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Laguna Woods Women's Golf Club, General Meeting- October 16, 2024

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Mary Ann Gille at 12:15 p.m.

Applications for membership in LWWGC and cookies were distributed. Mary Ann explained that everyone in the Club has a different renewal date for membership in SCGA. The annual fee has been raised to \$41 from \$35. Members must pay their renewal fee directly to SCGA, not LWWGC.

Mary Ann implored members not to unsubscribe to email messages sent by SCGA or LWWGC. If you unsubscribe you will get no information from either organization, no longer have access to golf genius and must go through the process to re-subscribe with Mary Ann. Furthermore, if you unsubscribe, you will not get a tee time until you re-subscribe.

Mary Ann announced that the Hole-in-One Club membership runs from January to January, so members can sign up for next year at the January meeting. Payouts are made at the January meeting.

It was announced that ladies who join the club in October through December of the current year will have their \$40 dues count for the following calendar year.

This year's Eclectic Tournament will take place on October 22nd and 29th. Late applications for entering the tournament will be accepted if the team of two players can play both dates. While tee times are not in a shotgun format, all tournament participants will have their tee times within a similar time frame.

Members seeking play in the Club Championship tournament may use rounds played in the previous calendar year in the months of September-December if they cannot meet the requirement that they play six rounds with the club in the year that the tournament is being played.

Kris Oliveira announced the tournament schedule for the 2025 Calendar year. She announced that the format for all tournaments except the Club Championship will be a two-person, better ball format.

February 11- Valentine Tournament

April 15- Spring Fling

June 3, 10, and 17- Club Championship- The Club Championship will be determined by the player with the lowest gross score. A Net Champion will be determined by the player with the lowest net score. A luncheon will follow play on the 17th.

July 1- July 4th Tournament

November 11 and 18- Participants must be able to play both days. A luncheon will follow play on the 18th.

Kris introduced the two ladies who are serving as captains for Intraclub play- Shelia Gebhart and Betty Paik. Interested members may sign for play next year during the January 2025 meeting. An effort is made to be sure the teams have similar total handicaps. Intraclub play will take place every month except June, July and August.

Other general announcements followed:

Ladies should fill out a membership application even if they did not bring money. Put their \$40 membership fee in an envelope and put it in the 18 hole drawer in Clubroom 3.

The master scorecard for each group of golfers playing on Tuesday must be placed in the box located in the room adjacent to the Pro Shop immediately after finishing the round.

Sign-ups for the Christmas Party on December 5th in Clubhouse 5 will take place immediately following the meeting. The cost is \$10, and table sign-ups will also be possible at that time. The last day to sign up for the party is November 19th.

Suggestions for how to spend the Club's money in a constructive manner are welcomed. Please see Mary Ann Gille with your ideas.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Caroline Hinckley
Temporary Secretary