

Santa Teresa Women's Golf Club

General Meeting December 2, 2016

Captain Barbara Hiura welcomed members and guests to the Holiday Party and after lunch Pam Schwarz and Hiura playing the ukulele led the group in the Lady Golfer's song sung to the tune of Jingle Bells. She opened the General Meeting at 1:00.

Thanks were given to Arline Stepovich and Mary Wond for arranging and organizing the party. And to Arline for making the beautiful centerpieces on each table. Barbara reviewed some golf highlights that occurred during 2016. Career best rounds--Jan Hew shot a 75, Dora Moutafian shot an 81, and Gina Gordon shot an 85. Several ladies earned break 90 for the first time pins: Fudge Masuda 88, Emi Tuvey 88, and LK Wong 86.

Captain's Trophy winners were acknowledged and awards handed out to those who had not received theirs previously. September- Marge Santa 96-32 net 64, October- Irene Mohler 95-32 net 63, November- Young Kerr 92-23 net 69.

Secretary: Pat Hillsbery- Helen Meyer moved to waive the reading of the September 1, 2016 General Meeting and to accept them as written. Becke Reese seconded the motion and it passed.

Treasurer: Deanna Griffin- She read highlights of the Treasurer's Report. The check book balance as of Dec. 2 nd 2016 is \$12,888.35. There is \$680.00 available from the Super Guest Day raffle. Two entities were suggested to benefit from the raffle money, the First Tee and the PWGA Veterans Charity.

Cathy Priest moved to accept the report as presented, Nancy Perkins seconded. The motion passed. A copy of the report will be posted with the minutes.

Co-Captain/Membership: Mary Forster reported that we have 98 regular members, 6 honorary members and 4 associate members. Attending the party were 4 ladies who had been longtime members; Stella Rodriguez, Pat Skavdahl, Luce Varni and Dorothy Hiura. Honorary members attending were Evonne Davenport, Gloria Zufall, Mary Miyahara and Casey Rodriguez. New members attending were Pat Higdon, Gayle Peck, Cindy So and Hee Kyoung.

PWGA/SCC: Becke Reese reported that Dora Moutafian will be the new Rep next year. She thanked the membership for their support over the last several years. A copy of her full report will be posted with the minutes.

Roster: Jan LaFetra thanked Leta Walter and Rosemary Haeckel for their help in preparing the 2017 Rosters. She asked members to prioritize which should be their primary phone contact number for the 2018 books.

E-Clubhouse: Dora Moutafian reported that the website has the same information that is in the roster. She also asked to be notified if any member is having trouble connecting with the website or are not receiving email blasts.

Old Business: Barbara reported that the 2017 Holiday Party will be Friday December 8th at The Villages. At the February General Meeting there will be a discussion about the date and venue for the 2018 party.

New Business: 1. A chairman is still needed for 2017 Super Guest Day. A committee approach was suggested. Still no volunteers. 2. Stipulations to the Standing Rules will be voted on at the Feb. General Meeting. A-to add Honorary Membership Category. B-to add prize fund fees required to remaining Associates.

End of Year Awards:

Birdie Boards: Marie LeBlanc and Mary Forster announced the awards. The award for most net birdies on Captain's Trophy Day Net Birdie Contest is Young Kerr. The Gross Birdie Board winner is Rosemary Haeckel with 23 gross birdies.

Club Championship: Mona Signor announced that Sue Treleaven is the 2016 Club Champion. Sue was not able to attend the luncheon due to her work commitment.

Mona said 53 members participated this year the largest number in our history.

Fewest Putts: Carol McBride announced that Susan Won, with an average of 31.0 putts on Captain Trophy days, is the winner.

Most Improved Player: Marie LeBlanc announced that Barbara Hiura is the winner, improving from an index of 21.1 in January to 16.7 in December.

Membership Recognition: Jan Hew announced that three ladies have been members of Santa Teresa for 20 years; Jan LaFetra, Pam Schwarz and Joan Takemoto. She also recognized Marie Balling who has been a member for 31 years.

A Word of Thanks: Barbara thanked the Board of Directors and Committee chairs, which makes up about 1/3 of the membership, for their efforts on behalf of the club. She thanked them for their spirit of volunteerism. In their honor, she made a donation to 2nd Harvest Food Bank in lieu of gifts to board and committee people.

Captain's Plaque: Mary Forster and Jan Hew presented Barbara with the Plaque and a gift card. They thanked her for the many times she has been an exemplary Captain for the club (97-98; 06-07; 11-12; and 16). The membership agreed!!

2017 Board Installation: Barbara announced the new members that will be joining the returning board members. Secretary- Gloria Nigg Pairings- Kathy Bayless, Suki Matsunami, Megan Lovelace and Helen Meyer Play Days- Maureen Blackmer Club Championship-LK Wong Starter/Scorers- Gwen Aso SCC Team Play- Diana Sakamoto PWGA Rep- Dora Moutafian Barbara installed the Board. The full list of Board and Committee members will be posted with the minutes.

The Table Centerpieces were given to number 3 countoff person at each table.

Photos were taken by Joan Takemoto and Jan LaFetra.

Thanks were given to Pam Schwarz for her presentation of prelude music.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Hillsbery, Secretary STWGA