

MEN'S COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES TAUPO GOLF CLUB

Meeting Opened at 5-30 pm 6/4/2011

Present: J. Prescott, G.Price, J.Howell, J.Davis, M.Manden,
R.Forbes & B.Cutler

Apologies: G Hill

Confirmation of Minutes: Minutes of last meeting were read and accepted.

Moved: J.Howell
Seconded: M.Manden

Matters arising: Nil

Correspondence: Nil

Sub Committee Reports:

Match and Committee:

Dates set for next two rounds of Middlemore Mugs & Plate

Junior Development – J Howell reported that ten juniors had travelled to Otumotai Golf Club where results were good despite wet weather.

Erikah Waiariki and Jasmin Brown have been selected to attend B.O.P coaching seminar. Patrick from the Pro Shop has been conducting training schools for college pupils on Tuesday afternoons. However numbers attending are less than in previous sessions. All members of the College Golf Team are members of Taupo Golf Club.

Course – P.E.Work Gangs have carried out work on the Centennial Course clearing areas marked out by Green Superintendent. They will also tidy up path on the 16th fairway Centennial Course in the near future.

Committee agreed with request from the Greens Superintendent to cut back hedge on 1 St tee Centennial course as it has been affecting grass growth due to shading of this area

Sponsorship Saturday Golf – Current sponsors are happy to continue sponsoring men's Club Day.

Representatives of The Shed & Robyn's Chocolate attended Club Day on Saturday 2nd April. An approach has been made to Diners Club to sponsor the Club Stroke Play Championship and we await a decision from their management.

Pennants - J Prescott/B Cutler

Pennant Teams continue to represent the Club to the best of their ability despite problems obtaining enough players in some of the Senior Grades.

Committee has determined to assess results of current Pennant Season in June and make recommendations to members about the Clubs participation next season 2012.

New Members & Financial Report – Nil

General Business – The issue of slow play and parties playing in fives & sixes was raised. Members are to be asked to observe Golf Etiquette in these matters.

Members are asked to encourage groups playing slowly to keep up with the field and ensure that when playing they stick to groups of four players.

This problem seems to be particularly prevalent during week day casual play by some of our members.

In future when there is a shotgun start effort will be made to avoid Saturday Ladies Competition.

Until further notice committee members will continue duty roster for Saturday starting and competition organization.

Meeting closed at 7-15 pm next meeting at 5-30 pm first Wednesday May.