

**PWGA General Membership Meeting & Breakfast**  
**March 7, 2023**  
**Minutes**

**Board Members:** Wendy Schreiber-President, Kaye Marrale-Vice President, Madeline Barry-Treasurer, Cathy Slocum-Secretary (absent), Candace Schafer-Tournament Director, Kay Rednour-Tournament Director Elect, Jude Winkley-Social, and Katie Dahlberg-Past President

**Call to Order:** Wendy Schreiber opened the meeting at 9:15 a.m.

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Kaye Marrale led the salute to the Flag.

**Approval of Minutes:** The minutes from the November 29, 2022 General Membership Meeting were approved as published on the PWCC website, following a motion by Heidi Sankey and seconded by Kaye Marrale.

**Opening Remarks:** Wendy suggested many ways for the ladies to enhance their experience, and thanked everyone who participated in the Opening Day arrangements. She then introduced the members of the 2023 Board and thanked them for their service.

**New PWGA Members:** We have one new member - Ann Lawson.

**Treasurer's Report:** Madeline Barry reported that the budget remains basically the same year to year. We're hosting the PAL group this year and there is no PWGA Guest Day, but other than that, it's the same as last year.

**2023 Tournament Chairs:**

Rules - Carol Pitzer

Interclub I - Paula Fitzpatrick and Tam Ostrowski

Interclub II - Tracey Evans and Lori Ricker

Pinetop - Karen Teems and Nancy Wurst

Tar Heel - Louise Pryor and Linda Schneiter

Sunshine - Nancy Niedermaier

Ringers - Charlene McKay

Birdies - Charlene McKay

Chip-Ins - Charlene McKay  
Holly Challenge - Mary Beth Casey and Trish Robinson  
Diamond Event - Liaison Laurie Fabian  
Club-Sponsored Member Club Experience - Liaison Debra Smith  
Holly vs. Pines - Peggy Kepler and Leslie Beglin  
PAL Liaison - Katie Dahlberg  
Think Pink - Candace Schafer and Rose O'Toole  
Solheim - Shirley Sellgren and Kathy McGushin

Members are encouraged to participate in Pine Tops, Tar Heels and Interclub.

**Pinetop:** Chair Karen Teems said the season is April through September. The maximum handicap is 36. April 26 will be at Foxfire. Karen encouraged members to support this event each month.

**Interclub I:** Paula Fitzpatrick announced a preseason information meeting to be held on March 14. All are invited to attend. .

**Holly Challenge:** Chairs Mary Beth Casey and Trish Robinson announced the dates are April 3 and 4 and provided event particulars.

**Club-Sponsored Member Club Experience (new):** Liaison Debra Smith announced events will be held on March 29 and again on October 18. These events will include men and women.

**Comments by Allan Trepczyk:**

- Playing calendar on the Portal will be updated.
- All events will be through *Golf Genius*.
- Signups close at noon on Mondays. Signups have been simplified. Email or call Alan directly after noon on Monday to sign up late. Late signups are available only if the format and numbers allow them.
- Cart use - members are encouraged to use two carts per foursome.
- Pace of Play - expected times at a hole will be on the score cards to help groups keep pace. Groups should be able to play in 4 hours and 15 minutes on Tuesday.
- Rangers will encourage slow foursomes to pick up the pace.
- Chip-ins are to be entered in the book in the Golf Shop.
- Birdies and Ringers are recorded in *Golf Genius*.
- Continue to use electronic board in the Ladies Locker Room

- Dress code shorts and skirts must be mid thigh or longer

**Tournament Director Candace Schafer:**

- To familiarize members with formats for Pinetop and Interclub, April 11 will showcase the Pinetop format, and on May 2 the Interclub match play format.
- We require a minimum of 20 players for the Tuesday game to count.
- All games are *Golf Genius* friendly.
- Post all scores every time you play to ensure handicap accuracy.
- Mad Money - A name will be drawn for half of the pot; the other half will carry over. If the member's name drawn did not play that day, THAT half will also carry over. A drawing for the full pot will be done twice during the season (winner must have played that day) - halfway through season on 7/25 and at the end of season on 11/14.
- Kay Rednour will have Tuesday results published in The Pilot.

**Vote to Amend the Bylaws:** The Board proposed amending the Bylaws to require a Board member to participate on the Nominating Committee to make sure that all Board members know who is being nominated. After some discussion, the membership voted to reject the proposed change.

**Closing Remarks by the President:**

**G** - Be gracious and grateful

**O** - Be optimistic and open (I know I can hit that next shot; I know I can hit that next shot...)

**L** - Learning (you can always learn something new everyday)

**F** - Be flexible and have fun!!

**Adjournment:** Candace Shafer moved and Kaye Marrale seconded to adjourn. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marjory Leidy for Cathy Slocum, PWGA Secretary