

Glen Golf Club

Ladies Section Committee



Minutes of meeting 2 May 2023

1. Attendees:

Anne Littlefair, Lady Captain
Christian Blake, Vice-Captain
Isabel Nisbet, Treasurer
Fiona Alderson, Fixture Secretary
Maxine Manditsch, Secretary
Lynda Tulloch, Committee member
Shona Hamilton, Committee member

Apologies:

Paola Burrows, Committee member

2. Previous Meeting

Minutes of the previous meeting held on 4 April 2023 were approved.

3. Captain's Report

a) Notices

The Lady Captain advised that the correct header to be used for Notices is either the Glen Golf Club logo or the commonly used "The Course to make heads turn". The Secretary will circulate both to Committee members.

Action: Secretary

b) Scottish Golf App

Continued problems are noted with the Scottish Golf app. The Match Secretary had a meeting with the Lady Captain and the Fixture Secretary to decide next steps. The Lady Captain will ask the Club to post guidance on the website.

Action: Lady Captain

c) Membership

Fourteen ladies newly joined the Club in April. Ten ladies left the Club. The Lady Captain has sent a welcoming email to all new members and posted their names on the ladies' noticeboard.

The Lady Captain has received sixteen emails from members expressing their support for the work of the Ladies section Committee.

d) Newsletter

The newsletter is in draft and will be circulated soon.

Action: Lady Captain

4. Glen Committee Meeting

The Lady Captain continues to assist with HR and HSE matters for the Club. Fiona Alderson kindly volunteered to assist the Club with risk assessments.

Action: Fiona Alderson

5. Fixture Schedule update

The month of May is very busy with competitions. The following was agreed:

- i. 14 May competition – Shona Hamilton and Christian Blake will assist on the day as the Lady Captain is unable to attend.

Action: Shona Hamilton & Christian Blake

- ii. 21 May competition is a Ladies invitation foursome. The Gents section will be asked next year if they would be interested in being part of the competition so that they could invite a lady.

Action: Ladies Committee

Ladies & Seniors Match

The ladies & seniors match has been postponed to 26 May.

6. Financial Matters

The Treasurer submitted a report showing a current bank balance of 600.47 and cash in hand of £48.00 giving a total of £648.47.

The Treasurer has prepared a form to have the Lady Captain and Vice-Captain appointed as bank signatories and two previous Committee members removed as signatories.

7. Any Other Business

a) Social Competition

The first social competition of the year was held on 18 April. The event was attended by 20 members (one withdrawal) with 18 members staying for supper. Two new members participated.

Due to withdrawal, handicap calculations were cut by 33% due to one team playing with only two golfers. Sign-ups were good from the first week and the Whats App reminder prompted several more sign ups.

The next social competition will take place on 16 May. Lynda Tulloch kindly volunteered to lead a discussion on golf rules immediately following the competition.

Action: Lynda Tulloch

b) Get into Golf

Three out of fourteen 'giggers' have handicaps. Some are members of the club.

c) 5 a side report

The first match of the season was played at Haddington on 16 April. Despite some close-run ties, Glen ladies lost the match 5-0 to a strong home team.

The next match is against the Renaissance Club at their course on 7 May.

8. Date of next meeting

20 June at 7pm in the Belhaven lounge (meetings will now be timed to coincide with fixture planning and newsletter timetable).