# **RWGA 18 HOLE LEAGUE JANUARY 5, 2020 MEETING**

President Deb McDermid welcomed members to the First meeting of 2021 at 12:30 PM at the Hills dining room and thanked all members that were in attendance. Matt Licatta reviewed the adopted local E-5 rule with the assistance of his daughter and creative diagrams. A copy of the E-5 rule will be attached to this email.

President Deb McDermid introduced Pat Manahan as the newest member of the tournament committee, Pat's responsibilities during season will be the selection of the side game and morning collection of the monies. The summer months Pat will be game day coordinator. Pat requested volunteers for collections in the mornings and a sign-up sheet was on the front table and will be in the lady's lounge at the Hills Club.

#### **OFFICER REPORTS:**

**Vice President**-Ann Carlon thanked Sally Sperry for her awesome assistance in the completion of this years RWGA member booklets. The 2021 booklets were distributed at this meeting, Ann commented on the graphic photo on the front which was another contribution from Sally Sperry.

**Secretary**-Mary Young asked if any corrections or addition were needed for the minutes of the December 1, 2020 RWGA meeting, the minutes were accepted.

**Treasurer**-Ruth Oberlin reported that the November financial report was in error and the corrected November and the December reports will be attached to this email.

**Old Business**-Silver Tee criteria update-Ann Carlon and Susan Horste stated the USGA Rules state that you may choose the tee that you wish to use. Susan reminded members that they must post their scores to Ghin anytime except Tuesday-YOUR FAVORITE GOLF DAY and the negative to using the Silver Tees is your handicap will be less than if you use the Red tees. Once you choose the Silver tees you must complete the year at that tee. Susan asked the members their thoughts on Red Tees vs Silver Tees for scramble games and the members gave very good suggestions and members who golf with other groups shared how they use the selection of tees. President Deb McDermid informed the members the board will have a recommendation for the Silver Tees criteria at the RWGA February meeting and the rule will be voted on at the March RWGA meeting.

## **New Business**

**Birdies and Chip-In's**- Carol Delucca presented Bonnie Harrington with the beloved trophy for her performance in 2020, she will keep the trophy for the year. Carol also reminded new members to join the Hole In One Club it is only \$2.00.

**President's Cup**-Kathy Hunt chairperson reported that next Tuesday will be a practice day for the President Cup rules and scoring. The sign-up sheet for the President's Cup is at the front table and will be in the Hill's ladies lounge and you can contact any of the tournament committee Micki Shea, Judy Santoro, Kathy Hunt to sign up. The tournament starts first week in February.

**Birthday Tuesday-**Linda Scheeler and Linda Jones are the new chairpersons, Linda Scheeler reported that Birthday Tuesday was started in 2017 to encourage members to join in a celebration on the second Tuesday of the month for member's birthdays. This celebration was very successful until COVID-19. Linda and Linda will work to have a safe and fun celebration until social conditions are improved. January birthdays are Tommie Goodwin, Lea Goodman, Bonnie Harrington, Kathy Kirkham so wish these members Happy Birthday. Come into the Palms dinning room if you feel comfortable.

**Special Memorial-**Charlene Diggins Memorial presented by Linda Scheeler and Marge Twitchell. This years RWGA Members Booklet is dedicated to Charlene Diggins know as the matriarch of Rotonda golf. Charlene promoted the RWGA to where it is today, over 41 years of service voted as president 3 years. Marge and Linda shared some personal stories of this remarkable person.

**Rules and Etiquette**-Susan Horste wants Tuesday Golf to be simple, competitive and YOUR FAVORITE GOLF DAY OF THE WEEK.

# Ball Striking the Flag Stick-TEMPORARY RULE suggested by Pat Trick:

This rule will be in effect until the flag can again be removed by players. This local rule is for normal league play and shall not be in effect for tournament play. The ball shall be considered holed out if it hits the flag stick and comes to rest with-in 12 inches of the hole.

## Tournament Committee Update-Susan Horste

Tournament Committee structure changes: Susan Horste is director and consultant for our league and also liaison to the Rotonda club. Susan Hooper is sending emails out Mondays and Tuesday and organizing the games. Pat Manahan is creating and collecting monies for side games and when Sue Hooper returns home, Pat will take over her responsibilities.

Game Results-The Hills Team Scramble-Sue Hooper

1<sup>st</sup> place-Kathy Hunt, Sally Sperry, Linda Scheeler and Carol Delucca with a score of 67.5 -\$5.00 each.

2<sup>nd</sup> place-Marge Twitchell, Pat Holck, Brenda Fisher, and Bev Martin a score of 69.6-\$4.00 each.

3<sup>rd</sup> place-Shirley Acheson, Bonnie Harrington, Karen Delgaizo, and Pam Begue-\$3.00 each.

### Side Games- Pat Manahan

Fairways-Kathy Hunt 16 \$20.00

Closest to Pins-#7 Marge Twitchell 7 ½ inches, #17 Kathy Hunt 15 feet 11 inches.

Ruth Oberlin won 50/50 winning \$25.00 and \$25.00 to the RWGA.

Meeting adjourned at 1:47

Mary Young-Secretary 1/8/2021



Do you think she made the putt?