

Castlegar Ladies' Morning Golf Club

Tuesday, October 17, 2023

Present

Gwen Cargill, Cherri Carlson, Verna Chernoff, Pam Corbett, Sally DeRosa, Susan Evans, Wendy Eggleton, Cindy Gustafson, Genevieve Jackson, Dianne Jackson, Kim Matson, Marg McKenzie, Mary Picard, Bev Poole, Gail Postnikoff, Sue Runions, Rina Slater, Linda Tamblyn, Sue Woods

1. **Welcome**

Linda Tamblyn welcomed the members at 9:37 am.

2. **Adoption of Agenda** (Sue Runions, Pam Corbett) Carried

3. **Adoption of Fall 2022 Minutes** (Gayle Postnikoff, Verna Chernoff) Carried

4. **Adoption of Treasurer's Report**

The treasurer's report will be available online at www.bcgazone1.org/castlegar/meetings/.

Wendy summarized the report, stating that the season began with just under \$1 000.00 and ended with just over \$1 000.00. There will be some small expenses before the balance is finalized for the season. (Genevieve Jackson, Gwen Cargill) Carried

5. **Old Business/tournaments**

The Ladies' Club Championship will be held in mid July. The format will be the same as the 2023 tournament. The entrants will pay green fees as required. Plans will be completed in the spring. In the past, the winners from the previous year have organized the tournament. Kathleen Elias, Linda Tamblyn, Donna Welda and Sue Evans will help to organize the 2024 tournament.

Ladies' Team Challenge and Men's Team Challenge: Castlegar Golf Club will pay the fee for golf, cart and new golf shirts for the members of the teams. The winners of the Ryder Cup for the Seniors' Club will receive new golf shirts.

This year was Bev Poole's last year as organizer of the Two Lady Best Ball tournament. Donna Welda and Dianne Jackson will organize the Two Lady Best Ball tournament in 2024.

The Zone 1 Ladies' Championship will be held in Cranbrook June 1 and 2, 2024.

6. **New Business**

Susan Evans discussed the methods for entering golf scores on the Golf Canada website. It is best to enter the day's score as soon as possible (on the same day as play) and to use the hole by hole entry. This method allows for course handicapping, which can change due to conditions. Entry of hole by hole scores helps to collect data on the difficulty of a hole for the majority of players.

Mary mentioned the Golf Canada app which golfers can use to enter their scores as they play. Further discussion about scoring is tabled for the spring meeting.

7. Club update from Wendy Eggleton

The club is doing well.

2023 membership: 497 members in all, including 40 juniors and 21 junior juniors

Many cart paths were paved, more will be done once the course closes.

New carts were ordered two years ago. They have all arrived.

The new tractor has arrived.

Many trees have been felled. The maintenance of dangerous trees is ongoing.

A machine from Cranbrook has been hired to move existing trees to more strategic locations on the course.

Tee boxes and bunkers received a lot of maintenance this year. The work will continue on an ongoing basis.

Fabric may be installed around the edge of steep bunkers to reduce wear and tear on the grass where the machines go in and out. .

The pond has improved but will require ongoing treatment.

The mold on the greens will also require ongoing treatment.

Ladies' Night had an average participation of 53-55 people. There were more sponsors than scheduled evenings. No nights were cancelled. The wrap up scramble had 84 participants.

8. Winners and prizes

Please see the posted list of prizes and winners on the bulletin board or online at www.bcgazone1.org/castlegar/meetings/

9. Thank you

Linda thanked the ladies who calculate the scores for the games and the boards; the executive; and Donna and Susan for organizing the club championship.

10. Motion to adjourn (Sue Runions, Pam Corbett) Carried

Submitted by Cindy Gustafson