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MPWGA Business Meeting Minutes
Kick-Off Dinner
Tuesday, January 25, 2022

Attendees: Judy Grow, Brenda Creel, Cathy Quesnell, Linda Schauer, Donna Yon, Lori Stegink, Marilyn Brewer, Midge Borchert, Kim Cox, Tina Donavon, Melanie Bassham and members from the MPWGA for a total of 64 attendees.

Not Attending: Andrea Dresch, Connie Simonds, Debbie McMullin

Guests: Mike Karpe

President Judy Grow called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.

President Judy Grow welcomed everyone and briefly reviewed the meeting agenda. She made a special point to thank our event sponsor, Dr. Kim Tucker. Dr. Tucker was unable to attend, but we appreciate her support. Judy thanked the outgoing board for their service and introduced the new board members. She recognized the chairs for the Ad Hoc Committees. She thanked the webmasters for their invaluable work and requested that all members take time to become familiar with our website. Andrea Gray, our photographer, was recognized and thanked for her photography and slide shows. Judy asked Mike Karpe to select several random names for \$25 gift cards for local area restaurants. Mike selected and distributed the cards throughout the evening.

Secretary Melanie Bassham requested approval of the December 7, 2021 Business Meeting Minutes. Marilyn Brewer made a motion to approve them, Kim Cox seconded and the meeting minutes were approved unanimously.

Treasurer Cathy Quesnell reported that our 2022 budget looks good, thanks largely to our sponsors. Our budgeted income is \$18,815 versus \$18,900 that we will spend. Due to the numbers being so close, we must be careful not to overspend.

Membership Chair Linda Dewitt reported on membership for Connie Simonds, who was unable to attend. She introduced two new members attending the dinner, Denise Cashmore and Joan LaFon. Linda also mentioned we have a total of 14 other new members for 2022, two of whom were from SaddleBrooke Ranch: Mary Hooper and Carole Ericksen. She requested that any new or updated contact information be sent directly to Connie Simonds.

Rules Chairman Marilyn Brewer introduced Mike Karpe to discuss the penalty area on the par 3 Hole #6 at the Preserve. Mike announced that starting February 1st, 2022, there will be a new marked drop area on the green side of the hole for those that land in the penalty area. Marilyn suggested that each member review the Course Info section of the MPWGA Website for a wealth of information on rules, penalty areas and out-of-bounds maps.

Sponsorship Chair Lori Stegink reported that we have a least 1 or 2 new sponsors for this year.

Special Events Chair Midge Borchert reported that we still need a chairperson for the Coyote Classic. She confirmed the dates of course closures for MountainView and The Preserve in May/June/July and September/October.

President Judy Grow announced the Most Improved Player of the Year Award: Kim Cox. At the beginning of 2021, Kim's index was 19.3 and was lowered to 17.7 by the end of the year. Judy also recognized the 10 members that shot a "Hole-In-One" during 2021.

Weekly Events Chair Linda Schauer announced the Ace of the Month winners for December and for January, (Jacque Twitty, Gail Campbell, Anne Cole and Randi Roberts) as well as the Ace of the Year winners (Gail Campbell and Karen Erickson). She had distributed the list of names at each table for birdies and chip-ins during the year. There were over 600 birdies and 150 chip-ins during the year!

Sponsor Dorothy Moore announced the winners for Closest-To-The-Pin for December & January and presented the winners with gifts. Closest to the Pin Winners for January: Randi Roberts (twice), Ann Cahill and Linda Schauer.

SDWGA Rep Aleta Rosenthal encouraged sign up for the upcoming Winter Scotch event on February 21st at MV and for the Spring/Summer Partners Event at Sewailo Golf Course in May.

President Judy Grow said that on February 15th (where MPWGA is invited to play at SaddleBrooke Ranch) an alternate event at HOA2 would occur if at least 12 players wanted to play at home instead of at the Ranch.

Old Business: None

New Business: Next Business Luncheon Meeting is scheduled for March 29, 2022

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Melanie Bassham
Secretary, MPWGA