

JUNIPER HILLS LADIES GOLF CLUB

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SPRING MEETING

March 11, 2014

The Juniper Hill Ladies Golf Club met on Tuesday, March 11, 2014. Twenty-Nine (29) members were in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by Co-Chair Michele Brown at 6:07 pm. Due to medical issues Connie Wiard (Co-Chair) was unable to attend. Other officers in attendance were Michele Brown (Co-Chair), Becky Ebert (Co-Chair), Aggie Hampton and Connie Page, tournament Co-chairs and Barbara Reynolds, Secretary/Treasurer and Sue Wood, Handicap Chair.

Copies of the minutes from the fall meeting and the treasurer's reports from 2013 and the current 2014 reports were distributed. Michele Brown asked that the minutes be read from the fall meeting and there was a motion from Pam Rhodes and seconded by Esther Wilhoite that the minutes not be read and we accept the minutes. Motion carried.

Barbara Reynolds then proceeded to give a brief treasurer's report stating that there is a balance of \$2,227.39. \$1,000. of that balance is the money that the JHGA has graciously donated to the JHLGC for the 2014 Ladies Club Championship and is to be deposited into the Tournament Committees checking account upon completion of the 2013 audit which is being conducted by Mary Rhodes.

Sue Wood gave a report for the Handicap Committee. She reported that if you wish to keep your handicap current, you must pay your handicap fees before April 1. (actual season per KGA/GHIN begins March 1) If dues are not paid by April 1, it will take approximately 10 days to get back on the GHIN roles. Sue also requested that if a member finds any errors on their cards, that they should contact Sue, via email, and she will correct.

At this point of the meeting, the members recognized the late arrival of Donna Grimes and secretary was advised to enter this information in her report.

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Aggie Hampton gave a report on the Tournament Committee. The 2014 schedule was distributed. An approximate balance of \$50 has been left in their account. The members then began a discussion on the Juniper Cup and how it should be handled for the upcoming season. Most all the Juniper Cup members were very pleased with 2013. For the 2014 season, it was determined that all members of the JHLGC will be selected for a team which would make each team consist of 10-12 ladies per team. The top 4-6 would then be recognized for winning and receive points for their team. The Club will purchase a trophy/plaque and at the end of each competitive season, with the winning teams picture placed in an appropriate area of the clubhouse. (bragging rights)

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New Business

Since there is \$500 left in the checking account, and after a brief discussion it was decided that we should give back to the golf community by donating to the high school girls golf teams. Lesa Hodge was present and was appreciative that the JHLGC would do this. It was suggested that the money be given to Kirk to be put in the WHHS and FCHS pro shop account and when equipment is needed, it can be purchased thru Kirk. Donna McNeil made a motion give the girls HS teams our extra \$500 and Esther Wilhoite seconded. Motion carried.

Discussion also ensued about how we can advertise/promote our leagues and get more ladies involved so that we can increase our membership. A buddy system was discussed which would pair an established member with a new golfer. Also discussed was a Golf Open House, i.e. meet and greet of new ladies that might be interested in one of our leagues. This idea will be discussed with Kirk and a date will be determined.

An email from Shirley Rodgers was read by Becky Ebert on the need for By-Law changes. Shirley was unable to attend because of illness, but she brought up the need for both our leagues to be under the same set of By-Laws. Currently, the Late Swingers and the JHLGC are under separate By-Laws, and the Wednesday Ladies League has 'guidelines'. After a brief discussion, it was motioned by Sue Wood, seconded by Debbie Wash, that this discussion be tabled until the fall meeting so that Shirley could have the opportunity to discuss these changes in person. Motion carried.

A motion to adjourn was made by Esther Wilhoite and was seconded by Barbara Terrell.