

## MINUTES OF HPGC COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Present: Mick Gallagher, Steve Littlejohn, Matt James, Zaro Matev, Gareth Reynolds

Apologies: Scott Hartley, Peter Thorpe, Ray Cooper, Anne James

Minutes proposed by Z Matev seconded by S Littlejohn.

### Secretary's report

103 members.

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Anne to send subscription renewal by email to all members in the next few days.

### Captain's Report

Steve has entered the following:

2 teams Clapham Teams - Captains are Steve Littlejohn and Matt James

1 team Siemens Bowl

1 team Ballantyne Trophy

6 pairs have entered Top Rock and are paying themselves

1 team Middlesex Sixes. We have got Wyke Green at home on 2nd April with a carvery meal

Bourne Vanneck has been put to the members and awaiting responses.

1 team Daily Mail foursomes v Denham.

### Handicap report

Zaro attended a Workshop with the EGU/Middx Golf Union at Hendon Golf Club which lasted about 3 hours. He has some recommendations to email to the committee. He will explain the recommendations at the AGM.

### Competition Secretary's Report

#### By Gareth Reynolds

Pleased to report that we are back to a 12 hole course, meaning we were able to complete the postponed Turkey Trot and last round of the winter Eclectic.

Since the last meeting the following competitions have been played, The winners and runners up have been listed below.

Competition	Winner	R-up
Winter Eclectic rd 8	Michael Gallagher	Peter Thorpe
Winter Eclectic Final Standings	Lee Morgan	Scott Hartley
Turkey Trot 2022	Dorian Smith	Michael Gallagher
GGT rd 1	Michael Gallagher	Peter Thorpe
GGT rd 2	Gary Cloke	Lee Morgan
March Medal	Darren Mcnutt	Rob Thomson
GGT rd 3	Michael Shaw	Thomas Ward

The winter doubles has reached the semi finals stage, with one already completed, congratulations to Matt James and Rob Thomson in reaching the final. Tense few weeks ahead in the Littlejohn's household I hear!

Preparations are well under way for the first Steve Browne Easter Open with a full field of 60 players expected to take part.

Competitions continue to be non handicap qualifying down to the course conditions which are being reviewed on a weekly basis.

### **Any Other Business**

Peter Thorpe has donated an old trophy for the Steve Browne Easter Open. Mick to order a butterfly bush to be planted with a plaque in Steve/s memory.

The carvery has been booked for the family for the Easter Open but the club have agreed to pay for the children.

Matt agreed to do the Minutes of the AGM.

Bournemouth is now full - 32 golfers.

Pineridge is 25th March - 24 golfers.

**Next meeting is Tuesday, 11th April 2023.**

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