

## HGLGA General / Awards Meeting Minutes 04/09/2025

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The General / Awards Dinner Meeting was called to order by President Karen Sullivan at 6:30 p.m.

- 1. Minutes** - Last month's General Meeting minutes were approved by Barb Callaghan and seconded by Jen Ronningen.
- 2. Treasurer's Report** - Ann Bazinet reported we have approximately \$2200 in the Treasury to begin next season.
- 3. East West Tournament** - The results were East 25.5 and West 14.5.
- 4. Hole in One** - Bernadette Schirra reported that Melanie Westfall had a hole in one on #4 on March 17.
- 5. Eagles** - Jen Ronningen reported that Cindy Matheny and Jen Ronningen had Eagles since the last meeting.
- 6. President's Comments** - Karen Sullivan reported that our course was ranked #2 in Florida for public courses. She also discussed changes for the summer season (May 1 -Sept. 30). All players will start on #1 on Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays starting at 7:30. On Wednesdays, we will start League play in both front and back with the 9 hole ladies with tee times starting at 7:30. There are 60 courses on the reciprocal golf list this summer. Hole #17 will still get the bulkhead built but has been held up because of engineering licensing issues.
- 7. Awards and Prizes** - Karen Sullivan announced and awarded prizes for season accomplishments.  
A) In the Club Championship, in the Championship flight, the overall gross winner was Judy Tennant, the net winner of that flight was

Cecilia Svensonn, and the net winner of the 5 / 6 flight was Christy Coleman.

B) The season proximities went to Terry Velting - #4, 1.4 feet, Jen Ronningen - #7, 3.2 feet, Linda Edinger - #11, 0.6 feet, and Maryann Peckham - #14, 1.2 feet.

C) The President's Cup winning overall net score was Fran Schroeder (-4).

D) Most Improved by Tees was 5 Tees- Jen Ronningen, 5 / 6 Tees - Michele Thomson, 6 Tees - Carlene Pasche.

E) Good sportsmanship - (playing 7 events without winning any payouts) - Lorie Davis. Lucky Loser - (a draw of ladies not winning in 5 events) - Cheryl Stotts, Judy Tennant, Cindy Matheny.

**8. President's Closing Comments** - Karen Sullivan thanked the membership and the Board for making her tenure as President enjoyable and for allowing her to accomplish her goals. She wanted to make sure that league play and meetings were enjoyable and that the payouts during league play were spread out over numerous players. Karen Sullivan will continue on as Past President.

**9. Rules / Etiquette** - Trish Perry and Karen Sullivan discussed the 2 x 2 rule, if this rule is used you may move your ball one club length. They also discussed integrity and hitting or moving the ball during a practice swing. It is not a penalty on the tee box or green but does count as a stroke on the fairway. They also discussed slow play. If the ranger tells your group that you are behind, you should not argue or offer excuses to the ranger, you should speed up. Also, you may not move tee markers or out of bound stakes to take a swing.

**10. Transfer to new President** - There was a smooth and peaceful transition to VP Karen Popp as our new President. Karen Popp thanked the Board for their support during the past season and

thanked members of the Board that are not returning. She thanked Michel Boulton who did tournaments this season. She also thanked Cheryl Braunscheidel for spending 7 years on the Board as VP, President and Past President, and Janice Esdale for about 15 years as Communications and/or Secretary. She then announced the new and / or returning Board. The Vice President is Kim Mueller, Secretary - Mary Donoghue, Treasurer - Ann Bazinet, Membership - Andy Edmunds, Tournaments - Pam Bedore & Sharon Pedersen, Games & Game Schedule - Bernadette Schirra, Rules - Trish Perry, Liaison to Handicap Committee - Tracy Chipman, Past President & Webpage/Facebook - Karen Sullivan, Birdies Chip ins Eagles and Holes in One- Jen Ronningen, and Ringer Board - Linda Birecree.

- 11. Raffles / Draws** - Karen Popp drew names for sleeves of balls. The Golf Ball jar guess was won by Kim Handley. The Birdie of the Month draw was won by Trish Perry. The Donna Barber Dunn/ Steil Realty draws were won by Sharon Pedersen and Christy Coleman. The PIP Florist gift basket was won by Peggy Lindquist. The 50/50 draw of \$94 was won by Barb Callaghan and of \$47 was won by Cathy Muscovac.

The next general meeting will be October 1.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35.