HERONS GLEN MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION MEETING - SEPTEMBER 25, 2023

This ZOOM meeting was called to order by President Jack Birecree at 9:00am. Those in attendance were Bob Agate, Bill Harville, Dan Lyons, Gene Dumont, Bob Regnier, Larry Pedersen, and Bill Paris.

Bill Harville, treasurer, reported that the MGA will begin the season with about \$3200 in the bank. Dues for the upcoming 2023/2024 season will be \$40 with those checks made out to the HGMGA and delivered to the Pro Shop. The Pro Shop will collect the checks and deal with each member's "tee declaration". Dan Lyons will post an announcement to that effect in the bulletin board "behind the glass".

Butch Kohut and Steve Boulton will be solicited to handle the 50/50 drawings this season. (They have since consented to do so). Larry Pedersen has kindly agreed to handle the skins "skins" program. Bob Regnier volunteered to handle it on an interim basis if needed.

Weekly entry fees will remain at \$5. We will also continue the weekly closest to the pin contests on par 3's, the year-long closest to the pin contest (4 X \$100), as well as rewarding any "aces" made during MGA play with a \$100 prize.

The October General membership meeting will feature the "limited menu" food option. It was decided to hold the first "pizza meeting" in November.

New members (that are truly NEW members) will continue to receive an MGA welcome towel. Updated pricing will be attained and if the towels remain in the \$12 range, twenty-four will be ordered.

The Handicap Steering Committee is continuing to meet. A new system, (Cap Patrol) will be tested by various groups to judge its long-term viability.

A check list for luncheon items (to discuss with Janine prior to each lunch) should be put together by Bob Agate.

Bob Agate will coordinate next week's event with Bruce

Bob Agate will MC the Oct.10th luncheon meeting. No guest speaker until November.

It was agreed to maintain the rule of 95 for members electing the 4 or 4/5 tees for play. Jack Birecree will put a "Benefits" document together so we can be consistent when we are "selling" the MGA to prospective members.

Bill Harville will check with the TV channel to make sure our page is correct and getting airtime. Spoke about dynamic scoring and using Golf Genius for reservations and information. We need Mike to give us an overview. We decided to hold off on any testing until November when the full board is back, and we would work with Mike.

We will put a weekly checklist together for use by the pro shop and the MGA. Things like scorecards, game instructions, etc.

Briefly spoke about discontinuing the website. All board members were encouraged to check it out.

The next HGMGA Board meeting will be held Tuesday, November 7th, at Jack Birecree's home, 20735 Tisbury Ln., after golf.

Business being concluded a motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 10:45 am.

Respectfully,

Dan Lyons, Secretary HGMGA