

Bangor Women's Golf Club

Spring Meeting

May 4, 2016

Meeting was called to order by President Karen Bamford at 6:10 PM.

Karen asked me, Sandy Meehan, to be secretary.

The officers were introduced: Karen – President, Vice President – Robin Ash, Treasurer – Jean Young, Secretary – Sandy Meehan, Tournament – Claudette Amarosa, Handicapper – Kathy Constantine, Past President – Marilyn Rice, Member At Large – Viola Kemp & Judy Richard.

New members were introduced and welcomed: Shelley Drillen, Jean Bridges & Beth Wolverton .

Karen gave an update on Gwen Archinbauld, secretary. Gwen said her husband was not doing well and she wanted to spend more time with him so she was resigning her position.

Karen also told the ladies that Liz's mom passed away on Tuesday. Our thoughts and prayers are with Liz. Funeral arrangements will be in the Bangor Daily News on Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>.

#### Old Business:

Membership list will be updated and published on the web site. This will enable everyone to stay current on emails, addresses and phone numbers. Web site address is: [www.liz44.com](http://www.liz44.com)

Club Championship - players participating in this tournament will not be allowed to play in the regular Thursday tournament. Club championship is played on Wednesday and Thursday (back to back days). Ladies not playing in the club championship will have a regular tournament for them on Thursday.

#### New Business:

Secretary – Sandra Meehan was asked if she would take this position and she accepted.

Treasurer's Report – Checkbook balance as of May 2, 2016 is \$1,223.20

A recommendation from the executive committee was made that ladies paying for GHIN through Bangor Muni along with their dues would pay \$40.00. If a lady paid her GHIN through another Maine golf course then her dues to join BMWG membership is \$25.00. A motion was made by Marie Macmillan that we accept this recommendation and seconded by Ann Pooler. Vote was unanimous.

#### Budget:

The budget was presented for the 2016 season. A discussion was held before Marie Macmillan made a motion to accept it as presented. Seconded by Kathy Constantine. Motion passed.

Sponsor committee – Ladies volunteering to serve on this committee are: Jean Young, Marlene Viger, Marie Macmillan, Karen Bamford and Shelley Drillen. Jean has the letters that will be sent to last year's sponsors. A discussion was held about limiting the amount of sponsors sought after. It was decided to get as many as possible, do not limit it to 10.

Tournament Schedule – will be coming out by May 12<sup>th</sup> with the games to be played each week. This schedule will be posted on the web site. It is encouraged that if you sign up for a week that is a team event – please make every effort to be there. It is hard when a team is made up and then they have to take a blind score for a missing player,

Claudette asked for ladies to sign up for a Theme Day – there are two July 7<sup>th</sup> and September 15<sup>th</sup>. No one volunteered.

Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> – Caring Connection Theme. Marlene and Jean Young will chair this tournament.

There are two dates where we cannot play at Muni. First is June 30<sup>th</sup>. Robbie was approached by Kebo to see if we would want to go there. The price to play was \$74 to ride and \$58 to walk. The executive committee decided that this proposal was too costly and too far to travel. The second date is July 21<sup>st</sup>.

It was suggested that we look into Rocky Knoll (Shelley Drillen), Lucerne (Kathy Constantine), Traditions (Jean Young) and Penobscot Valley ( Ann Pooler). The ladies names in parenthesis will check on prices and report at the May 26<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Rob Jarvis, the new head pro, has asked the ladies to sign in for the weekly tournaments by noon on Wednesday if they did not sign up the week before. They can either call the pro shop or go to the course and personally sign up.

Handicapper – Kathy Constantine

Yes, she did pass the test to qualify for this position. Congratulations Kathy!

\*\* New this year\*\* You cannot post a score if you played by yourself.

Post all scores no matter where you played. Cleanse your score before posting. You can post at any course as well as on line.

Hole- in - One fund: Kathy Constantine is in charge of collecting \$1.00 from each member to put into this fund. Any lady having a Hole - in – One, during a ladies day tournament is illegible to collect this fund.

WMSGGA – Jean Young

It cost \$35 to join WMSGGA. Great opportunity to play many courses in state. It cost \$26 to enter weekly tournament, optional cart fee is paid separately. There are two courses to choose from each week. You may fill out application on line and pay by credit card, this method requires a \$1.00 service charge.

Bangor Muni is hosting a WMSGGA Tournament on June 7<sup>th</sup>. It will be a tee time start. Jean needs food and help checking players in, sell 50/50 tickets and other things. Please sign up with her.

Robin Ash suggested, for a second year, that we have a yard sale or bottle drive to raise funds for our treasury. No interest. Maybe next year Robin.

Jason Harris, from Penobscot Valley has invited the Bangor Muni Women to a tournament with the PVVC ladies on Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup>. Carol Brooke will come back with more information.

#### Member Booklet:

Booklets will be made available to our new members. They will be available on the web site. The member list and schedule will also be available on the web site.

#### Supporting New Members:

This is a social event to be held on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. The men have asked us to join them in this event meeting new members of Bangor Muni. There will be putting and chipping contests, music and refreshments. They are asking us to share in the cost by paying \$200. There was not much interest with the ladies present so Karen is going to send an email to all the ladies to see if there might be more interest. After these results are in we will determine if we will pay the \$200.

Brenda Crosby asked for a moment to speak. She thanked the ladies for their support, the meals that they prepared, the cards, the emails, the prayers and the phone calls. She really appreciated everything that was done for her.

Meeting adjourned about 8:00PM.

Respectfully Submitted

Sandra Meehan  
Secretary