

PDG Men's Golf Club – meeting minutes 11-18-25

Meeting called to order by John McClain

Pledge of Allegiance

Role Call – Present – John McClain, Greg Quaid, John Tierney, Dan Cameron, Bob Shakespeare, Bob Barrie, Richard Warburton, Doug Hodson, Steve Warren, Tom Sherck, Chris Ebert, Rick Swenson, Dale Erickson, Steve Byrne

Reports- Treasurer – John McClain for Clarke Sharar

- Clarke has stepped down from his position as treasurer as needs to direct his focus on family
- Steve Byrne to assume Clarke's duties,...pending approval by MGC executive committee
- Current bank balance is approximately \$22,000.

Dan Cameron

Promoting John Coyle's (former MGC president) memoir. Only sale for \$10 each with all proceeds going to the 1st Tee.

Bob Shakespeare

- Reminder golf course is cart path only until December 1st
- 2 carts per foursome until May 1st
- Pick up fairway divots, fill them with sand/seed mixture, place divots in trash can. (fairway divots cause damage to mower blades)
- Thursday sign-up procedures are pending final approval from HOA BOD.
- There is new sand in all bunkers except on holes 6 and 7
- Reminder to repair divots on the greens as they occur
- If anyone knows someone who still has a divot repair tool, please, ask them to return them to the MGC

Bob Barrie

- Continuing to work on soliciting advertisers.
- Current advertising revenue is \$6500.

Richard Warburton – Handicap chairman

- Post scores in a timely fashion (same day as the round concluded on that day)
- An exceptionally good round will result in a drop in handicap of 2 strokes.
Exceptional round is one that is 10 strokes better than handicap.
- Reminder to adjust your scores on holes that exceed maximum allowable score
- Do not post scores from sweeps rounds (usually on Wednesdays)
- A postable round is one that is played with another golfer
- Any round that includes 9 holes or more is postable (post these scores on a hole-by-hole basis)
- Untimely posting may result in a penalty score being posted
- PLEASE use the Golf Genius for all rounds played on Sweeps days and applicable tournament rounds

Doug Hodson – membership

- Current membership is 218
- First hole-in-one was scored this season by Chris Buffington on hole #4.

Steve Warren – Tournament Chair

- The Eclectic tournament is coming up Dec 3rd and 7th
- Reminder – MGC members should sign up for Wednesday sweeps by the prior Sunday
 - Bob has been adding as many as 32 golfers on the day of sweeps
- Member/Member and Member/Guest tournaments are upcoming

Gary Bennett

- Needs updates by the 10th of each month to be included in the PDG News Bulletin

Rick Swenson

- Relief from staked trees should be taken from the stakes, not the tree.
- Sprinkler head relief will be researched and addressed at a later date.

Discussions

- Proposal to move the Eclectic to a Wed/Wed and moving Member/Guest to a time that does not interfere with the Super Bowl in 2027 will be reviewed with golf committee and Ladies golf
- Bob Larsen is directing the nominating committee and is in process of recruiting members to serve as officers of MGC
- Dan Cameron wants to organize a blind draw on Wednesday and Saturday mornings
- Greg Quaid reminded all to place sand trap rakes back in the bunkers after raking

\$25 raffle winners (credit in the golf shop)

- Greg Quaid
- Bob Barrie
- Scott Slagle
- Tom Sherk