

**November 21, 2022**

Cindy Sterling, President, called the meeting to order at 9am.

**Secretary's Report**

Lea Ann Kirby presented the minutes from the October 17, 2022 meeting and the minutes were accepted as presented.

**Treasurer's Report**

Sue Halsted reported that the General Account balance as of October 31, 2022 is \$8,631.04 and has been reconciled with UMB bank. The Tournament Account balance is \$51,896.19 and has been reconciled with UMB bank. Sue gave a breakdown of the major deposits and withdrawals as of October, 2022. The Treasurer's Report was accepted as presented. Sue also said members could pay their 2023 dues via PayPal on our website.

Cindy Sterling announced that Jayne Gornik performed the quarterly audit on November 15, 2022 for August-September-October and the accounts all balanced perfectly and the books were in perfect order.

**Vice President's Report**

Sue Galinski questioned if the Casino Night and Pink Tournament checks had cleared the tournament account and Sue Halsted commented not until November.

**Director of Golf**

Craig Pullen was unable to attend

**Handicap Committee**

Jamey Siefert recommended that we make some changes on the Application for Membership and to make the dual membership clearer for new members that are joining. If someone joins after September 1<sup>st</sup> the dues will be \$51 and that includes the dues and also GHIN Fees. She also clarified that the dues for 2023 are \$70 and that includes \$5 for the Hole in One. The breakdown of those charges is \$39 for dues, \$26 for GHIN and \$5 for Hole in One. Someone that is already a member of the RRWGA just needs to drop a check in the box to renew – an existing member doesn't need to fill out an application.

Jamey reported there will be one more GHIN billing. Jamey also suggested that we review our Tournament Guidelines regarding the 10 rounds of play with the RRWGA for this year to be eligible for the Most Improved Player since so many of our playdays have been canceled including the Club Championship being canceled two times. Kelly Kay, a RRWGA member, spoke to the board about the fact that she works full time and had her schedule set to play 10 times in 2022 but with cancellations of various playdays and also the Club Championship she will not get in the 10 playdays. The Executive Board voted unanimously that if you were scheduled to play in the

two Club Championships that were cancelled due to weather, your 8 playdays will count towards the Most Improved Player awards.

### **Rules**

Gabie Bull and Kerri Kay were unable to attend. Gabie has had surgery and is at home recuperating.

### **Tuesday Play Day**

Candy Mikulik reported that we have had 34 playdays in 2023 and there are only two left with the last one being on November 29, 2022.

Candy also reported on the results of the Survey Monkey that was sent out to each RRWGA member. 54 people took the survey and these surveys are absolutely confidential. Candy gave examples of all the answers she received and she will be sending out a summary of all the results to the RRWGA so they will be informed. The Playday Committee for 2023 will take all of the comments into consideration to arrange playdays for 2023.

### **Membership**

Chris Hagan reported she had a busy year with Membership. She will get everything set up for the new Membership Chair that will come on board in 2023. Ann Brehm suggested that we need to try for more socialization between all players on Tuesday playdays, maybe being able to all gather in the lounge area at the Wildhorse Grill like we did in previous years before COVID. Cindy Sterling will check into being able to use that room again.

### **Publicity**

Virginia Wheelless was very happy with her front-page article in Pioneer Press about the Pink Tournament – also about the TV coverage it received. She had hoped for a larger article about Casino Night but once again let us know she has no say in what or how many pictures Pioneer Press puts in the publications. The next article coming out will be an article and photos of the Hoof & Heels tournament.

### **Communications**

Deb Nortunen has set up a non-response filter for emails that she sends out. Deb said to please let her know if someone is sick, has a death or wants things known to the entire RRWGA. She always checks with the individual before sending anything out publicly to the RRWGA.

### **Special Committee Reports**

#### **Pink Tournament**

Chris Root was unable to attend but the final figure for the Pink Tournament was \$59,000+ to Women Rock. A great effort on all of the committees and the members of both RRWGA & WLN for supporting both the Pink Tournament and Casino Night. A big thank you to all the Committee Members for all their hard work on these two events

**Club Championship**

Lee Murphy was not able to attend. It was announced that this tournament was canceled two times – both times for bad weather. This event will hopefully be held on March 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

**Hoof and Heels**

Ann Brehm announced how successful the tournament was this year and there would be some funds carry over into 2023 for this tournament. All sponsors received written thank you notes and she once again thanked all her committee members for all of their hard work and the Membership for attending and making this such a successful tournament.

**Golf and Greens Update**

Jane Temperly will be attending the Golf and Greens meeting today. She will check about our playday tee times.

The schedule for the rest of the year was reviewed. Playday ends on November 29<sup>th</sup>, the Christmas Brunch is on December 6<sup>th</sup> and the Polar Bear league will start January 10, 2023. Information on the Polar Bear league will be coming via email within the next week.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10am

Respectfully Submitted,

Lea Ann Kirby, RRWGA Secretary  
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