

HERONS GLEN MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING DECEMBER 10, 2024

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 1:00 PM BY PRESIDENT JACK BIRECREE.

PRESIDENT BIRECREE MGA GENERAL INTEREST ISSUES:

- CURRENT MGA MEMBERSHIP IS 185
- 19 NEW MEMBERS HAVE JOINED THE MGA TO DATE, SEVEN WERE INTRODUCED TO THE MEMBERSHIP AT TODAY'S MEETING:
- TODAY'S GAME HAD 104 PLAYERS, THE MAXIMUM PLAYERS FOR MGA TOURNAMENTS IS 128
- THE MGA GOAL THIS YEAR IS TO PROVIDE FOOD AND DRINK AT EVERY MEETING. INITIALLY THIS WILL BE PROVIDED AT THE FIRST 3 MEETINGS AND THE BOARD WILL REVIEW TO SEE IF THE REMAINING MEETINGS CAN INCLUDE BOTH FOOD AND DRINKS.
- SPEED OF PLAY WAS DISCUSSED AND TODAY'S PACE OF PLAY WAS GOOD. THIS WILL CONTINUE TO BE A FOCUS OF MGA GAME DAYS.
- REMINDED MEMBERSHIP THAT THE 2ND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH WILL BE THE GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
- GOLF GENIUS CONTINUES TO BE WORKING WELL FOR THE MGA, TODAY EVERY TEAM WAS USING THE APP TO INPUT THEIR SCORES.
- TEAMS STILL NEED TO TURN IN THEIR PAPER SCORECARD TO THE PRO SHOP AFTER PLAY, FAILURE TO TURN IN BEFORE 2:30 ON TUESDAY WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.
- PROBLEMS WITH EMAIL DELIVERY OF THE NEWSLETTER HAVE BEEN CORRECTED. ALL PAST NEWSLETTERS CAN BE FOUND ON THE MGA WEBSITE. IF MEMBERS ARE NOT RECEIVING THE NEWSLETTER THEY SHOULD CONTACT EITHER JACK BIRECREE OR BOB REGNIER.
- FRANK DESANTIS WAS ANNOUNCED AS THE WINNER OF \$100 FOR HIS HOLE IN ONE ON HOLE 4 ON 11/19
- MGA GAMES WILL BE PLAYED ON 12/24 AND 12/31, MEMBERS WERE REMINDED TO TURN IN THEIR SCORECARDS ASAP AFTER PLAY FOR THOSE 2 DAYS.

THE FIRST GUEST SPEAKER WAS JB BELKNAP WHO REVIEWED THE FOLLOWING ISSUES THAT IMPACT THE GOLF COURSE:

- THE CONCRETE REPAIRS TO THE CART PATH ARE SCHEDULED TO START WED 12/11
- THE UPGRADE TO THE BULKHEAD ON HOLE 17 IS STILL IN THE PERMIT PROCESS, NO ETA FOR WHEN THE WORK WILL START WAS PROVIDED
- THE INSTALLATION OF RESTROOMS AT THE DRIVING RANGE IS STILL IN THE PERMIT PROCESS, NO ETA FOR WHEN THE WORK WILL START WAS PROVIDED.
- LAKE FRONT EROSION CORRECTION IS IN PROCESS ON HOLE 15
- CURRENT GOLF COURSE MEMBERSHIP IS AT 571.

THE SECOND GUEST SPEAKER WAS HG HEAD GOLF PROFESSIONAL, BRUCE HARRIS, HE REVIEWED THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- QUESTION CONCERNING THE LIFT, CLEAN AND PLACE RULE FOR CART PATH ONLY HOLES, WHEN THE HOLE IS CART PATH ONLY AS PART OF THE ONGOING COURSE MAINTENANCE AND NOT FOR OVERALL COURSE CONDITIONS. THE ANSWER WAS THAT LIFT, CLEAN AND PLACE IS NOT IN EFFECT WHEN IT IS CART PATH ONLY FOR COURSE MAINTENANCE.
- THE PRO SHOP WILL BE HAVING A YEAR END SALE WITH WINE AND APPETIZERS ON FRIDAY 12/13.
- THE JEEKER BALL TRAINING AID IS AVAILABLE FOR CHECK OUT IN THE PRO SHOP AS IS THE GARMIN APPROACH
- SIGN UPS FOR THE 2025 BLOODY MARY SCRAMBLE WILL BE STARTING 12/18

- THE PRO SHOP WILL BE STARING GOLF CLINICS ON MONDAY 1/6, ATTENDANCE WILL BE LIMITED TO 12 PEOPLE WITH A COST OF \$15 TO TAKE THE CLASS.
- THE ADOPT A HOLE PROGRAM STILL NEEDS VOLUNTEERS ON HOLES 6, 10, 13 AND 17

GENE DUMONT REVIEWED THE MGA SCHEDULE:

- TODAY'S ROUND WAS THE FIRST QUALIFYING ROUND FOR THE YEAR END SHOOT OUT
- NEXT WEEK'S GAME IS BEST 3 OF 4 BALLS MATCH THAT WILL PAY BOTH FRONT AND BACK LOW SCORES
- THE NEXT TWO QUALIFIER ROUNDS FOR THE YEAR END SHOOT OUT ARE ON 1/21 AND 1/28.
- THE MEMBER/MEMBER TOURNAMENT WILL BE ON 1/7 AND 1/14.

THE FIRST 50/50 RAFEL WINNER OF \$100 WAS NEW MEMBER SCOTT CLIFF WHO RETURNED HIS WINNINGS TO THE MGA

THE SECOND 50/50 RAFEL WINNER OF \$50 WAS BILL PARIS

WITH NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 1:28 PM.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

BRUCE TAYLOR, SECRETARY
HGMGA