

**Bangor Women's Golf Club
Fall Meeting
September 30, 2021**

Membership in Attendance

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| Carol Brooks | Janet Anderson | Ellen Libby | Linda Libby |
| Karen Bamford | Vi Kemp | Kathy Anderson | Robin Ashe |
| Diane Herring | Marilyn Hughes | Peggy Larrabee | Gwen Archambault |
| Anne Pooler | Liz Coffin | Marlene Viger | Dee Pelletier |
| Sue Roberts | Jean Young | Kathy Constantine | Yukiko Bigney |
| Jean Bridges | | | |
| Guest: Sandy Meehan | | | |

Thank you for being a part in this important meeting.

Opening Remarks: Robin Ashe, President,

Robin welcomed all of us to the meeting. She thanked the Executive Committee for working with her and presented each member a gift.

She told some jokes to lighten the mood.

Reports

Secretary: Gwen Archambault

Kathy Constantine made the motion to approve the minutes of the August 25th meeting. The motion was seconded by Dee Pelletier. The motion carried.

Treasurer: Jean Young

- Status of the treasury: \$1,560.27
- Donations and Charities:
 - Partners in Peace (will be receiving \$380.00) The three-putt jar brought in \$189.50. Matching funds from the treasury brings that to \$379.00 This was rounded up to \$380.00.
 - PGA Jr. League and Vet League (will be receiving \$150)
- Gratuities to the Pro Shop personnel
 - Gratuities are the same as they were last year: \$150.00 to Rob Jarvis, \$75.00 each to Brian Enman, Chuck Shepley, and Brian Johnson.

Sponsorship information: Jean Young

We had 10 sponsors this year. The monies from sponsorships was \$1,080.00. To show our appreciation, sponsors will be receiving thank you letters that will include pictures of their signage.

Handicapper: Sue Roberts

Sue Roberts reported that this year was a difficult one. COVID-19K, hot weather in June and wet weather in July, all affected the outcome of members' handicaps. We had 22 members whose handicaps dropped, and 22 members whose handicaps increased. One member's handicap stayed the same. Sue has compiled a list of members with their starting and ending handicaps so they can see their improvement, if they wish.

With the addition of many new members, we saw a record turnout each Thursday for our weekly tournaments. She commended the members for being diligent about posting their scores.

Weekly Tournaments Chair: Robin Ashe for Claudette Amoroso

Robin spoke about the success of the weekly tournaments during the 2021 season.

Maine State Golf Association:

We have members who have done very well in the weekly MSGA tournaments and in the special competitions of the MSGA.

Website: Liz Coffin

Robin thanked Liz for the excellent job she does in posting BWGA information into the website once she receives it. We are grateful that she is willing to continue this work that is important to us all.

Old Business:

• **Member Handbooks.**

Nineteen members have not yet received copies of the Member Handbook. Robin asked if members present had received their copy. All have. If you have not received your Handbook, please contact Sue Roberts.

• **Recap of Caring Connections: Marlene Viger**

The tournament was very successful and a lot of fun for the 60 people who participated. The tournament raised \$2020.00 for Caring Connections.

New Business

• **Nominating Committee: Sue Roberts**

On behalf of the Nominating Committee, Sue Roberts read the slate of officers for the 2022-2023 golf seasons of BWGC:

Co-Presidents: Jean Bridges and Marlene Viger

Vice President: Dee Pelletier

Secretary: Gwen Archambault

Treasurer: Jean Young

Handicapper: Sue Coffin

Weekly Tournament Chair: Marilyn Rice and Robin Ashe

Members at Large: Diane Herring, Claudette Amoroso

Past President: Robin Ashe

Since there were two nominees for the position of Weekly Tournament Chair, a vote by paper ballot was taken. Marilyn Rice is the Weekly Tournament Chair. The other officers were elected by a show of hands.

Robin pointed out that there should have been three Members at Large. Peggy Larrabee was approached before golf this morning about this position. She was

willing to accept it. All members voted for Peggy to be the other Member at Large.
Thank you, Peggy.

Awards for the 2021 BWGC Golf Season

President's Cup: Peggy Larrabee

First Place: Marlene Viger

Second Place: Dee Pelletier

Club Championship: Vi Kemp

Overall Winner: Liz Coffin

Flight A Winner: Judy Richard

Flight B Winner: Marilyn Rice

Flight C Winner: Karen Bamford

Birdie Tree: Kathy Anderson and Jean Bridges

People receiving awards for birdies were:

Liz Coffin (17)

Sue Coffin (6)

Judy Richard (3)

Karen Bamford (3)

Nancy Hart (3)

Sue Roberts (3)

Becky Kelley (2)

Marilyn Rice (2)

Ellen Libby (1)

Diane Herring (1)

Sue Collins (1)

Anne Pooler (1)

Kathy Anderson (1)

Meriby Sweet (1)

Susan Payne (1)

Carole Cook (1)

Dee Pelletier (1)

Kathy Constantine (1)

Yukiko Bigney (1)

Chip-ins for September: Vi Kemp for Carole Cook

Jean Young

Kathy Anderson

Karen Bamford (2)

Linda Libby

Peggy Larrabee

Ringer Results: Janet Anderson and Jean Bridges

First Ellen Libby

Second Sue Coffin and Nancy Hart

Robin mentioned that Jean Bridges uses a set of score cards to update the Ringer after each weekly tournament. She changes scores from higher to lower. She also records the chip-ins and birdies. Jean was shown by applause how much we appreciate what she does.

The winner of the Ringer is the person with the lowest net score for eighteen holes at the end of the season. Three persons receive Ringer awards: first place, second place and third place.

Most Improved Player: Sue Roberts

Sue said, "My final job is to award the member who has improved the most this season. Sarah Dubay started the season with a 25.0 handicap and ended with a 20.3. This was an improvement of 4.7 strokes and a differential of 1.14. Sarah has not played with our ladies group since she is working, but she is a member and posted her scores.

I feel we should also recognize the member who has played with our ladies group, Sue Coffin. She began the season with a 25.1 handicap and ended the season with a 20.7; an improvement of 4.4 strokes and a differential of 1.13. The award for Most Improved Player goes to both players: Sarah Dubay and Sue Coffin. All present agreed.

After giving the award for Most Improved Player, Sue presented our outgoing President with a token of our appreciation for all that she has done for BWGC during her two terms of office. The gift was an LL Bean vest embroidered with Robin's name and BWGC. Sandy Meehan did the beautiful embroidery.

The Fall Business Meeting concluded at 2:30 P.M.

Finale: Video: Jean Bridges.

The finale video was a real treat. For those of you who were unable to see it, it is on our website at www.liz44.com/bangorgolf/index.htm.

Respectfully submitted,
Gwen Archambault, Secretary