

PEBBLEBROOK LADY NINERS GOLF CLUB  
Sagebrush Room, Beardsley Recreational Center  
February 25, 2022

President Susan Sagahon called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m. A quorum was established. In attendance were Chris McLeod, Gaial Walikainen, Nancy Zawacki, Joan Basile, Betty Coyne, Sanna Sterling, Darlys Heydon, Mindy Nickels, Tracy Harris, Inga Luckman, Cindy Ribble, Deb Palen, Carolyn Whitfield, Shelia Ames, Marlene Stevens, Johanne Cedilotte, Laura Feldman, Mary Monfre, Diana Ellinwood, Rae Alisch, Leah McCracken Marilyn Sage, Karen Backman, Linda Pfingsten and Ingried White.

**Rec Center Golf-Related News - Susan Sagahon, Chris McLeod**

Chris attended the Golf Council meeting on February 17, 2022 representing the club. Notable discussion points were as follows:

Grounds:

- Rye grass will be dying off by month end and Bermuda grass will be coming in.
- Personnel is down 30% for maintenance. It is very difficult to find people who will show up.

Rake Placement:

- the rake should be placed horizontally in the sand trap along the edge.

Golf Cart Rules:

- 1 cart equals 1 or 2 players
- 2 carts equals 3-4 players
- 3 carts equals 4 players with one player using a medical flag (However, 2 in a cart with the medical cart is preferred; goal is to have no more than 2 carts per group on the course)

Lottery Request Issues:

- Golf Ops has been experiencing multiple issues with requests and lottery draw confirmations. The vendor has been notified and we are waiting for a resolution. Until then, check your itinerary on the web portal and/or calling the pro shops or call center to check the status of your bookings.

Rules - David Eichner:

- If a ball rests on a stone in the trap, it can be removed. If the ball moves, the player may re-place the ball without penalty.

Course Care Day:

- It has been put forth that if one day a month as clubs golf, they would be assigned a certain hole and given a tee box, fairway, or greens to pick up broken tees, sand holes and repair divots. Golf Council is asking clubs for their opinion to do this work.
- A motion was made by Nancy Zawacki with a second by Rae Alisch for our club to support Course Care Day on league day. Motion passed.

Volunteers:

- Golf Council is looking for 2 more volunteers to serve as "at large" members of the Council. They already have 3 male members and would like to see 2 women on the Council. If anyone is interested, please email Jim Anderson, Council President.

Golf Genius:

- This program will be kept until the end of the year but might have a cost increase. The Council is looking for something else to take its place. They will keep clubs posted.

Pace of Play:

- This is always an issue. We need to follow timed guidelines such as the 3-minute limitation for searching for a lost ball (including retrieving from the water!). (Note: Copies of USGA Pace of Play guidelines were left on each table for the members to review. They will also be featured in various communications throughout the year.)

Pebblebrook Maintenance Schedule:

- Spring Aeration - Close April 14, Open April 19
- Course Maintenance - Close June 2, Open June 7
- Summer Aeration - Close July 14 Open July 19
- Fall Over Seeding - Close Sept 29 Open October 25

The next Council meeting is March 17 at 3:00 p.m. Sanna Sterling will represent the club.

### **Minutes - Sanna Sterling**

The minutes of the general meeting on December 1, 2021 were approved. Motion made by Ingrid White with the second made by Betty Coyne.

Treasurer's Report - Deb Palen

Beginning Balance	\$2,672.59
Total Income	\$ 200.00
Total Expenses	(\$ 208.23)
Ending Balance	\$2,577.09

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **Membership - Mary Monfre**

The club has one new member, Johanne Cedilotte. The club now has 50 members.

### **Website - Mary Monfre**

The website is up to date. Mary does need the information for the upcoming tournament to put on the website. The club will be playing Trail Ridge Golf Course this year during the course closures.

### **Monitor - Mary Monfre for Linda Weatbrook**

With some members not receiving notices of tee times from Golf Ops, members are encouraged to sign up for Totaleintegrated at <https://suncitywest.totaleintegrated.com/Account-Login>. A member's booked itineraries are found on that site.

Members are also reminded to check spam and junk folders for Golf Ops notifications.

Susan Sagahon will be checking to see if tee times are moving to 7:00 a.m. start times as of March 1, 2022. (Post Note: Confirmed 7:00 a.m. start as of Mar 1, 6:30 a.m. start as of Apr 1. It's too late to change our bookings for Mar 1, but will book the 7:00 start block as of Mar 8).

### **Handicaps - Nancy Zawacki, Georgie Caddy**

Georgie has been extremely helpful in putting handicaps weekly. She and Nancy are working in tandem. Note: Player handicaps have been fairly consistent over time.

### **Bulletin Board - Karen Backman**

Karen and her team are doing a very nice job. She would like to purchase felt or fabric to use on the wall. She was given approval to do so. Karen will also refresh the required postings of Course Rules and Regulations that have yellowed with age.

### **Tournaments - Marlene Stevens**

RAINBOW OF COLORS is the club's next tournament to be held on March 29, 2022. There is a sign up envelop in the left-hand drawer. Cost is \$10.00; checks only. March 18, 2022 is the deadline for entering the tournament.

Fall Tournament is currently scheduled for November 15, 2022 and is subject to change if there is a conflict.

### **Social - Laurie Feldman**

Gail Walikainen and Darlys Heydon comprise the Social Committee with Laurie.

Next Social event is the Mini Golf Tournament on Friday, April 8, 2022. This will be at the Beardsley Recreational Center Pavilion and mini golf course. It is a General meeting with awards given from the March 29th tournament, box lunch will be provided, \$5.00 entry fee, 10:00 a.m. shotgun start.

It was mentioned how much fun afternoon players are having socializing after play each Tuesday afternoon. Morning players are welcome to come back to the course and join in the fun social time being enjoyed.

### **Sweeps - Susan Sagahon**

Susan gave out awards at the meeting for Birdies and Chip-Ins. There were many winners. The list of winners is posted on the bulletin board for all to see.

### **HOLE-IN-ONE!**

CHERYL REINERTSEN had a Hole-in-One on January 11, 2022 on hole #8! A plaque is being made to put on the wall in the club house. Cheryl's picture was in the *Independent* newspaper and the *SCW News*.

### **Summer Play:**

When the club gets down to only a few players, sweeps are difficult. Susan learned about the Blind Bogey and introduced the idea to the club. Each player puts \$2.00 in a bucket with their name. After play a name is pulled and that person and all who have the same score share in the pot. Everyone liked the idea.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Survey - Nancy Zawacki**

A survey was sent out to all members since we haven't had a lot of get-togethers in the past two years and the Board was seeking opinions on some items.

1. How do you like email sign-up?  
29 like the email

2. AM & PM tee times?  
28 like
3. Social gatherings: 3 General Meetings and 2 Tournaments  
26 feel this is enough
4. Game of the Day  
28 like the mix of games
5. Website ([pbladies.scwclubs.com](http://pbladies.scwclubs.com))  
26 found the website easy to navigate
6. Handicap Website ([ninerspbgolfclub.net](http://ninerspbgolfclub.net))  
19 found the website easy to navigate  
7 don't use  
May offer a refresher
7. New members, how to get to know the gals (select as many as you like)  
13 agree that mixing up tee times once a month to specifically match up new gals with old gals  
16 liked wearing name tags and Pebblebrook shirts on Tuesday  
8 liked having a luncheon between AM & PM tee times  
7 liked putting pictures on the bulletin board
8. Would you be interested in getting a paid monitor to do tee times and sweeps? (Paid monitor duties may include making tee times, creating scorecards, doing sweeps, maintaining handicaps)  
21 Yes, if cost is less than \$2.00/golfer/day

Things have changed with Covid and social gatherings were diminished making it difficult for new members to get acquainted. The club could put pictures of new members on the bulletin board and perhaps on the website. Members could wear their club shirts for play and wear name tags.

If the club continues to grow as it has, we should pursue a monitor for the club. The monitor would perform 3+ jobs currently done by volunteers. It would be mandatory to pay a monitor even when a player cancels. A monitor would also produce the scorecards. Typically, the first name on the card becomes the captain and is responsible for the scorecard being correct. We will reassess this proposal in the Fall.

It is important to let someone know if a player can't play or if a player wants to play.

Games are well liked. There was a question regarding Field Shots. Susan explained that it measures performance from tee to green (something golf analysts talk about frequently during pro tournaments). The other significant performance measurement is number of putts.

## ROUNDTABLE

Shirts - Betty Coyne

There is a sign-up sheet in the drawer to order a club shirt. The cost for a shirt is \$15.00. Betty will bring color ideas, pricing, materials and shape of shirts to the club for discussion.

Club Officers - Susan Sagahon

Susan asked the group to consider running for an office position in the fall. We must have a full slate to maintain our Club standing. Start thinking!

What about a Cheat Sheet with rules and regulations to give to new members? Mary Monfre sends out a letter to new members defining these items.

With no further business, Susan Sagahon adjourned the General meeting at 12.12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,  
Sanna Sterling  
Secretary