



MINUTES

OPGCMA - LADIES SECTION COMMITTEE

Meeting: 04/09
Date: Wednesday 1st July 2009
Venue: Oak Park Committee Room

Present

Lucy Church	Captain
Margaret Church	Vice Captain
Pat Bergkvist	Secretary
Alison Lewis	
Sue Hazlem	
Wendy White	
Maggie Core	
Shona Gilchrist	
Liz Seeney	

Apologies
Claire Weedon

1.Meeting opened at 19.15

Adoption of minutes of Committee Meeting held on 27.05.09.

Matters arising: Ladies Invitation : All groups teed off from 1st tee. There was a raffle not a sweep stake.

The Minutes were proposed by Lucy and seconded by Wendy.

2. Lady Captain's Report **LUCY CHURCH**

Ladies Invitation Day

This was a very successful day with 44 ladies taking part in the day. The weather, course and the buffet meal were all excellent. Hugh Lovatt, Brian Matthews and Tony Hughes manned the half-way house and thank you to Liz Seeney for making and donating the delicious cakes for everyone

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The monies raised for Disability Challengers was £266 on the day,

breakdown of £41 for 2's competition and £225 on the raffle, £10 was donated by Julia Ranger after the event.

A glass of pimm's served before the meal proved successful. Linda Warren did the flower arrangements and they were then added to the Raffle.

Mixed Early Bird – 41 players arrived for a 5.30am shotgun start by Craig (Head Groundsman). Unfortunately, the Pro-shop wasn't open as arranged, but nevertheless, the Lady Captain and Lady Vice Captain managed from the back of a car issuing cards and taking the money! The White tees were used this year. Weather was stunning, chilly to start but warmed up quite quickly. A full English breakfast was served afterwards.

Ivan Lamont won the competition with 39pts.

Ladies Championship - seems to be in place for 4th July. Jean Preston and Shelagh De Souza dealing with the cards and the Leader Board. Bouquets have been ordered for Champion and Handicap Salver Winners. Alison Lewis is preparing a sandwich list for the players. Lucy and Margaret are supplying a glass of Pimms for the players when they finish.

Ball Spotters are in hand and being organised by Cliff Simmons.

We need to discuss how this year's format has been received – maybe a ballot again, so those plans are made for next year. Agenda for next meeting.

3. Vice Captains Report.
Margaret Church.

Knockouts

All progressing. MC has not received any extension requests to date

Matches

Ladies –

Next matches:-

Thursday 2nd July Sandford Springs Home – Team selected

Wednesday 29th July Cranleigh Park Home – Sign up sheet in Locker Room

Mixed –

Next matches:-

Sunday 19th July Bishopswood Home - Team selected

Sunday 26th July Dummer Home – Sign up sheet on Mixed Notice Board

There has been a very healthy number of members signing up for the matches, both home and away which is a very encouraging sign.

Items from Comps Com Meeting 30.06.09

1. 'Winter Competitions' – Consideration being given to reducing qualifying competitions and replacing with more team events during the winter. Ladies Committee to discuss format for year 2010/11.
2. Course issues – a 'living document' will be created – course issues should be fed back to Comps Com who will in turn pass to Main Committee for future updates with CG.
3. Slow Play Guide – has been issued and is in Competitions folder in locker room. MC request that LC raises on a Tuesday competition to encourage Ladies to read the document.
4. Caddies in Ladies Club Championship – Request had been received to consider if Caddies could be permitted in Club Championship. Comps Com will investigate further regarding local rule.

Competition Results

Ladies

26 th /31 st May	4BBB & Ping Qualifier	Wendy White & Linda Warren 35 pts
2 nd /7 th June	Medal Div 1	Maggie Core Net 66 (Medal Winner)
	Div 2	Jean Deverill Net 70
9 th June	Bowmaker	Claire Weedon/Jo Munro/Lyla Alleman 78 pts
20 th /23 rd June	Stableford	Liz Seeney 40 pts

Ladies Matches

11 th June	Dummer Away	Oak Park Win 3/1
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Stoneham Cup

10 th June	Shanklin & Sandown Home	Oak Park Win 6/1
18 th June	Shanklin & Sandown Away	S&S Win 4/3

Oak Park unfortunately did not qualify through to next round this year, but a good result winning 4 out of 6 Matches, 27 games in total which was same number of games as winners of the group.

Knight Cup (Reps: Alyson Paterson/Margaret Church)

6 th June	2 nd Round Cams Hall Home	Cams Hall Won 3&2
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Mixed

7 th June	Bishopswood Away	Oak Park Win 3 ½ to 2 ½
24 th June	Early Bird	Ivan Lamont 39 pts

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4. Ladies Handicap Secretary Report

Claire Weedon

There have been no new handicaps allocated this month.

There have been four qualifying competitions during June

The first was the **June Medal**

One lady received a handicap reduction:

- Maggie Core from 24 to 22

There was one up-revision:

- Wendy Nightingale from 13 to 14

The second competition was the **Seniors Medal**

There was one reduction:

- Lucy Church from 23 to 22

The third competition was the **June Stableford**

There was one handicap reduction:

- Liz Seeney from 25 to 24

There were three handicap up-revisions:

- Linda Warren from 23 to 24
- Margaret Johnson from 28 to 29
- Pauline Connolly from 28 to 29

The fourth competition was the **Early Bird Competition**

There was one handicap reduction:

- Alyson Paterson from 16 to 15

There were two handicap up-revisions:

- Jean Fox 28 to 29
- Jo Munro 28 to 29

In addition to these results **Ada Holmes** played in the **Junior June Medal** and has had a handicap reduction from 34 to 32

5.Duty Officers

July 2009

Date/Competition

Name

Name

Saturday 4 th Ladies Championship	Lucy	Margaret
Tuesday 7 th Bowmaker	Sue	Claire
Tuesday 14 th Medal	Liz	Wendy
Wednesday 15 th Hedera Bowl	Lucy	Margaret
Saturday 18 th Medal	Alison	
Tuesday 21 st 4BBB	Maggie	Margaret
Saturday 25 th Stableford	Alison	
Tuesday 28 th Stableford	Pat	Shona
Sunday 2 nd August Bowmaker	Alison	
Tuesday 4 th August Bowmaker	Sue	Claire

6.Ladies Championship

See Lady Captain's Report.

Ladies to write own handicaps on cards

They should put results in computer and then in suggestions box.

Ball Spotters: Both Arms straight in air means found ball.

Arms stretched out low and horizontally means not sure where ball is.

7. A.O.B.

Maggie:

Asked how long records need to be kept for handicaps. It was decided upon 2 years.

Shona:

10 people playing Round Robin.

18th Sept. Final.

Liz:

More training is needed for computer draw sheets.

Some ladies need later tee times.

There have been some computer challenges.

Teething problems with duty officers.

There were some problems with scores on the Bowmaker cards.

The scorecard is decisive not the computer.

Wendy:

Need to know which competitions can be counted for the Eclectic.

It was decided on Social Golf and Stablefords not Fun Comps.

Pat:

Asked how many years should the Minutes be kept.

Reply: For ever.

Margaret:

More ball spotters are needed for championships.

Lucy:

Thanked Alison for T&SL day.

Meeting ended at 20.50

Next Meeting: 29TH JULY 2009