## Land Park Weekenders

## 9/09/2023

Paula called the meeting to order at 10:03.

## President's Report:

Paula noted that the minutes from the previous meeting (4/14/2023) were sent out to the membership via e-mail. Sylvia moved to approve the minutes as posted. Pam seconded. Minutes from 4/14/23 approved.

President's report: Paula observed that the course is looking good and is in relatively good shape. The new starter, Dennis has been great. Paula said that a question had come up about the rules for using chalk to mark a ball on the green. Paula checked with NCGA and the rule is that chalk is acceptable but must be erased by the person who used the chalk. She noted that it is a one stroke penalty if the player fails to erase their chalk mark. Pat Perez suggested that anyone can remind the player to erase the chalk mark so they don't incur a penalty. In order to speed up play, Paula reminded everyone to play ready golf and suggested that if the next hole is open, two players can move to the next tee box after finishing putting.

Treasurer's Report: Denise reports that there have been no unforeseen expenses and we are on track with the budget. Website fees are not due until next year. There are contingency funds for a hole in one.

Membership Report: Sylvia reports that we have 29 full members. Sylvia introduced the new member, Jane Nakagawa. Sylvia reminded everyone that the start time will change to 8:03 a.m. in October. Sylvia thanks everyone for letting her know in a timely manner if they are not able to play. The deadline for notifying Sylvia is Thursday (Tuesday if we are playing at Arcade Creek). Membership renewals are due between October and November. NCGA dues are now \$46.00. There is a late fee of \$10.00 if we don't renew in a timely manner.

Handicapper's Report: Treacy's report was read by Paula. Treacy thanks everyone for posting their scores. She reminded us that if a member makes an error when posting, she (Treacy) can fix it immediately. Treacy noted that if members don't opt to post on their phones they can use the kiosk in the café. A computer is also available at Haggin Oaks for posting scores.

Paula reports that the current slate of officers have volunteered to remain in their positions for next year. The membership voted to approve the slate of officers.

Paula said that the reservations for the Christmas party should be made by the end of September. Everyone agreed that the restaurant "House" has been a good location. The next general meeting will be held at the Christmas party.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:16.