

# **Plantation Golf and Country Club**

## **Ladies 9 Hole Golf Association**

### **PL9GA Executive Board Meeting**

**Wednesday, December 6, 2023, at 10:00 am**

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am in the dining room of the Plantation Club House.

Attendees: Tami McKane, Merian Woldyk, Sally Glavin, Gail Guimond, Sue Peterson, Cathy Reddy, Mary McClernon, Heidi Hasenfratz, Cindy Carson, Sandra Schartman, Barb Tabaie

The minutes of the prior meeting (October 18, 2023) were approved.

#### **President's Update – Tami McKane**

- Recent league events including Halloween Devil Ball, Mix & Mingle and Opening Day Flamingle were all successful and well received by participants. Feedback was primarily positive about joint play between 18-hole & 9-hole leagues.
- PL9GA membership is currently at 62 ladies, however weekly league participation is down over last year. Lower numbers may be due to people being busy with the holiday season, or dual league members transitioning to 18-hole play. Participation levels will be revisited after the New Year.
- New members require three 18-hole rounds or six 9-hole rounds to establish handicap.
- Confirmed that Closing Day Event Committee is comprised of Sue Peterson, Alicia Rainstein, Kathy Olejnik and Debbie Schmitt
- Tami expressed special thanks to Cindy Carson & Nancy Foresman for their outstanding efforts in managing all Communications.

#### **Treasurer's Report – Sally Glavin**

- A detailed Income/Expense Comparison as of Dec 2, 2023 was distributed by Sally.
- Dues have been received from 62 members vs. initial estimate of 80.
- PL9GA contributed \$200 to the PL18GA towards expenses in the 18-hole event.
- Current bank balance is \$6915 and expenses are currently on budget.

#### **Membership Committee – Cathy Reddy & Mary McClernon**

- Current membership of 62 ladies.
- 3 new couples have joined Plantation Golf Club and they have been sent welcome messages.

- The PL9GA Welcome Back Party is scheduled for January 2, 2024 with a Margaritaville theme. The event will be kept low key with an expected participation of 42 players.

#### **Rules & Games Committee – Heidi Hasenfratz**

- January 23, 2024 is Three Queens & a King Event
- 9 men have volunteered to be Kings which allows for 27 ladies to play.
- Wendy has sent email requesting additional King volunteers.

#### **Communications Committee – Cindy Carson**

- Cindy will email requests for Newsletter Content.
- Messaging is light and Cindy would like to include more photos in the Newsletter – please share pics.

#### **Recognition & Awards Committee – Sandra Schartman**

- It was clarified that Sandra should send emails to Nancy Foresman regarding updates to be posted on bulletin board & website.

#### **Buddy Day – Meriann Woldyk**

- Buddy Day is scheduled for February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024 and the theme has been changed to “Flower Power.”
- Format will be 2-person scramble with 3 games & prize for best dressed twosome.
- Plans for decorations, prizes, gifts & lunch are well underway.

#### **Events**

- Three Queens & a King - See notes under Rules & Games Committee
- Queen Bee – Simple format with minimal planning required.

#### **Closing Day – Sue Peterson**

- Theme will likely be “Monopoly.”
- Format 4-person scramble with \$1000 budget.
- Sue asked for feedback on how to determine pairings as some members feel uncomfortable playing with strangers or low handicappers. Most people have had good experiences mixing groups and meeting new people. Pairing format tbd.

#### **Handicap Committee – Barb Tabaie**

- Scores will automatically be posted on league day; however, players are reminded that they need to post their scores for individual play.
- Players will receive an automated email reminder message about a failure to post and if after 3 days, the player has still not posted, they will be assigned a penalty score.

- Players with 40+ handicap cannot be assigned a penalty score, so it is especially important that they post consistently.
- There have been some recent glitches with the automated reminder system which should be resolved now.

Questions & Discussion – None

Next Meeting will be held on January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024, at 10:00 am in the Plantation Club House Dining Room.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:40 am.

Respectfully submitted,

*Gail Guimond*