

2009 Golf/HRT Committee Meeting Minutes

Golf/HRT Committee Minutes February 2, 2009

Attending: Joe Conboy, Gale McCune, Jane Davis, Mary Andersen

1. Discussed rangers: We will have rangers starting in April, the beginning of the season.
2. Reviewed Warren Wright e-mail about the condition of the member range, pitching from the tee area to the green, ball marks, lack of care by members using the area. We agree a sign would help.
3. Update on GHIN system. Software installed and should be up and running as of March 1st.
4. Course markings: Bob Brennan reviewed Blue Heron and gave us his recommendations for proper marking. He will do Marsh Hawk next. The corrections will be handled by Bob and T.C.
5. The seminar on the 18th will begin at 6:00pm as stated in the score card.
6. As of April 1st, a new score card will be in place. Pace of play added. Rules and a map of the courses added. The new format looks good.
7. Betsy and I will be attending a VSGA presentation on the GHIN system at Kingsmill on Wednesday the 4th.
8. Our next meeting will be March 2nd @ 9.00am at the club.

MAY 4th MINUTES-GOLF/HRT COMMITTEE

Attending: Mary Andersen, Jane Davis, Debbie Keller, Bob Brennan, John Bittenbring, Heide Cieurzo, Gale McCune, Joe Conboy

1. Discussed process so members can make tee times to play other clubs when we have all three courses closed. Gale added this item to the tracking list. To be discussed at the CCMA level.
2. Handicap adjustments: Dick Sorensen; Kathy Sheets; Debbie Keller; Linda Jackson. Kathy back on the computer. Dick given five shots added to his current handicap for may. Debbie given three shots added to her nine hole handicap for may. Linda's handicap index raised from 18.0 to 20.5 based on scores posted for 2009. We will continue to monitor all during may.
3. Blue Heron set up referred to the green committee.
4. Bob Brennan compared the new card yardages and the old card. There are differences. Also, index and ratings a concern for handicap purposes. Also, there are members who think the new card needs some changes to the format.
5. Next meeting: June 1 @ 4:00p.m.

GOLF-HRT COMMITTEE MINUTES-JULY 9, 2009

Attending: Joe Conboy; Bob Brennan; John Bittenbring; Gale McCune; Jane Davis; T.C. Sessoms; Heide Cieurzo; Debbie Keller; Mary Andersen

1. Bob and T.C. informed the committee all markings for the three courses are finished. They will keep on top of the lines as they grow out during the season.
2. Discussed were a number of e-mails sent to Larry about the course conditions and the general mood of the members. The committee believes that the CCMA is the only way these issues should be addressed with the management of the club. The formation of other ad hoc groups should be discouraged.
3. We were told a letter from the club has been sent to Justin Roberto.
4. The Warren Schultz letter was discussed. We were told that there is another side to that complaint. The pro shop staff spoke to the marshal and he said that the cart problem was caused by grounds crew workers repairing a sprinkler head and blocking the cart path with equipment, causing the players to go around them.
5. The purpose of the monthly HRT meeting was discussed. T.C. advised the committee of the USGA requirements for a sanctioned club.
6. The GHIN System was discussed and problems with the VSGA and report access are being addressed by T.C.
7. All members who were on the handicap adjustment status are back on the computer as of the June 15th.update.
8. The MGA, as of the June 10 Board meeting, put into effect lift/clean/place the ball on Blue Heron for their events.

Next meeting: August 3rd. @ 4:00p.m.

GOLF COMMITTEE MINUTES—SEPT. 3, 2009

Members present: Joe Conboy-Bob Brennan-Gale McCune T.C.Sessoms-Heide Cieurzo-Debbie Keller-Mary Anderson

1. Discussed Mike McDonald e-mail. Subject: Williamsburg Cup

T.C. replied to this e-mail within the half hour from receiving it. Input and concerns were addressed.

2. Discussed Fran Dunleavy e-mail. Subject: No tee times on phone line.

This problem will be taken care of by having the pros check from home and if necessary, access the information. They will be able to place the times on the phone line for members use.

3. Discussed Ted Miller e-mail. Subject: Maximum handicap.

Maximum handicap is 36.4 for men. The staff uses this for all men's events when setting up tournaments.

4. Gale gave a positive report on the progress of meetings with the club management.

5. As of the 08/31/09 handicap update, only one member has a reduced handicap index.

6. All tournament scores for all associations have been monitored by either handicap chairs from the boards or the pro shop staff. Posting scores correctly remains a small problem.

7. Gave out information on water access on each course. This issue should be taken off the CCMA Tracking List.

8. Discussed Black Heath #1 drainage ditch past the fairway bunkers on the right and how it should be marked. The committee agrees to mark it as a lateral hazard with red paint. This is how the VSGA and MAPGA mark it for tournaments.

9. Next meeting: October 5th @ 4:00p.m.

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Attendees: T.C. Sessoms, Jane Davis, Joe Conboy

1. Discussed e-mail from Debby Keller about changes in tee times for the nine hole players without notice.
2. Gave the results from the survey. The same issues regarding water and rangers were the main repeating concerns from the members.
3. Gave a handicap adjustment to Hal Curtis of two (2) shots for the remainder of October for medical reasons.

Next meeting: November 2nd. @ 9:00 a.m.