

- A. Captain Barbara Hiura welcomed the members, called the meeting to order at 12:25 p.m.

In attendance were: Felicia Angeles, Marie Balling, Gloria Blackwell, Karen Buesing, Evonne Davenport, Diana Flanigan, Marilyn Fleischman, Mary Forster, Gina Gordon, Deanna Griffin, Josie Gutierrez, Rosemary Haeckel, Jan Hew, Jean Hiraishi, Barbara Hiura, Dorothy Hiura, Joohyun Hong, Martha Kawanami, Diana Flanigan, Makiko Kubo, Ann Kusumoto, Joyce Kurotori, Jan LaFetra, Seri Lee, Marie LeBlanc, Sarita Longanecker, Fudge Masuda, Helen Meyer, Mary Miyahara, Irene Mohler, Cindy Moon, Harumi Mori, Joan Hecker, Fudge Masuda, Keiko Minami, Dora Moutafian, Carla Munoz, Naomi Nakano, Mona Nakamura, Hazel Oh, Bev Pedersen, Nancy Perkins, Cathy Priest, Becke Reese, Barbara Schumacher, Pat Skavdahl, Carol Shields, Arline Stepovich, Tomie Sera, Junko Stonehocker, Namie Takatsuka, Joan Takemoto, Yoshiko Takeshita, Diane Tibbetts, Emi Tuvey, Leta Walter, Bonnie White, Mary Wond, Vicki Yauger, Patty Yelvington, Gloria Zufall

Captain Barbara Hiura reminded the members we are required to have four general meeting per year. Since the beginning of the year a lot has been happening; Rally for the Cure, Individual EC, Partner/Match play. Along with the following Captain's Trophy winners.

April, Captain's Trophy winner: Josie Gutierrez (73)

May, Captain's Trophy winner: Ingrid Sander (70)

Congratulations to the above winners.

### **B. Minutes**

[Because the Minutes are posted in the women's bathroom and are our website it was moved by Cathy Priest and seconded by Becke Reese to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the last general meeting, April 7, 2011.] Motion carried.

### **C. Co-Captain/Membership**

Chair, Pat Yelvington, announced current membership stands at - 107; 93 regular, 14 associate members. A new member since last general meeting is Pamela Tompkins. Two new applicants waiting for qualification rounds are; Elaine Sullivan-Digre and Cindy Faulker.

Chair Patty Yelvington thanked the members for responding so quickly to email message.

### **D. Treasurer**

Chair, Dora Moutafian, distributed a copy of the Treasurer's report, as follows:

Check Book Balance: \$6223.94. which includes payments to be made for sweeps for 2011 (\$2325); Hole-in-one fund (\$951.75). There are still members who have not cashed their sweeps checks from 2010. All bills and submitted budget items have been paid as of June 2nd, 2011.

[A motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented was moved by Gina Gordon and seconded by Nancy Perkins] Motion carried.

### **E. Handicap Tournament**

Co-Chair, Deanna Griffin reported most players do a good job, however please do not use just first names only on the scorecards. Please write both first and last names. Thank you.

### **F. Tournament**

Co-Chair, Emi Tuvey reported June Captain Trophy winner: Jan Hew

Joan Takemoto won for the first time ever, the chip-in pot worth \$12.50

Mary Miyahara winner, low putts (27).

A Hole-in-one, for Patty Yelvington on March 10<sup>th</sup> at Tahquitz Creek, Palm Springs, using a pitching wedge on hole #17. Congratulations Patty.

### **G. P.W.G.A.**

Representative, Rebecca Reese reported in the back of the P.W.G.A. handbook, 2011 Membership Rebate Form accepted March 1 – September 30<sup>th</sup>.

In a unanimous vote of the PWGA's Board at its May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting, it was decided to rescind an earlier decision to eliminate rebates in 2012. Rebates will continue to be given in the calendar year 2012.

Official Entry Forms for Gaeagle Meadow GC, August 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>; Helen Lengfeld, Low net by flights, October 4 & 5<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Becke says these are great courses, gather up a four-some and join in the fun. Other play days are posted on our bulletin board.

### **H. Major Tournament**

#### **Handicap Tournament**

Co-Chair, Pat Skavdahl reported the new format, two-day Partner/Match play was successful. Forty members were flighted while 75 percent of the field got paid. This was a trial effort. Pat requested a motion to continue using the partner match play format for the handicap tournament as a yearly club event.

Captain Barbara Hiura reminded the membership that Partner/Match Play Handicap tournament is funded by the club, but is not considered a 'major tournament' as outlined

in our current Standing Rules for the Handicap Tournament because in order for it to be a considered a ‘major tournament’ one person from the entire field emerges as the winner.

[Motion made by Jan La Fetra to retain the format we used this year for Partner/Match Play, seconded by Vicki Yauger] Motion carried.

Chair Pat Skavdahl, thanked Tomie Sera, Leta Walter for filling in when she was not available.

Captain Barbara thanked Pat for her delicious home-made cake.

### **Club Championship**

Co-Chairs, Nancy Perkins/Felicia Angeles Club Championship. Nothing new to report as this date.

#### **I. Santa Clara County Team Play**

Chair, Cathy Priest announced a successful, Rally for the Cure, exceeded \$15,000 total in the 5 years it’s been can be found held at Santa Teresa.

Team play was seen as remarkable as play was never canceled because of rain. The Team scored 4<sup>th</sup> overall in gross score. Net score was not discussed, because the team didn’t do so well.

SC County Championship will be held again at, San Jose Country Club, August 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>. This is a wonderful tournament which has approximately ten flights and pays down to six positions. Very generous payout.

#### **J. Rules**

Chair, Jan La Fetra distributed a detail drawing of a ‘ball crossing margin of water hazard’ . This document clearly states the ball must be dropped behind the water hazard if you chose not to hit from the original spot.

For additional rule information, Jan maintains ‘Rule’s Corner’ which on the club website.

#### **K. Social**

Co-Chairs, Arline Stepovich and Bev Pedersen, nothing to report at this time.

#### **L. Newsletter Editor**

Chair, Joan Takemoto stated, Newsletter items are due today or ASAP.

#### **M. Committees**

Chair, Mary Miyahara, noted, ‘It was real long Individual EC, we finally got eight weeks in’. Winners are posted on website and in the women’s bathroom. Partner EC sign up sheets are being circulated. Thank you.

### **Starters and Scorers**

Co-Chairs, Naomi Nakano and Martha Kawanami, thanked all the members who volunteered to help as the Starters and Scorer when call upon. The membership really came through and are very dependable.

Pat Yelvington sent out the emails, soliciting help. Thanks for helping Patty.

Guidelines for Starters and Scorers have been updated, simplified, and easily understood. A newly prepared binder contains all pertinent information and is located in the top drawer of the STWGC file cabinet. Special thanks to Emi Tuvey for her help.

### **Sunshine**

Chair, Gina Gordon sent cards to: Connie Coletti, Jane Lee, Corrine Valenti and Maria Kus Chill

**N. Old Business**

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[Motion to adjourn meeting Gina Gordon by and seconded by Joan Takemoto] Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

**Respectfully submitted by,**

**Bonnie White, Secretary**