

WSSGL SPRING MEETING
TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 2010
PLYMOUTH COUNTRY CLUB

Present: Diane Fardy (Plymouth), President, Susan Eno (Plymouth), Treasurer, Marianne Glassanos (Hatherly), Secretary, Carol Neuger (Plymouth), Beth Nightingale (Scituate), Sally Tuck (Plymouth), Pam Winters (Scituate), Jane Gould (Scituate), Kristin Emerson (Duxbury), Debby Drain (Duxbury), Aurella Levesque (Halifax), Anne McGovern (Halifax), Jolen Dolabany (Hatherly), Marla Minier (Hatherly), Ruth Mahoney (Wollaston).

Diane Fardy called the meeting to order at 6:35 pm. She announced the recent death of Plymouth member Helen Schug. She will be remembered at the opening day meeting and Diane requested clubs notify her of any other members who have passed away in the past year so they can be included in the remembrance.

Susan Eno presented the Treasurer's Report. Most of the dues for the 2010 season have been collected. The report was accepted.

Marianne Glassanos presented the minutes from the Jan meeting. The minutes were accepted.

Tournament chair Pam Winters announced that there would be no Mixed Scotch this year due to scheduling issues.

OLD BUSINESS

Diane Fardy reminded the group that we still need to identify people to serve as Vice President and then President once her term is completed. She urged members to spread the word at their clubs.

There will be fliers sent to all clubs hosting events this year to remind people about food collections that will take place. Each hosting club should identify a local charity to which the food can be delivered and make arrangements for that delivery.

The Halifax slope has been listed incorrectly in the MGA book. The correct slope is 128, not 127 as listed by the MGA. It is in the process of being corrected by the MGA.

Review of personal information of board members, team captains, and executive committee was completed. Beth Nightingale will add these corrections to the final copy of the books.

Tournament entry information was reviewed. This year there will be a longer application period, roughly a month before each tournament.

Team match rules were reviewed and corrections were made. Rule number 6 regarding the exchange of scorecards was discussed since this is no longer relevant. M. Glassanos made a motion to eliminate this rule. Motion approved.

The rule regarding use of GPS systems was discussed. There was concern that some player might want to use certain phones that can calculate distance. The rule states that the use of specific golfing GPS devices only is allowed. There was a motion made by A. McGovern to keep the rule as currently written. Motion accepted.

Rule # 13 regarding use of cellular phones during team matches was clarified to state that the penalty for the use of the phone is to that player only, not to the team. That was decided at a previous meeting and the wording just needed to be clarified in the book.

NEW BUSINESS

M Glassanos raised question from Hatherly member regarding whether members could walk during team matches. The use of carts is still required. Players can put their bags on the cart and still walk but must pay the cart fee. The use of carts is a courtesy to the clubs to provide revenue for their donation of the course for the team matches. The group also feels that use of carts speeds up the play. A motion was made by B. Nightingale to keep the rules of cart use for all team matches. Motion accepted.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Marianne Glassanos