



Men's Section Committee Minutes

Date	Time	Venue
4 th June 2020	19:00	Zoom

Attendees Name	Role	Attendees Name	Role
Paul Taylor (PT)	Captain	Richard Deeks (RD)	Vice-Captain (Chair)
Steve McMullen (SM)	Treasurer	Les Ward (LW)	Competition Secretary
Steve Hunt (SH)	Midweek Competitions	Matt L'Affineur (MLA)	Handicap & Rules & Foxes Team Captain
Dave Watson (DW)	50+	Steve Batchelor (SB)	18-49
Ian Braithwaite (IB)	Charity & Fundraising	Jasper Timmins (JT)	Handicap Team Captain
Richard Reid (RR)	Secretary		

	Agenda Item	Action
1.	Apologies for Absence: PC, RA, AW	
2.	<p>Resumption of Competitions</p> <p>This committee meeting was called to agree the resumption of competitive play and the conditions under which competitions would be played.</p> <p>It was agreed by the Committee that the following competitions would resume as soon as practicable:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Club 18-49. • 50+. • Mid-week competitions. • Weekend competitions. <p>The Committee agreed that, until further notice, the following conditions would apply to all Competitions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All tee-times would be on a book and play basis. Weekend competitions will be open for a full day. • Entry fees for Club 18-49 and 50+ would be payable to DW and SB as per normal. DW & SB to communicate details to members. • For mid-week and weekend competitions, members will be asked to pay £30 upfront into a new online bank account. However, so long as a member is in credit to a minimum of £3, they will be allowed to enter a competition. • Anyone who plays in a competition and has less than £3 credit will be disqualified. • Strictly <u>no cash payments</u> will be accepted. This needs to be clearly reinforced to avoid problems for Reception staff. 	DW/SB

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competition entry will only be allowed via iG and entry will close at 6am on the day of the competition. ^ • All scores are to be entered online. Cards are to be kept for 2 days to allow for scrutiny if required. Members who do not enter their scores online will be disqualified. ^ • The course will be played as it lies except that players will be allowed to pick and place in bunkers within a 'scorecard radius' of where the ball has come to rest. The sand is <u>not allowed</u> to be smoothed out before placement. <p>^ The Committee agreed that in exceptional circumstances, such as a member having difficulty with iG, alternative arrangements would be facilitated.</p> <p>To facilitate competition conditions, PT has purchased 'Hole Lifters' for all 18 greens on the course. Should these prove to work satisfactorily, PT has agreed with the other section Captains that the total cost of c£350 will be shared evenly between the sections. This course of action was agreed with the Club Manager and Club Captain.</p> <p>PT will communicate details of the competitions to all section members in his Sunday, 7th June email. He will include a factsheet of all the conditions of entry.</p>	PT
3.	<p>AOB</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boxes for broken tees to be sourced (this being one of PT's 12 'Little Things'). • Voucher list has been sent through. 	

12 little things

- Men's section towels on ball washers
- Water in huts for summer competitions
- Nearest the pin measuring device
- Duck house on 3rd (idea supported by Barry and other sections)
- Fixing the bell on 13th
- Supporting proposal for steps on 18th (instead of a bell)
- Sand & Mix on Par 3 tee boxes
- Better delineation of the course (particularly fairways)
- Engraving of replica trophies
- The running of a 'Twos' competition
- Taking steps to ensure that the winners of 'Major' competitions gain entry to national competitions.
- Broken-tee 'pots' on tee-boxes