

HERONS GLEN MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEETING NOVEMBER 21, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President Jack Birecree at 12:50 pm. Jack then introduced the officers of the HGMGA Board: Bob Agate, V.P., Bill Harville, Treasurer (not present), and Dan Lyons, Secretary. Jack then introduced other Board members who were present and their primary responsibility.

Jack gave a shortened Treasurer's report stating that as of ten days ago the HGMGA had a bank balance of \$6869 and a membership roster of 160. Members were again reminded of what those funds are spent for – pizza and beverages for several HGMGA meetings per year, end of the year prizes, weekly closest to the pin contests, and charitable donations as required by our 501(c3) tax designation.

New members present were introduced by Membership chair, Bill Paris. They are: Tony Aversa and Lonnie Reynolds

Gene Dumont, Competition chair spent a few minutes reviewing upcoming tournaments and the time frame for sign-up and participation. The Newsletter will have pertinent details available. Larry Pedersen, chair of the HG Member/Guest, asked everyone to get their applications to play into him or Paul Chipman ASAP.

At several member's requests, MGA competition from the #2 tees is now available. Members wishing to play from the #2 tees must register their desire with the Pros Shop. Those members, and all members, were reminded that they can only switch tees once per year. The default tee designation is the #3 tees. Anyone wishing to change from that must do so with the Pro Shop. The MGA Board approved inclusion of play from the #5 tees in competitions. Details as how to qualify are being formalized.

Dan Lyons, in his capacity as MGA representative to the Golf Committee made a short report on the Committee's activities of late. Course changes and improvements, the nomination of individuals to the permanent Handicap Committee, pending HGRD Board of Supervisors approval was made. Those individuals sent on to the Rec. District Board are: Patty Amico, Peggy Rabb, Carol Moore, Tracy Chipman, and Mike Bickel.

Heron's Glen Golf Course now has 576 members against a budgeted number calling for 590. The clothing sale continues in the Pro Shop.

The rotation of the alternate par three tees is an ongoing effort. Meetings are scheduled to try and firm up a policy and procedures for incorporating those tee placements on a regular basis.

The next meeting is scheduled for December 12th in (hopefully) the Restaurant but that is TBD.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 1:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Dan Lyons, Secretary, HGMGA

