November 14, 2024, Meeting Sunland Village Men's Golf League

Board members Steve Stahr, Ed Meredith, Keith Haycraft, Charlie Lucero, and Ray Sedey were in attendance.

Quorum: A quorum of 53 members were present for the meeting.

Presidents' Report: President Steve Stahr opened the meeting at 9:00 am. Steve welcomed everyone to the meeting and welcomed back to all the snowbird members. He said the Home and Home with Fountain of the Sun was cancelled due to a conflict at their end. He noted that there were no committee reports since there had not been any committee meetings. We need committee volunteers for the Rules and Bylaws committees. He told the members that we are using member volunteers to pickup and process driving range balls and Gary Coover is heading up that effort. Mark Ball is heading up the member volunteer marshalling duties and is looking for volunteers. Steve gave a brief on the irrigation committee's progress and named the volunteers for that committee – Steve Stahr, Rex Schultze, Dwight Stegman, Ray Sedey, and Bob Riggs with Tom Boub as the board representative. We are looking at a complete redo of the irrigation system and noted that there were 31 pipe breaks over the summer.

Treasurer's Report: Keith Haycraft gave the treasurer's report. We have \$4112.43 in checking and the \$5 hole in one pot has \$450.00 and the \$1.00 pot has \$733.00 for a total of \$1,183.00.

Secretary's Report: Ray Sedey reported that the meeting minutes for the October 17, 2024, meeting were available in the hall and there were not any changes to the minutes.

Committee Reports: None

• Rules Committee: Mike Marum, Ray Sedey

• Tournament Committee: Rex Shultze, Marvin Bashford, Doug Sandstrom, Craig Gaulrapp

• Bylaws Committee: Rex Schultze

• Election Committee: Mark Ball, Mike Winsor

Comments by Head Pro, Dan: Dan told the members that there were two new pro shop employees, Billy (full time) and Bart (seasonal part time) He told the members that there will be a sign up sheet for the upcoming fun day in the pro shop There will be tee times for all day Thanksgiving day and he will post a tee sheet on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving.

Old Business: None

New Business: Pace of play – Don't be slow, keep up with the group in front of you. Target 3 hours of play per shift.

Black tees – The black tees are not for league play but were put out for the public's use.

GHIN – A general discussion was held on how the GHIN system works and how it is in place nationwide and even internationally. Use of the GHIN system for our league will be included in the Old Business for next month's meeting and put to a vote to determine if the membership wants to go on the GHIN system.

New Members: We have two new members. Tom Carr and one more that is in the process of getting the paperwork finalized. Please welcome them to our league.

Upcoming Events: November 20 – Fun Day with food. Turkey Trott Shamble format. Breakfast is \$12 with \$5 paid by the league.

December 2 and 5 – Home and Home with Fountain of the Sun - CANCELLED

December 12 – Men's league meeting

December 16 & 18 – Sunland Cup, best ball 1st day and scramble 2nd day.

Questions and Comments: It was asked how the ball picking equipment is serviced and Gary Coover reported that the Golf Course has an employee on the payroll, Ron, who takes care of it. For driving range duty, the plan is to have a two-man team that will work once every two weeks. It was asked why we are doing the ball pickup with member volunteers and it was reported that the old system of volunteers included too many people, many that didn't work but took advantage of free golf and range use. We are set up to pick up range balls at 8 am and 3 pm daily or as needed. Tuesday only has a 3 pm pick time since the range closes at 2:30 pm Monday.

It was asked what a mock t shirt or turtleneck is. A mock turtleneck is ok per the dress code but not t-shirts.

Steve Stahr told the group that the fun day on the 20 was a Turkey Trott Shamble and we will have gift cards for the winners.

A discussion was held on the bare spots on the course and it was decided to treat the bare spots as ground under repair with free relief no closer to the hole. We need to stay off the bare spots to allow the grass to grow. Also, with heavy watering it is ok to clean the mud from your ball.

The local rule of relief from the perimeter walls was discussed. A two-club relief is allowed if the wall interferes with your shot but only if the ball is in bounds. This does not apply to the maintenance area.

It was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Ray Sedey, Secretary