

WSSGL  
SUMMER MEETING  
TUESDAY, JULY 24, 2007  
SCITUATE COUNTRY CLUB

Present: Mary Donovan-Scituate, Debby Drain-Duxbury, Sandy Allan-Scituate.  
Donna O'Connor-Cohasset.

Jane Hale-Duxbury.

Gini Johnson, Kathy McCarthy, Anne McGovern, Diane Nessrella, Halifax.

Marianne Glassanos, Betsy Mitchell-Hatherly.

Deb Annese, Barbara Chandler, Beth Nightingale, Sharon MacAllister, Margaret Smoragiewicz-Marshfield.

Susan Eno, Diane Fardy, Kathy Moody-Plymouth.

Terry Baker, Sandy Clausen, Anne Dillon, Susan Souther, Pam Winters-Scituate.

Anne Adrien, Maureen Traverse-Wollaston.

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM by Mary Donovan, League President.

**Old Business**

The reading of the minutes from the spring meeting was waived.

The Treasurer's report was presented by Sandy Allan. Opening balance on June 24, 2007 was \$1731.29. Income from entry fees and bank interest totals \$13306.54. Expenses to date total \$9858.19. Balance as of July 24, 2007 is \$3448.35 Report accepted as read.

**New Business**

Anne Dillon proposed selling hat clips with the updated WSSGL logo. Any profits would come back to the League. Club chairs need to discuss this idea with their members with the goal of being able to reach a consensus at the October meeting.

Anne would also like to see the score cards "cleaned up" to make it easier for the Prize Committee to determine winners. Carol Neuger is responsible for the scorecards so Mary will discuss this issue with her. There is a definite need to clarify scoring instructions at each tournament so that scores are recorded correctly.

Pending a review of the By-Laws, a motion was passed to include the website manager as a Board position.. A motion to appoint Carol Neuger to this position was passed.

A motion to accept Carol's resignation as Vice-President of the League was also accepted. We are now actively seeking a Vice-President and Secretary for next year.

Mary strongly encouraged other clubs to step up to fill these positions as Marshfield and Scituate have held a large share of Board positions in recent years.

The need for portable hole markers for use at all special tournaments was discussed. Better marking of courses will eliminate confusion and the possibility of players playing the course out of order resulting in disqualification. Plastic markers are about \$20. a

piece. Deb Annese will look for more information and prices and this issue will be revisited at the October meeting.

The use of GPS devices for use in WSSGL team and tournament play was discussed. The WGAM does not allow their use. A motion to not allow the use of GPS devices was carried. This statement will be added to the rules of the 2008 season.

In an effort to revitalize participation in League events, Mary proposed including Black Rock Country Club and Indian Pond Country Club as a combined team for both Team and special tournament play for the 2008 summer season. Each club will pay League dues. At the end of the 2008 season both the League and these two clubs will have the opportunity to end the agreement and the WSSGL will return to a League of eight clubs in 2009. Each team will have a bye for one team match week in 2008. Discussion centered on the level of commitment from each club and how this addition would affect team scores should the combined clubs not be able to field a team on any given week. A motion was made and carried to conditionally accept Black Rock and Indian Pond as combined team for the 2008 season with the understanding that either side may end the relationship at the end of the season.

Mary again reminded everyone that Indian Pond will be hosting an invitational tournament on September 11, 2007. Watch for details at your club.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Debby Drain  
Secretary