

## MINUTES OF THE LADIES GOLF COMMITTEE held 2.30pm Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2010

Present: Mary Plummer, Jenny Ewart, Sue Jolly, Wynne Murdock, Sue Murray, Grant Hill, Margery Macdonald, Sharon Bertram, Janine Carroll, Colleen Tillson, Lesley Cotterill, Viv Nysen, Alison Fletcher

Apologies: Bar Hoadley, Liz Ranson

### Business arising from previous minutes:

Some committee members were missed in the email reminder about April's committee meeting, hence the absences. Email address group has since been rectified by Colleen. List of member's phone numbers can be found in the Starter's Office.

### 9 Hole Report:

Hospice Tournament huge success – profit \$2000

Monday May 31<sup>st</sup> – 9 Hole open (postponed due to inclement weather last Monday) Shotgun start at 10am, Entry \$10.00.

Mangakino course – 15 members enjoyed the visit

Wairakei 9 hole – next visit then Wairakei International

Nick's 1 hour coaching – very popular, at \$10/person, minimum 10 people. 18 holers are welcome to join in, sign up sheet is on the 9 hole notice board.

### Vets Report:

Champs not well supported this year.

Good turn outs otherwise, everything going smoothly.

### Saturday Report:

10am winter tee time trial begins in June, July and August

2 tee start, later tee time may encourage more of a club atmosphere

### Sub Committees:

1. Mixed Events and Open Tournaments – Feedback through Sue Murray
2. Handicapping – Jenny
3. Social Activities – Ideas to Sharon and Sue Murray. Bar grill down is not welcoming. Thursday Swingers have made arrangements with Mole and Chicken for refreshments after their regular game as the bar is closed.
4. Junior Player Development – Feedback through Mary. Junior girls are improving steadily and may like to play with some ladies in the future.
5. New members – Sue Jolly
6. Match Committee – Mary, Margery and Bar
7. Course facilities /Workplan – Jenny
8. Friends of the course – Jenny
9. Rules – Each week a rule will be written on the whiteboard as a discussion point.  
**Sue J, Sue M, Margery**

### General Business:

1. Hole in One: Committee decided to give the player the choice of either a badge or a trophy. \$100 shout should be stopped and money spent elsewhere.

2. Strategic Plan/Vision 2020 – Gate entrance needs more visible signage. Entrance to clubhouse should be more welcoming rather than the present brick wall. Bar hours need to be visible. Centennial holes: #4, #13, #14, #15 will have more rough on the left so more sprinklers will be purchased.
3. Radical Roughie – Committee agreed to extend golf year to mid December, more in line with school holidays.  
Tauhara Course rating over summer – **Grant** to look at course set up  
Over summer Pro Shop has a casual competition where players meet on the tee.  
Could make a rolling start on the tee from 9.30 to include new members. **Grant**
4. Uniform – Viv, Sharon, Margery to look at possibilities
5. Nick the Pro – will join the field to get to know players
6. Midwinter Xmas Pairs Tournament – 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> August, same format as 2009, entry fee \$65.00 affiliated and \$55.00 local, (includes dinner) Pak n save sponsor \$500, Bunter and Anchor milk tba. **Grant**  
Auction NZ women's golf shirts at gala dinner **Sharon**
7. Captains vs Vice Captains – July 6<sup>th</sup>, match play format, points tallied on whiteboard after game, open bar, Irish Raffle **Sharon**
8. Weekday vs Weekend – June 19<sup>th</sup> Stableford Competition, starter sheet on notice board **Mary**
9. Sky TV – Marcus Baron from Taupo Monitoring Alarms has kindly made a contribution
10. Starting - Teeing off in 3's – works well on days when the field is small and the weather is bad. Grant needs a firm decision so he can plan for green fee players.  
Seeded draw – lately 4/5 weeks in a row, players are getting tired of playing with the same people week after week. Plan to move around LGU and nett rounds in 2011.  
**Margery**
11. Coring – To plan for the Rugby World Cup supporters, coring will occur in mid August. Then the greens will be in top form for October/November events.
12. Top Cat – Tom Clelland sponsorship – **Mary**
13. Kitty – bare patches in front garden could be filled by rhododendrons when the Native Plant Nursery has a sale – **Mary**
14. Garden tidy up volunteers needed on a Tuesday after golf for area on walkway down to Centennial back nine - **Jenny**
15. Lois Keenan – moving to a retirement home in Auckland, gift to be arranged by **Mary**

**Next meeting: Tuesday 29 June, 2.30pm**