

Sawga Spring Meeting

March 12, 2021

Meeting was called to order by President Kathy Hanlon at 9:01 am. All Clubs had representatives except Manito Golf and Country Club.

Kathy welcomed everyone and thanked Herb from Wandermere for the coffee, water and always letting us use the room for our meetings.

She then introduced all of the 2021 Officers. Several were unable to attend.

She asked Darcia to give a report on the minutes of the 2020 Fall Meeting. The reading of the minutes was dispensed as they are posted on the website. Kathy had been alerted to the fact there was a correction. The correction is that it needs to be acknowledged that in the 2019 minutes a motion was made and passed that Beth Wrigley keep the Sawga Championship trophy when it was retired. Discussion on this issue and the motion was re-read in the minutes for 2019. Motion to approve the minutes. Second. Approved.

Discussion on where to store the current trophies. It was noted that in 2019 a motion was made to store them at Kalispel Golf & Country Club. That motion failed. Tabled further discussion on this issue.

Darcia gave the treasurer's report as Beth Wrigley was not in attendance. There were two expenses paid in 2021 and the current balance is \$3,311.29.

Jackie Babin gave the Numerica Cup report. The Division and Deadline Schedule forms have been posted on the website. She would appreciate all Sr Reps to use the NC Player list to submit their team each event. She will forward the document version that is easy to download and forward to her. She also needs a copy of the handicap report that includes the differential. This report needs to be dated the exact date of USE HANDICAP DATE.

Nancy Figy gave the Sweeps report for both 1-3 and 4-6. She also would like everyone to use the report on the website to submit their players for each event. She needs them emailed to her and Bobbi Jo by the deadline date. The form and the money is mailed to Beth Wrigley, Treasurer by the deadline date.

Sawga membership needs to be sent to Beth Wrigley by April 15, 2021. She is asking Jr Reps and treasurers to put the form with the money in the mail, but would like you to email the members to her by April 15th as she is still south and would like to start creating the form.

Darcia gave a report on the Shamble. It will be held on Friday, June 18, 2021 at 8:00 am at Meadowood Golf Course. The form is posted on the website.

Jackie Babin then reported that she and Darcia have most of the forms updated. There have been some questions on email addresses, phone numbers, etc. and she is working on getting them corrected. The corrected forms will be posted on the website soon.

Kathy Hanlon reported on the Sawga Championship Tournament. She is the Chair for this event. The theme is "Fore the Fun of Golf". Deer Park and Chewelah are working jointly as there was no Sawga in 2020. Great group of ladies and seems to be going well!

Kathy then thanked Jackie Babin, Darcia Waples and Sue Lightfoot for keeping the website updated with all the proper information. Darcia pointed out that Sue still works, but gets the updates done in a timely fashion. It was pointed out that Hangman has been changed to Latah Creek but a few spaces may have been missed. If someone finds this, please let Jackie or Darcia know.

Kathy then reported that Beth Wrigley had digitized the scrapbooks and photo books and they look fantastic. If anyone has any pictures of Sawga events, please email to her and she will add them,

It was then discussed regarding the dates for the Sawga Championship Tournament around the aeration schedule for each course in the fall. The County and City courses have set days to do this and cannot change their schedule. Cheryl Hull from Liberty Lake stated she took brownies to the superintendent at Liberty Lake to make sure they will work with Sawga for the dates needed. It was proposed that the Sawga First Tournament Chair and a representative from the golf course check with the Club Pros prior to the fall meeting to make sure the dates will be available for the next year. Motion was made to approve. Second. Passed.

Golf Genius training was discussed. Several courses use Golf Genius and it would be beneficial for all Sawga courses to have a representative learn the program. You will need to use your golf course version as it is costly for a club to purchase. Kathy will send out an email asking Sawga Clubs if they would like to be trained. Bobbi Jo and Nancy Figy may be available to do this. Diane Thompson from Chewelah reported that there is also a Webinar for Golf Genius to learn the mechanics of this application.

Karen Tonani from Manito Golf and Country Club contact Kathy to thank her for letting all Manito members participate in Sawga even though the course is not allowing outside play in 2021.

Joyce Thomas from Wandermere stated that there are a lot of Sawga events on Thursday this year. She was wondering if that could be changed. Jackie Babin will look at the rotations to decide if there is a better formula.

Kathy reported that Numerica Credit Union will try to attend every Sawga event. We had a sponsor flag made and Kathy will arrange to have it at every event also. The annual contribution each year will be \$2,000.00. Since we did not have events in 2020, the contribution will roll over to this year, Each event will benefit from this contribution.

If no other business, meeting adjourned at 10:15 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Darcia Waples for Diane Allert, Sawga Secretary