

CLUBS NEW ZEALAND 2019 SOUTH ISLAND WOMENS GOLF PAIRS TOURNAMENT

TIMARU TOWN AND COUNTRY CLUB – SATURDAY 26 OCTOBER 2019 AT 4.30PM

MINUTES

Peter Leggett (President and TT and CC) chaired the meeting with Raelene McLean Minute Taker. He welcomed all present and hoped everyone had had a good day on the green.

PRESENT: Miriam Burnside and Kath McCreanor (Timaru Town and Country Club), Julie Knight, Isabel Bond and Kathy Hobbs (Oamaru), Elizabeth Collins and Heather Robertson (Ashburton RSA), Barb Winstone and Fran Sutherland (Club Waimea), Rhona Millar, Jill Goodall and Sharon Cronin (Invercargil WMC), Trish Cates (Ashburton MSA), Melanie Smith and Denise Tovia (Woolton WMC), Maureen Pollock and Karen Crawford (Alexandra), Ann Carran and Dot Walker (Gore), Raylene Adler and Glenda Kingin Hazel (Hornby), Rayner Hopkins and Lyng Fossey Campbell (Kaiapoi)

APOLOGIES: Waimate

Moved that Apologies be accepted Kath McCreanor

Seconded Miriam Burnside

A moment's Silence in Remembrance of those that have passed away was held by all standing.

Minutes of 2018 Meeting were circulated.

Moved as True and Correct Record Trish Cates

Seconded Raylene Adler

MATTERS ARISING:

1. Question was asked if there was any feedback regarding the Mens and Ladies Nationals. It had been taken to Clubs New Zealand. Peter did not know of any feedback. Some members did not think it was a good idea to combine. The consensus of the meeting was that the Mens and Ladies should be combined. It was suggested from the floor that Clubs NZ send an email out to all Clubs to give its opinion.
2. 9 Hole Members – Was there any development on 9 Hole golfers joining. No update to hand.

3. Ashburton 2018 Meeting – Maurice Nutira was a Clubs NZ delegate not Ashburton delegate

CORRESPONDENCE: Nil

ENTRY FEES: Entry Fees for 2020 Tournament will be for the Host Club to set.

TOURNAMENT 2020: Alexandra Ladies volunteered to host 2020 Tournament.

Moved Rhona Millar

Second Trish Cates **ALL IN FAVOUR**

Alexandra Ladies will advise of Entry Fee for 2020.

Regarding hosting a tournament two years in succession, it was advised that looking at the Clubs NZ website and can contact them if interesting in hosting two years running.

DISPUTES COMMITTEE – Nil

REMITTS – Nil

GENERAL BUSINESS:

1. 2019 Tournament: Trish Cates spoke on the way the Tournament this was run. She said that it was a shame those running the Tournament were not present to hear of the complaints or suggestions from the participants. The course was very tough, dangerous, too many on the fairway, green keepers working alongside the players, not signed posted that GUR, no Marshalls. There were men playing alongside the ladies even though the Rules stated that the Ladies had the right of way during the Tournament.

In response Peter said that the Ladies who organised this year's Tournament had not done so before, picked it up when no-one else would. T and C Golf did not choose to run the Tournament as they wanted a flat course such as Pleasant Point or Levels. We had had an enormous amount of rain over the last few weeks and it was a factor we had no control over.

Melanie Smith from Woolston WMC thanked Timaru for holding the Tournament. Positive feedback also came from Oamaru saying the conditions were good considering the rain we had all received of late.

2. Rhona Millar from Invercargill suggested that those teeing off could be from the same district so that they could all finish around the same time as they may be sharing transport. A solution to this would be to put on the entry form where they are from so those making the draw, could accommodate this.

3. Elizabeth Collins from Ashburton RSA asked why not play in pairs. Peter suggested that perhaps Clubs NZ should put a formula together as a guideline for running a Tournament.
4. Enquiry was made from the floor as to where the Meal and Prize Giving was being held and was confirmed to be at T and C in the main dining room on Sunday evening.

Peter thanked everyone for coming and Closed the meeting at 5.30pm.