

MINUTES OF MEETING OF APGC LADIES' COMMITTEE
20th November 2007 at 5.30pm

Present: Pam Kershaw, Pat Styles, Margaret Chury, Maureen Everett,
June Jones and Sue Penhale

Apologies for Absence: Mavis Hamilton, Linda Gibson, Sue Phillips, Eleanor Trigell and Penny Fairweather.

Minutes of Meeting held on 16th October 2007

Matters Arising:

It was agreed to amend the date of the minutes to the correct one of 16th October 2007.

Course matters: The grass between the 8th green and the 9th tee has not yet been mown but the greenkeeper has the matter in hand. **Has now been mown**

The overhanging branch to the left of the 1st fairway is to be cut back when the equipment is available.

Website: Continued vigilance is required to ensure the PSI system continues to function correctly. PK holds 72 email addresses at the present time and the take-up of duplicated information she provides from the website and places in the locker room is reducing.

Treasurer's Report: A notice has been put up to inform ladies that both their PSI and Bar accounts are held separately on their pink cards.

AOB: P S said the new holiday list has been completed and will be circulated soon.

M E .The new Handicap books are on order.

The Tin Cup Competition went very well. However, the dialogue on the Tin Cup and the Gold and Silver Cups will continue. 1. Whether to have the three competitions on the same day, 2. Is it practical to have any of them on the same day as a stableford competition? 3. Clarifying whether the competition is open to 7-day members at the weekend. P.S. and the new committee will discuss these points before the new season.

Captains` and Members` Committee Minutes are displayed on the board on the web sites and on notice boards in the clubhouse.

Handicaps Secretary

ME was thanked for covering the Irons Only competition.

The handicap changes to full difference in matches were noted. J.J. was asked to make the changes in the format sheets ready for future matches and competitions, when the rules come into effect in the New Year.

M.E. reported on a meeting that P.K. and M.E. instigated with Peter Spiers on the subjects of consistent application of CONGU rules across all sections of the Club, the rationale for any variations and the interpretation of "No Return" on handicap records. These matters were taken back to the Club Captain and the Gents Handicap committee and a letter is expected on the results. The ladies will reply asking resolutely for a firm date for the promised meeting of the handicap committees.

PK suggested that shop staff could close competitions when necessary, enabling the earliest posting of results for the information of members.

Attempts are being made to trace Fiona Ferney who has handed in one card.

Treasurer and PSI

There was nothing to report.

Future Competitions and Events

JJ is unable to arrange the Foursomes on 6th and 9th January therefore PK and PS will do so.

The committee's view was that at present there is no need for the 9 hole qualifying competitions suggested by CONGU.

AOB

It was asked that a brush type shoe cleaner be sited between the 18th and the Clubhouse this suggestion will be mentioned again at the Captains' Committee.

PK reported that the gifts received for the Open Door competition were very well received.

P.S. thought there might be consideration given to similar competition next year.

EWGA wants the Ladies Section to have a delegate to represent it. A job description will be posted on the notice board asking if anyone is interested in taking on the task. **Information posted on the board.**

The green keepers have expressed an interest in a golf competition, possibly with the ladies. The committee agreed that it would be welcomed.

ME remarked on the good condition of the course to everyone's agreement.

A suggestion was made for a drop zone for balls landing on the new path on the 13th. Also a trolley ramp by the new steps on the 13th and new paths between the 5th and 6th, the 6th and 7th and the 17th to the 18th.

SP suggested that vacancies on the committee should be advertised before the AGM. **There is a noticed posted in the locker room asking for ladies interested in joining the committee to approach the Captain.**

Drivers should be checked for their legality before 1st January 2008. Robin Turley holds a list.

Steve Crosby was thanked for his re-formatting of the pink PSI cards.

PK thanked all those who had attended the meeting.

Date of next meeting: January 22nd 2008 at 2.30pm.

The meeting closed at 7.05pm.