

BSCC Women's Association  
Spring Meeting

Thursday, April 12, 2019

**Call to order at 6:00 PM**

**Executive Board Members:**

Deb DiMaggio, President  
Jody McQuiston, Vice President  
Mary Lee Pollard, Secretary  
Paulette Martin, Treasurer- absent

**Members in attendance:** Deb DiMaggio, Cindy Walkinowski, Pat Joseph, Anne Richardson, Kate Oppedisano, Jeri Carr, Ruth Brady, Mary Lee Pollard, Maxine Tucker, Joan Johnson, Betty Rice, Linda Sagendorf, Jody McQuiston, Paula Laime, Yvonne Manso

**I. Welcome-** President Deb DiMaggio welcomed members and called the meeting to order.

**II. Old Business**

a. Minutes Fall 2018 meeting - M.L. Pollard- a motion was made by K. Oppedisano to waive reading of the minutes, seconded by L. Sagendorf and approved unanimously. A motion was made by Joan Johnson to accept the minutes as written, seconded by K. Oppedisano and approved unanimously.

b. Financial Report- distributed as provided P. Martin who was not present – the balance remains unchanged at \$4,222.51 as reported at fall meeting. A motion was made by K. Oppedisano to accept the Treasurer's report, seconded by Linda Sagendorf and approved unanimously.

c. 2018 Birdie Report Results- P. Joseph explained that 5 holes were selected randomly. Those individuals with a birdie on those holes had their name placed in a drawing. The four winners were ML Pollard, Anne Richardson, Cindy W and P. Joseph.

**III. 2019 Interclub-** K. Oppedisano circulated a sing-up sheet. She announced the format for next year will change- there will be 2 singles and 3 better ball of partners. There are proposed changes to the points system for next year. A new site for the championship is also under consideration- seeking a more centralized location. New shirts will be ordered this year- interclub participants can submit their orders to Kate, others interested in ordering a shirt can submit orders to Todd.

**IV. NEWGA-** M. Assey informed all present that any woman golfer with a GHIN index of 27.0 or lower is eligible to participate in NEWGA. There will be 7 events this year and they will be team and individual competitions. Mary stated that individuals who do not have a partner or team, are encouraged to sign-up and they will be paired with a partner/team. NEWGA will host a spring meeting at Shaker Ridge on 4/28/19. The board meeting will be 9:30-10:30, a reception and brunch will be held at 11:00 followed by a rules seminar.

**V. 2019 League Overview-** Cindy Walkanowski announced the cost for the league is \$50.00 per session. She also announced she would like to move the tee times up so that the last tee time will be 5:10 or 5:20 PM. She is making this suggestion to prevent people from finishing in the dark. She also asked all league members to be aware of the pace of play and to pay attention to scoring. If one individual is out of the hole or another has clearly one the hole, it is best to pick up and keep moving- with scores entered in golf genius to represent scoring max and/or the appropriate score to clearly identify which player won the hole. She also distributed a league sign-up sheet. All players will receive an invitation to participate via Golf Genius. More information will be sent via email.

**VI. Women's Weekend Group Play Procedures-** D. DiMaggio reported for L. Hughes. Invites have been sent via Golf Genius. The Saturday group is the Saturday Pack and the Sunday group is the Sunday Drivers. Email invitations for both groups will be sent on Mondays. The Wednesday Chicks will continue to play- an email invitation will be sent soon.

**VII. Tournaments-** Deb DiMaggio distributed the BSCC tournament schedule.

a. Member-Guest- Joan Johnson and Betty Rice will co-chair again this year. The tournament is scheduled for 7/20. Participation will be limited to 96- it is consistent with the number of available carts and capacity in the dining room. Members will be asked to contribute theme baskets.

b. American Junior Golf Association Qualifier – K. Oppedisano is coordinating volunteers for this event 7/28-8/1. She will need scorers who are familiar with Golf Genius and who have a smart phone. Individuals interested in volunteering should email Kate.

c. Season Match Play- P. Joseph distributed a sign-up list for individuals interested in participating. An invite will be sent via Golf Genius.

#### **VIII. New Business**

a. Nominating Committee- Volunteers for the nominating committee to establish a slate of officers for fall 2019 election are Cindy W., Jody McQuiston, Paula Laime, and Pat Joseph. ML Pollard volunteered to continue as secretary. Deb DiMaggio volunteered for VP. There is a need for a President and Treasurer.

b. Open Floor- Joan Johnson volunteered to have summary sheet of new rules laminated for Women's Association members. Discussion focused on issues surrounding use of a summary in different competitions such as NEWGA, Interclub and league. Joan will email a copy to members who can print a copy if they wish to use the reference.

**IX. Rules of Golf 2019 Changes-** T. Manderson answered questions from members regarding rules changes. He also suggested the league consider adopting a local rule intended to speed play during league play. For balls out of bounds off the tee- drop in fairway , 2 club lengths from where it went out of bounds- hitting 4.

the meeting was adjourned at 7:15 PM

Respectfully submitted by Mary Lee Pollard, secretary