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Minutes of the Men's Golf Section

Tuesday 9th April 2024

1. Minutes of the previous AGM & EGM meeting recorded as a true record.

Proposed. J Parry Seconded R Mansfield.

2. Present. S Smith Capt. J Parry V/Capt. D Callaghan. R Mansfield. S Johnston. J Hall. D Hobbs.

Apologies. L Woodall. M Friend. L Simpson.

No Apologies. A Forster. P Jarvis seniors Capt.

3. Action from previous meetings.

Captain. (unless included in his monthly report.

6th green offside pathway. Update. Included in the maintenance plan.

Moving 1 of the 3 bins at the 1^{st} tee too nearer the corner of the offices. Capt to speak with the team. Summer scratch league Annual Cup or an individual achievement award.

It was agreed that an Annual Cup for this event will be sourced and included in the yearly presentations. Team Apparel. James has been working with the golf team sourcing out this, to date since the meeting emails have been sent out with the various options, it has been favourably received.

4. Captains Report.

Captains Drive In- This was well supported with the weather being kind to us on the day. Thank you all for all your support it is most appreciated.

Competition Secretary. I am sad to inform you that Steve Milligan has resigned as the Competition secretary. I thank him for all his hard work and support he has given me and the Men's section over the past years. We are therefore looking for a replacement and if you want to know more about this role please contact me.

Terms of Competition. These rules are now active and have been sent out to all members and is posted on the Men's Section notice board. Please ensure that you do read the summary to ensure that you are fully conversant with the requirements for winning competitions and Trophies.

Hong Kong Cup, First Medal of the year to take place on Saturday 13th April and this will go ahead as planned if the course is open. We have received several comments from members with regards to how hard the course is currently playing. We have agreed that the White Tees will be setup as forward as they can be and the Green pins positions in easier areas. Let's hope the weather is kind and we all enjoy the day.

Plymouth Area League. We have one team in this event starting in a few weeks' time. The team will be playing in the weekly competition as well as the Knockout. We were very close to the final last year and have a great squad of players. We hope to improve this result in the coming year.

AOB Actions from last Meeting

- New Hose with Spray head has been installed.
- New Compressor with 2 hoses has been installed.
- Website advertising, (still in discussion)

5. Competition Secretary Report.

Winter Betterball Competition

This concluded on the 2nd March due to the final event 8 of the series being cancelled due to the weather. Congratulations to Pete Mackley and Peter Brandon for winning this event with 119 points

Saturday Roll Up 16th March.

| Pos* | Player | Score |
|--------|------------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | Steve Hatherley | 34 pts |
| 2 | Peter Grant | 34 pts |
| 3 | Alan Blaikie | 34 pts |
| Saturd | lay Roll Up 30 th March | |
| Div1 | | |
| Pos* | Player | Score |
| 1 | Matt Cotton | 43 pts |
| 2 | Steve Lamb | 39 pts |
| 3 | John Callaghan | 38 pts |
| Div2 | | |
| Pos* | Player | Score |
| 1 | David Pothecary | 36 pts |
| 2 | David Elliott | 35 pts |
| 3 | Clay Cowie | 35 pts |

Upcoming Competitions

13/04/2024 Hong Kong Cup 20/04/2023 Saturday Rollup 27/04/2023 Saturday Rollup

6. CGU Knockout report.

Club Championship "A" Team

Preliminary round. 7th April 2024. Tee times from 12.05. Venue was at St Mellion GC. Opponents were Carlyon Bay GC.

Team players.

D Sleat & J Friend.

L Woodall & R Mansfield.

J Screech & H Woolway.

With the weather being as it is, the day itself was a bit blustery, the match and the rub of the green went in favour of Carlyon Bay giving them a 2-1 win.

The Committee thanks all the team members for taking part and representing China Fleet golf section.

7. Seniors Captain report. Not Present.

8. Treasurers report.

Current running balance £1463.61

9. Green Keepers report. Nathan has nothing to report as the weather persists. As you read in the Captains report. Water hose & nozzle along with the compressor is now in place. The team itself recently with a few past dry periods have been out cutting greens/fringe's & fairways when & where possible.

10. Any other Business.

New WHS Course index board (now in situ) Located at the 1st tee area.

Role of a Committee member. All members have been emailed a "role of a committee member" to assist in the smooth running of the men's golf section.

New Competition secretary. Committee members were approached to take on this role but to no avail, another candidate was put forward Matt Tamsett. The Captain & V/Captain have spoken to Matt since the meeting and he has agreed to take on this role as Competition Secretary.

The May meeting will now be an EGM to ratify and vote Matt into this role.

Winter mats. Ideas have been passed to Ben.

Ross Richardson & Harry Woolway has shown an interest in becoming a Committee member.

These members were voted in and an invitational email has been sent out for our May meeting.

In a past meeting we discussed a new booking system and the Golf team were to look into (budget) at a later date, this has again been discussed, the St Mellion System which can be viewed at booking, showing empty spaces in tee slots that can be filled by single or new members.

Meeting Closed 20.05

Next Committee Meeting EGM May 14th