

## **Notts County Golf Society**

## **AGM**

# 28/2/2023

### **Minutes:**

#### Attendees:

Wayne Pickering, Mark Beal, Andy Oldershaw, Nick Everitt Andy Bryan, David Jeffrey, Luke Alexander, Ian Roberts, Andy Messom, Matt Simpson, David Sadler, Tim Sills, Jamie Squires, Phil Bull, Nick Galpin, Rob Meredith

#### **Apologies:**

Bryn Chandler, Derek Prudham, Jon Hickman, Paul Cottee, Terry Lee

#### **Election of Offices:**

a. Chair: No Chair (Open for candidates to apply)

b. Secretary: Andy Bryan

c. Treasurer: Wayne Pickeringd. Handicap/website: Tony Cottee

e. Captain 2023 : Tony Cottee

f. Auditor: David Jeffrey

All offices/committee members agree to and happy to carry on their roles within the society for the following year.

#### Treasures report,

#### 2022 payments and income

Subscriptions for 2023	£675.00
Subs Rebates for 2023	£135
Engraving payment for 2022	£45
Reiss Cornish no show at Ramsdale par 3	£21
AGM loss	£30
Website payment for 2023	£135
Deposits out for 2023	£650

#### Balance £1,088.00 as of 29/2/2023

#### The following proposals were put to a vote

<u>Subs rebate</u> It has been agreed by the committee that there will be a £5 rebate for paying members and can be used for whatever they wish, it will be put down as credit after the AGM

<u>The Constitution</u> It was asked if the members are happy with the constitution and if we really need one in place, the members agreed that it should be in place and is now published on the website, if any changes are required to the constitution it shall be addressed at the next AGM

<u>Play or not to play</u> that is the question, It was asked by the secretary that all players should answer if they would like to attend a society game and equally they should answer if they will not be attending, this way the committee will know that all have read the announcement and have a greater idea of numbers that will be playing.

<u>Singles</u> It was put to a vote if the members still wanted to have an entrance fee for inclusion into the singles competition, the majority decided that £10 entry fee will remain and the winner will take all that was collected.

Also regarding the singles, it was put to a vote and agreed that the handicaps will be whatever the players handicap is on the day of their match and "NOT" at the time of the draw.

All players shall be aware and available and make reasonable effort to play each match within the time limit of the singles matches, If singles matches are not played on time then one player shall agree to concede the match so the other player goes through to the next round, and if this cannot be agreed then the flip of a coin by the society Secretary will determine the winner as a last resort.

<u>Front 9 & back 9 prizes</u> As the Notts County golf balls are running low now it has been agreed that the society will pay £10 instead of a sleeve of balls when the balls have completely gone. To equal this out there will be 2 sleeves for each front 9 and back 9 winners until they run out. This will cost the society £160 a year whilst playing 8 games so will be reviewed each year depending on membership numbers.

<u>Fixture committee</u> A new concept was agreed going forward taking the strain away from just one person organising all society games. This year, fixtures will be arranged for the following year more earlier with the following engaging together to sort the fixtures for the following season.

- 1 Secretary to arrange 3 games
- 2 Vice Captain to arrange 2 games plus the week end away within his Captaincy year
- 3 Luke Alexander to arrange 3 games.

<u>Trophies</u> The members were asked if they would like a returnable trophy presented at each of the 1862 games to the winners, this was rejected but members were in favour of a better returnable trophy for the Captains day only each year.

<u>AGM 2023</u> Maybe with the golf calendar finishing on 24<sup>th</sup> September the AGM this year could possibly be moved to an earlier date, depending on the singles competition being complete and engraving done. We will wait until the football fixtures are out before we choose a date for the 2023 AGM and was agreed that we avoid any cup dates that could see the AGM cancelled like 2022

Main Golf WhatsApp Group The main WhatsApp group is meant for golf announcements only, at times this group gets over done by too many silly conversations on there so the main messages get lost and are not seen by some, therefore there will be a fine of £1 for each message that really doesn't belong on the main golf group, please use the Boot room for any other comments off topic. A voting system will be in place this season which will be a yes/no vote this will be enough to indicate playing numbers/names. "PLEASE LEAVE THIS GROUP FOR GOLFING ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ANSWERS ONLY"

#### 2023 Captain

2022 Captain Luke Alexander was thanked for his tenure and presented the new Captain for 2023, Tony Cottee and he was welcomed by all and asked to nominate his Vice-Captain.

Vice-Captain 2023: Nick Galpin

#### **Presentation of trophies by Richard Brindley**

1862 Champion: Jamie Squires
Mike Edwards singles shield: Luke Alexander
Lincolnshire Sausage Hackers Trophy: Andy Messom
Par 3 Scratch Champion: Wayne Pickering
Golfer of the year: Tony Cottee
Most Eagles - No Eagles
Most Birdies 2022 Chris White (7)
Most Pars 2022 Andy Messom (44)

# **Meeting Closed**