

LGA Board Meeting

2/2/2023

Attendees: V. Muma, J. Bends, R. Woodall, J. Fendt, L. Dillin, A. Buck, S. Vogel, M. Hansen, K. Reese, M. Ellis

The meeting was called to order at 4:00.

### **Tipping**

A discussion occurred regarding the LGA tipping policy for tournaments. The objective was to come up with a consistent policy for all tournaments as currently, depending on the lead for the tournament or shotgun, different actions are done. The following was decided:

Food Tipping will be \$1.50 for plated and \$1.00 for buffet luncheons. These amounts will be added to the cost of the tournament / shotgun. Because the board felt that these amounts were not enough, these tips will be augmented by Mulligan money received for the tournament / shotgun.

The tip for the bag drop / cart barn staff will be \$1.00 per bag. If there is a two day tournament, the cost will be \$2.00 per bag. This will be added to the cost of the tournament / shotgun. A communication to Arron requesting enough help at the bag drop area for all events will occur.

The tip for a bartender for the 4 major tournaments will be \$25.00. This only applies in the event that we have a separate bartender dedicated to the LGA event. It does not apply to events whereby ladies go into Mulligans for a beverage.

Finally, the tax for the event will be added to the cost of the event.

### **Payouts for Points / Birdies and Chip Ins**

A discussion and then a vote occurred regarding the payout for Points and Birdies / Chip Ins. It was determined that we will assign an even amount to each and will eliminate the previous behavior of assigning 2/3 to Points and 1/3 to Birdies / Chip Ins. Additionally, there will NOT be a cap on Birdies / Chip Ins.

### **50 / 50 Raffle Money Assignment**

Following a discussion, the Board concluded that all the 50 / 50 money will be in one LGA "pot". A conservative estimate will be made by Margaret as to the amount of money we will receive from the 2023 tournaments and shotguns. Then, each of the 4 majors will receive a portion of the "pot" from which they can use. As of now, the member / member tournament has \$171 allocated to it ~ the money came from the January kickoff event. This will not be the case for 2024.

In the event that "the estimate" is over, we will add the monies back into the pot for payouts at the end of the year. If "the estimate is under, we will supplement by taking monies from the payout pot at the end of the year.

Margaret will complete the conservative estimate analysis within the next week.

### **Treasurer Report**

Lynne reported that we currently have 80 LGA members. There is a chance we may get 5-7 more. Lynne and Vicky have been capturing the reasons as to why some previous members have not enrolled in 2023.

## **T42**

Jill reported that there are 16 teams that have signed up for T42. There are 7 combined teams of Burden & Azalea and 9 Azalea teams. There will be two payouts for the 7 combined teams and 3 payouts for the Azalea teams. One-third of the field will receive payouts.

## **Play with the Pro**

The event will take place on 2/15. Aaron has picked the teams and it will be posted in the Ladies Locker Room. Because there was a lot of interest, we may have another event in the Fall to include those that were not chosen for the event in February.

## **Tournament Lead Meeting**

Margaret briefly discussed that the meeting was held. She is currently putting together reconciliation summary report guide for each tournament lead to use when closing out the tournament. Also, Lynne is putting together a financial summary guide. Both documents will be sent to the Tournament Leads.

## **State Update**

Ruth clarified her earlier suggestion to include a state representative in one of our LGA events. The board agreed and Clarissa Childs, Executive Director of WSCGA, has been invited to participate in our March 23 Shotgun breakfast and golf. She will give a brief overview of women's golf in SC as well as exciting changes made to state tournaments to include all levels of players. This is also an opportunity for us to promote Woodside at the state level prior to our hosting a one-day state on May 10

Following that update, a discussion occurred regarding other opportunities for ladies to play at other courses through different organizations. To that end, Vicky said that we could have an update on other tournaments / organizations at the 3/23 breakfast. This would include CSRA, Team Play and State. It could also include a new organization that we just found out about called TWGA. More to follow on this.

## **The Reserve Exchange**

Peggy Day and Gwen Blankenheim will be our representatives for The Reserve / Woodside Exchange Tournament to be held on 8/2 at The Reserve Club.

## **Upcoming Tournaments**

Marion and Sue are working on the Match Play event scheduled for 3/11 and 3/12. She is just finalizing the price now.

Kathy has stated that she will soon be working on the menu for the Shotgun Breakfast Tournament on 3/23. She also mentioned that we may want to think about some fundraising events for the LGA. There was positive response to this thinking. Perhaps a trash / treasure type event was briefly discussed. More to follow.

The Team Play dates have been set for 2023. CSRA dates will be out soon.

The next Board Meeting will be held on March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 at 4:00 pm.

Respectively Submitted by Margaret Ellis

For Peggy Day