

Golden Lion Golf Society

Minutes of **GM** held at RCGC **1st September 2021**

Mick Wright as Chairman called the meeting to order and noted approximately 20 (of 42) Members in attendance with Apologies being recorded only from P.Farrier; B.Whitear; E.Bula and L.Jarvis.

Dan Chester- thanked those in attendance and commented whilst had been a difficult period due to Covid lockdowns etc , had for the most part enjoyed his (extended) term as Captain.

Dave Wright as Treasurer:

Produced a set of Accounts noting that ;

- (a) a few members still to pay £20 subs for 20/21 season,
- (b) there had been limited Income or Outgoings over Covid period but credit balance of £1298.69 just slightly down on previous year .

Sean Kirk – then took over meeting as New captain and:

- (a) thanked Dan for all his time and efforts as past captain in what had been a uniquely difficult period.
- (b) said that he was looking forward to the up-coming season ‘
- (c) stated that unfortunately the person who had been earmarked to take on the Role of Vice-Captain had recently announced he could not commit at this stage and so Sean would in consequence be looking to ALL Members for support.

1. Moving forward:

As regards to the Appointment of Officers:

Chair – Mick Wright offered to continue and Des Ashton also volunteered – no vote taken.

Treasurer – Dave Wright confirmed happy to continue in role.

Secretary – it was noted that nobody was in post and was suggested Pete Farrier would be excellent but busy with roles at RCGC - (having first received assurance he would not have to do anything much !) - Robin Keeler agreed to take on the role .

Committee – apparently previously comprised Andy Davis, Steve Davis , Mark McGinn and Jason Grantham – no decision taken on make-up moving forward.

Handicap Committee – some discussion on whether to switch to a system based on World Handicap – but no decision taken pending further consideration.

2. General Discussion and AOB

- (a) Should Season be brought forward so starts with the Turkey Trot or just social golf til Bunny Run ?
- (b) Some new events Sponsors likely required for next year .
- (c) Difficulties identified in booking certain Clubs if continue to play weekends only.
- (d) Subs for 21/22 ...stick at £20.
- (e) New Shirts to be ordered – at what Cost - and if so is it opportune time to rename from GL – but GG pointed out issue with Trophies ?
- (f) Dave Wright requested ALL Members log on website to check Contact List and notify him of any changes and /or omissions

3. Next Meeting

Suggestion of follow up Meeting in November (date to be confirmed) to finalise outstanding issues from **1.** and **2.** above at which point (hopefully) more Members will be in attendance.

4. Social Calendar,

30th October – Presentation Night at RCGC – Tables of 10 – names and menu choices to Dave Wright asap

17th December – Possible Society Night and Fundraiser at RCGC ...Mick Wright to circulate details.

Fivers night and other events

Meeting closed

RPK
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