HARPENDEN COMMON GOLF CLUB – LADIES SECTION

MINUTES OF COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday 5th March 2024 at 3.40 pm.

Present:

Mr Mavis Joiner	MJ	Lady President
Mrs Sue Cooper	SC	Lady Captain
Mrs Sheila Stewart	SS	Lady Vice Captain
Mrs Carolyn Richmond	CR	Treasurer
Mrs Gill Taverner	GT	Secretary
Mrs Christine Hutchings	CH	Competitions Secretary
Mrs Tracie Walker	TW	Week-end Ladies Organiser
Also in attendance:		
Mrs Carol Campbell	CC	IT organiser

1. Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Mrs Jane Walter.

2. Corrections to March Minutes

There were no corrections to the Minutes. A signed copy will be posted on the LC board in the locker room. Copies of all the Ladies Minutes are now available on the Club V1 site under "Club documents" (CC)

3. Matters arising from the March Minutes

The Newcomers handbook is now on Cloud. Lady Captain to update annually. It was agreed that any person initiating updates should inform CC.

4. Correspondence

- A reply is to be sent to Frances Kipping confirming that the Committee agreed to the "3 clubs and a putter" competition being changed to the "Gill Peters Trophy" with effect from 1st January 2025 (GT)
- Pam Henson emailed regarding the ladies locker room. She has offered to sell the Lloyd loom chairs and linen bin, change the artificial flowers, clean the cubby holes and buy new coat hangers, all of which she anticipates costing approximately £50. The committee agreed to this proposal. GT to write to Pam to thank her and agree to her proposal (GT).

- Marianne Coleman wrote saying she had been approached by Chris Roach, the Chairman of Hertfordshire Domestic Abuse Helpline regarding the possibility of our golf club putting on a charity event for HDAH either in 2024 or 2025/or perhaps the ladies section supporting them via a tea party etc. SC to reply to Marianne (SC)
- Barry Walker, Club Captain, wrote to our Lady Captain advising her that some of the men's competitions are now open to both men and ladies.

5. Treasurer's Report

CR reported the following figures:

Savings account	£3,552.70
Current account	£1,990.60
Cash	£ 20.78
Total	£5,564.08

6. Competitions

February and March competitions – nothing to report.

April: SC discussed the LC away day at Brookmans Park 16th April and advised that she would write to the 9 hole ladies suggesting they might like to play every other hole.

SS reported that the dates for the Australian Spoons (15th/18th June) and Coronation Foursomes (11th/18th May) needed to be reversed in order to fit in with dates by which they needed to be played to qualify.

7. Weekend Play document

This matter is currently under ongoing discussion with the Weekend Ladies. SC and TW to have a meeting with the Weekend Ladies shortly (TW/SC)

8. Online cloud storage

CC attended the meeting in order to discuss with the committee outline suggestions regarding relevant information to be stored on Online Cloud. This is an ongoing process (CC)

9. County Competitions

SS circulated a schedule of County Competitions. It was agreed that SC would circulate a note regarding the upcoming events, together with details of eligibility and cut off dates (SC)

10. New Members

Emma Sheppard has joined, having been a member previously. SC has been in contact with Emma.

11. Ladies Handbook/website: items to be updated

No updates required this month

12. Any Other Business

It was agreed that £30 would be sent to the Alzheimer's Research UK in remembrance of Sybil Favager (CR). A letter of condolence will be sent to John (Fav), Neil, her son, and Linda, her daughter (GT)

The meeting finished at 5.55 p.m.

Date of next meeting – Tuesday 2nd April 2024 in the committee room