

MINUTES OF CLUBS NEW ZEALAND 2017 SOUTH ISLAND WOMEN GOLF PAIRS TOURNAMENT
CLUBS OF MARLBOROUGH – SATURDAY 21ST OCTOBER 2017 6 PM

WELCOME: Kelly Stove (Chair on behalf of Clubs NZ) welcomed the delegate to the meeting.

PRESENT:

Clubs of Marlborough	Leanne Stowell Maureen Burrow
Hornby WMC`	Raylene Adler Pam Brewer
Club Waimea	Barb Winstone
Oamaru	Isabell Bond Heather McMullen
Ashburton MSA	Trish Cates
Suburban Club Nelson	Korrin Black
Kaiapoi	Yvonne Burns Ramai Lord
Timaru	Miriam Burnside Kath McGreanor
Invercargill WMC	Rhona Millar Pam Cracknell

APOLOGIES: NIL

MINUTES OF SILENCE FOR PAST MEMBERS

NOTICE OF REMITS FOR GENERAL BUSINESS: NIL

CONFIRMATION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:

Corrections

- Val Richards is Waimate
- Oamaru did not say composite teams as they are against them
- Hornby said Medical Certificate should say 12 months
- Remove composite teams from 2017 program.

Moved/Seconded

Maureen Burrow/Rhona Millar

MATTER ARISING: Discussion on Composite teams. The background that Nelson unable to attend if not enough members and if struggling for members . Currently is only able to happen under Medical Emergency and not eligible for trophy. Oamaru advised it was opposed to it because personalities could use it their advantage. It was discussed to take out Medical Emergency and put in Host Club would provide member. Discussion on small numbers attending. Injury and sickness was some of the reason and travel was a big reason although Invercargill and Oamaru did have the longest journeys. Discussion was held on centralising teams,

Oamaru moved that Ruling stay as is

Moved/Seconded

Isabell Bond/Miriam Burnside

CORRESPONDENCE: Nil

After discussion Oamaru moved 9 hole players be allowed to play an 18 hole tournament as a way to encourage new members.

Moved/Seconded

Isabell Bond/Barbara Winstone

This will go to Clubs NZ to change the rules.

A discussion was held opening the competition to wider members. Down side to this that all members need to belong to a registered NZ Golf Club something that should be discussed at Oamaru Nationals and bring back to the 2018 South Islands.

ENTRY FEE FOR 2018 TOURNAMENT:

No Host club for 2018 or 2019.

Ashburton MSA will host 2018 but on the proviso that 25 teams (50 players) register to play, They will confirm South Islands will go ahead 8 weeks out.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Isabell bond advised that Oamaru are holding 2018 Nations on Queens birthday weekend, please enter.

Trish Cates asked why the 2017 South Islands were not held at Rarangi instead of Fairhall. Leanne Stowell said It was due to green fees pricing, no catering at Rarangi and not enough carts.

It was brought to the committees attention from the last ladies on 18 that the three men behind them were very rude and interfered in the rules. The women felt there was no need to speak to them so inappropriately. The organising committee agreed to send letter to club noting that behaviour.

It was asked that the results be adhered to very carefully: Scoring is best nett then best stableford, second best nett then second best stableford and so on.

It was also asked if the host club would put one partner out and the other partner out at the same time so they come in at the same time. It was noted with the small numbers at this tournament it was very limited how the draw could be done.

Thanks to Clubs of Marlborough for hosting the Tournament

It was discussed that the small numbers are happening across a national scale in clubs affecting all sports and there are a lack of national entries and a decline in all sports.

Meeting closed 7.00 pm