

# **Great Eagle Ladies' Golf Club**

## **General Business Meeting**

### **Dec. 4, 2018**

The general business meeting was called to order by president, Teri Patterson at 1:50 pm in the Chuckwagon with 30 members present. A welcome was extended by Teri to those just back for the 2018-2019 season and to 3 new members; Shan Wattenburger, Bonnie Eagleton, Shirley Sanders.

#### **Old Business**

Teri reported that Don Pahlow is the men's representative of the men's club for the Awards Banquet. Discussion ensued about our role this year.

Kandy Moore moved and Renee Hollenbeck seconded to rescind the motion made and carried last February regarding the men and ladies alternating years to plan the awards banquet. Carried.

#### **New Business**

1. Tournaments - Betty Morris, one of the tournament chairs, explained how for prizes, we have always collected \$5.00 for the 2 days of the President's Cup, \$5.00 for all 3 days of Match Play, and \$5.00 for the 2 days of the Club Championship. It is always a struggle to find enough money for all prizes. Her suggestion is to collect \$5.00 on all days of play, not just the first day of each event. All money collected will be for prizes. All were in agreement.
2. New Rules – In Barb Burrow's absence, Kandy Moore is dealing with the new rules. After some discussion of the proposed new local rules, Renee Hollenbeck moved and Bonnie Eagleton seconded that we adopt 1, 2, 4, and 5. Carried.
  1. Grass clippings
    - A. If ball is in a pile that appears to be left by maintenance for removal (brown in colour), there can be one club length free relief, no closer to hole.
    - B. If it is daily mower clippings in the "general area", no relief, play as it lies.
  2. If there are down, damaged trees and branches, there is free relief one club length no closer to hole.
  3. If there is abnormal grass in sand bunkers, you may drop ball behind abnormal grass portion with no penalty and within one club length. (This one was not included.)
  4. Out of bounds on hole #10, is the Bell Road sidewalk, non street side/ golf course side.
  5. If ball is on fringe or rough immediately adjacent to green, and there is major damage to the green such as animal holes and/or equipment damage, you may take free relief, one club length, either side, no closer to hole.

Kandy talked about some of the 31 new rules being implemented in Jan., 2019. She encouraged everyone to visit USGA.com and watch the videos on the new rules. They are well done.

Marie Pilot is trying to get the tags of the new rules for our golf bags.

Donna Murray will check on the book for the player's addition of the new rules.

3. Ready Golf – Donna Murray passed out a sheet giving tips on reducing slow play. Sheet is in minute book.
4. Christmas Party – Kandy Moore reported that the Christmas Party will be held at NC2, Thursday, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> at 11:30. Bring a dessert, salad, or other item, a \$10.00 gift (should you want to participate in gift exchange), and your own beverage. Plates and utensils are provided.
5. Club Fair – This is held in January with Anita Johnson, Ceci Richardson, and Jane Sullivan in charge.
6. Game of the Day – Prizes were awarded. Jean Georg looked after this in the absence of Mary Graham.
7. Birdies and Chip Ins – Donna Murray handed out winnings for November. The 2 sign-up sheets were available for members to record any birdies or chip ins from today. If anyone missed putting their November birdies/chip ins on the November sheet, they can be put onto the Dec. sheet. The sheets will now be posted in the breezeway.
8. 50/50 Draw – Betty Morris was the winner.
9. New Business – Teri advised us to take purses, money, keys to cart, etc. when stopping at the pro shop and driving range as there have been 2 known incidents of theft.
10. Next meeting – the next meeting is January 8, 2019.

Teri Patterson adjourned the meeting at 2:53 PM.