# MINTHIS HILLS GOLF CLUB MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON MONDAY 10<sup>th</sup> JULY 2017

Present: Bob Windsor (BW) Captain

Brian Hamilton (BH) Vice-Captain

Sue l'Anson Socials Secretary

Graeme Nichol (GN) Competitions Secretary

Roy Peach (RP) Greens

Stelios Patsalides CEO MHGC

Chris Furneaux Head Greenkeeper

Bev Mitchell Treasurer

David McKibben Head Professional

## 1. Apologies:

Apologies were received from: Joke Alexandrou.

#### 2. Previous 'Minutes:

The Minutes of the previous meeting held on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June were read and approved.

### 3. Matters Arising:

- (a) Lack of numbers at Presentations: BW confirmed that from the beginning of August there will be at least one 'Shotgun Start' competition each month so that sufficient numbers are present for presentations. It is intended that all prizes for other competitions i.e. Medals and Stablefords etc would also be presented on 'Shotgun Start' day. SP pointed out that this would be OK initially but not be possible for November to February inclusive because of the large number of visitors expected.
- (b) BW confirmed that the vouchers held from the 'Florida Scramble' would now be used for a future event.

At this point Stelios gave a presentation to Committee outlining the progress and ongoing work programme on the course.

#### 4. Competitions:

- (a) BW said that he had received a letter from a Member concerned about '1 card ' allocation of handicaps. After much discussion it was agreed that in future new Members without handicaps will submit 3 cards for a handicap followed by a further 5 extra 'day cards' before being allowed to take part in competitions.
- (b) DM mentioned the new rules for 'Qualifier' competitions. The men will play off of red Ladies tees (Par 68) with the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> holes being par 4 and the 4<sup>th</sup> will be a par 3. Ladies will play under the present rules. These rules will apply until the beginning of September.
- (c) BM asked if Members could be reminded about the latest dates for KO competitions and should be encouraged to complete rounds without further delay.
- (d) BW said that he would speak to Neil Storer about the engraving for previous years' trophies.
- (e) BWsaid that he has received a letter from a Member who is having great difficulties in booking tee times. The comments have been 'noted' and GN has replied to the Member informing him of 'Club Policy'.

### **Social Events:**

- (a) SI'A pointed out that as Gabriel's sponsor many of our competitions we should be supporting them for the evening event on Thursday 27 July. A coach has been arranged for transporting Members and guests from four different locations around Paphos.
- (b) SI; A said that she feels that there are too many events close together in September and October and Committee agreed to cancel the 'Race Day' at Nicosia. However, DM said if anyone still wished to go speak to Mick Saggs.
- © BW made a request for offers of prizes for the Captain's Day Raffle.

### **Golf Course Matters:**

- (a) RP said that the path up to the 10<sup>th</sup> green needs attention.
- (b) RP asked if a new ball cleaner outside the 'Caddy Masters' area could be provided?
- (c) RP said that netting was needed over the drain pipe between the  $2^{nd}$  and  $9^{th}$  tees.
  - CF said that he would address the above matters.
- (d) GN asked about GUR on the 12<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> holes. CF confirmed that 'drop zones' were in place.

#### **Financial Matters:**

BM presented the July Accounts and were approved by Committee.

# A.O.B.

- (a) BM said she was concerned about the standard of dress code for visitors and it was generally felt that the Pro Shop, Caddy Masters and Members who bring guests should be vigilant in this. Also visitors should be informed in the Pro Shop if any Kos were in progress on that day.
- (b)DM said that the Trophy cupboard had been moved to the sports bar area but the folders will be retained behind the counter of the Pro Shop.
- (c) BW informed Committee that St Andrew's Day would be sponsored by a new Sponsor, Black Tower Financial Management Group.

There being no other business the Meeting closed at 2.15pm. The date of the next Meeting is Monday 7<sup>th</sup> August at 1.00pm

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