

Maplewood Men's Golf Association Meeting
Established 1927

4/5/2023

Officers Present

Tim Pilgrim – President
Dennis Maples - Treasurer
Terry Graham – Tournament Director
James Postma – Handicap Chairman
Will Reynolds – Rules Chairman
Ken McCollim – Trustee
Dan Cabot - Trustee

City Rep Present

Members Present

Jerry Bruce

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM at the River Rock. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the current financials, pro shop, tournaments, handicaps/rules issues as well as old and new business.

Finance (Dennis):

- Current Financial balance is \$31,928.84
- Current membership is 414 regular members and 119 associate members
- Payouts this month: tombstone \$9,530, 2-man shamble \$7,954.94, crystal \$1,932.28, engraving plaques \$272.32, bank fee \$6
- Income this month: tombstone \$8,593.28, 2-man shamble \$7,206.93, WA Golf \$3,363, dues \$1,390
- We have simplified the deposits and withdrawals with the automated banking on tournaments now which is helpful for tracking

Pro Shop / course (not present)

- Course is slow to recover from punch/sand in mid-March. Hoping that great improvements are made before spring field day. Tim to discuss with pro-shop on marking course out as lots of unplayable areas that are just dirt that would be good to mark as GUR.
- Kirk has finalized plan for home and home with Bellevue. Will be August 26th & 27th.
- Tournament committee to decide on if weather allows change to summer rules prior to Spring field day. This is the wish of all board members but is still weather dependent.

Tournaments (Terry)

- There are currently 135 signed up for Spring field day with a week to go. Number of players to be cut off at 180 due to daylight concerns.

- Had 120 players in 2-man shamble. Had one small issue with payouts, but for the most part no real issues and no time clock penalties.
- New info site is maplewoodmensclub.golfgenius.com. With this site should make it easier for all members to sign up for tournaments.
- Small issue with point tracking with the Tombstone tournament, but Terry is working to correct.

Handicap (James):

- Still struggling a little establishing new members, a handicap for tournaments when they don't have any or just a few scores.

Rules (Will):

- First rules quiz winner was Bob Witter. Dennis to send \$50 to Bobs book money for winning.

Old Business:

- Future Banquet ideas were discussed. Was decided that it would be a good idea to have a committee to review options for improvement. First meeting was held and lots of good ideas. Was agreed to have banquet at the usual time of year next year on January 27th. Dennis to reserve banquet room with River Rock. Next Banquet committee meeting to be on May 17th at 6:00 PM at River rock to further discuss ideas for improvement.
- Washington Golf rep Toren Westwood will attend our June meeting
- Reviewing option to add a new plaque for field day winners.

New Business:

- WA golf will be at Spring field day. They will be taking pictures, videos, interviewing members, etc.

Meeting Adjourned. Motion made /seconded to adjourn the meeting at 6:52 PM

Next meeting to be at Maplewood 5/3/2023 – 6:00 PM