

**Maplewood Men's Golf Association Meeting**  
**Established 1927**

**2/1/2023**

**Officers Present**

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

**City Rep Present**

**Members Present**

David James

Meeting was called to order at 5:53 PM at the River Rock Bar. 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 \$23,447.28. Lots of end of the year expenses for 2022 still to come such as banquet, trophies, golf genius, etc.
- Current membership is 291 regular members and 87 associate members
- Payouts this month: WSE # 2 \$3,023.02, website - \$203.41, banquet tourney - \$1,040, banquet GOY prizes - \$575, Banquet tourney skins \$520, hole in one \$50, bank fee - \$5,
- Income this month is WA golf - \$6,508, dues \$1,045, WSE # 2 - \$3092.40
- With the proshop winter series running their finances through our account we have been monitoring their transactions. Hard to get this exact as lots of transactions and changes occur. To date with the first two winter series events the totals are within a couple dollars, so everyone is satisfied. Hoping to get the numbers exact at some point.
- Dennis to issue in book money \$50 to Justin Manao for hole in one and \$60 to Will Reynolds for cost of rules seminar he attended.
- Still working on getting or bank to enable us to check account online. Tim has meeting Friday to hopefully finalize this.

**Pro Shop / course (not present)**

- Course is in very good shape
- Last Winter series event # 3 (2-man scramble) happening this Saturday. Currently have 124 players signed up.

## **Tournaments (Terry)**

- Banquet tournament went well. As usual limited participation but had 52 players this year. Only hiccup was Golf Genius had some issues with website which made electronic scoring difficult.
- Terry explained the golfer of the year competition we will start this year. Will be a point system with more points available with our 4 majors. Will be called the Maplewood Cup and will have a large cup with names that the winner will hold for the year. More information forthcoming on this.
- New ideas for tournament were discussed as some members wanted to bring back 3 club tournament. Terry to review schedule for possible adding this back in. Maybe a Sunday tournament.
- There is a conflict with fall tournament and Chelan tournament. Tournament committee to review and make changes to correct.

## **Handicap (James):**

- No update

## **Rules (Will):**

- There are some new rules for 2023. Will attend a rules seminar to better understand these. More to follow including ready golf, point in line, etc
- Bunker rule was again sent to website modified. This has since been pulled as bunker rule we finalized last fall is still to be used.

## **Old Business:**

- New ownership of River Rock. New owners seem to be very much interested in coordinating and accommodating with the Men's club.

## **New Business:**

- Banquet went good with 89 people attending. Only hiccup was the restaurant had some mis information on how late the event was to last. They shut down earlier than planned.
- Future Banquet ideas were discussed. Was decided that it would be a good idea to have a committee to review options for improvement. Committee could be made up of board members, club members, and spouses of club members. Was decided that this needs to happen in the next couple months as long-term planning and reservations will need to be made.
- Newsletter still needs a couple articles. Those to be finished by next Wednesday so newsletter can be sent out.
- Bryon noted that website is getting 4,000 hits a month.
- Still working on a golf genius Maplewood site that will make it easier to sign up for tourneys and review all things about the men's club. More to follow here.

Meeting Adjourned. Motion made /seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:28 PM

**Next meeting to be at Maplewood 3/1/2023 – 6:00 PM**