals should be knowledgeable about the LVC weather policy.

Mary Hewitt, 2026 Pro-Am lead, stated that many golf professionals enjoy participating in the event and that only a small number do not. One challenge is the limited number of available professionals, which sometimes requires other club professionals to serve as alternates. Their handicaps may be higher.

Gayle Hazelwood stated that Ken expects each club to participate in the event.

Beth Sholar suggested randomly rotating the golf professionals and including teaching professionals in a random draw.

October 2026 Committee Meeting

- The Committee discussed whether to hold the October 15, 2026, meeting because six Committee members are expected to be absent while attending a golf invitational.

  The Committee agreed to move the meeting from October 15th to October 22, 2026.

  Motion: Kyle Maday moved to change the meeting date from October 15 to October 22, 2026, and Seay Anne Sheley seconded the motions.

  Vote: 14 in favor. Motion carried.

  - Action Item: Pat Golen will secure a meeting room.

- December 2026 Committee Meeting

  The Committee voted to move the December 17, 2026, to December 10,2026, due to the holidays.

  Vote: 14 in favor.

  - Action Item: Pat Golen will secure a meeting room.

New Business

- LVC 25th Anniversary

  The Committee will begin planning for the 25th Anniversary of the Ladies Village Cup.

  The topic will be added to the October 22, 2026, meeting agenda and will be included as part of the Tee-Off Party Committee's responsibilities.

- Communication Committee

  The Communication Committee received one response from a potential volunteer because of the general email that was distributed. The individual's information was forwarded to Seay Anne Sheley.

Other Business

Peggy Pruitt and Gayle Hazelwood will facilitate training for new captains and co-captains. The training will be conducted separately from the regular monthly Committee meetings.

- Pat Golen will add to October 22, 2026, meeting agenda to establish a training date.

Paula Boulette moved to adjourn the meeting. Mary Hewitt seconded the motion. Vote: All in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Next Meeting October 22, 2026 – SeaBreeze – Clearwater Room – 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.