

Mohawk Valley Ladies 9 Hole District League
Meeting Minutes
May 23, 2022

Present: From **Glass Hill:** Eileen McCann, Claudette Johnson, Jackie Kessler, Rose Hosp; From **Shamrock:** Mary Ann Boffi, Kathy Olney; From **Westmoreland:** Sharon Gorniak, Lenore Boduch; From **Heron Creek:** Nora Revere; From **Crystal Springs:** Tutti Wagner, Cathy; From **Woodgate Pines:** Kathy Hoke; From **Barker Brook:** Joy Dapson; From **Twin Ponds:** Dorlene MacDiamid, Kathy

Call to Order: Tutti Wagner, President, called the meeting to order at 11:03 at Breakfast at Tiffany's. Tutti welcomed the group back and passed out a list of prospective dates for which courses we will play.

Minutes: Vice President Eileen McCann read the minutes from the previous meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Claudette Johnson gave the Treasurer's report and stated the League has \$331.58 in its account, \$78.04 from dues and \$260 from donations for our deceased members.

New Business: Tutti stated a decision should be made regarding the donations collected for deceased members. Rose Hosp made a motion to raise the total to \$300, since we have extra money in our account. Joy Dapson seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by a show of hands.

Discussion was had regarding where the money should be donated. It was agreed we would use the money for youth programs if possible, girls in particular. Eileen suggested the Kuyahoor Valley Foundation, which runs a youth golf tournament at Glass Hill. Kathy Hoke suggested Woodgate Pines youth golf program.

Kathy Olney proposed we split the money between the two courses, Woodgate Pines and Glass Hill. Claudette seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by a show of hands. Jackie Kessler suggested we get a report on how the money was spent, and this was unanimously approved as well.

Handicapping/Scoring: Kathy Olney stated she was happy to take on the responsibility again this season, but she needs our help. She needs new members information, specifically names, handicaps, phone numbers and email addresses. Kathy Olney, Nora Revere and Kathy Hoke will work together on scoring, pairings and handicaps. Kathy also mentioned that handicaps will be revised after every three rounds of golf.

A discussion was had regarding cancellations, and it was determined that anybody who cancels should call their Course Representative by the Wednesday before the match. Course Representative will then notify Mary Ann and Kathy Olney. Cancellations after the Wednesday before a match will be subject to a \$15 lunch fee.

Upcoming Season: Tutti asked if the dates listed were good for the courses we will play. Eileen stated Glass Hill has raised their rates and now wants \$25 from each golfer in tournaments. This raises some issues with the League's proposal to pay \$10 for greens fees, \$10 for cart and \$15 for lunch. Jackie Kessler has offered to negotiate with Glass Hill on behalf of the League. The first date of June 13 at Glass Hill is on hold at this time.

Women's Golf Day at Turning Stone: Eileen passed along information regarding a Women's Golf Day at Pleasant Knolls, one of the Turning Stone courses. Women's Golf Day is a one day event celebrating girls and women playing golf and learning the skills that last a lifetime. The event is Tuesday, June 7th and will cost \$59. This includes instruction, on course play at Pleasant Knolls, lunch and a gift. There will be a morning session and an afternoon session. Register by June 3rd. LPGA Professional Hall of Famer Kay McMahan will be the instructor. For more info, contact Sarah McCarthy 315 361-8536.

Meeting Adjourned: The meeting was adjourned at 12 noon.

Respectfully submitted by Eileen McCann