



Stockwood Vale Golf Club , Committee Meeting

20th March 2019

Present M. Edenborough, , M Tidcombe, A Jordan, B Jenkins, J Baker, J Gray ,K, Blakeley, P Dawson A Yeatman, , I Haddon

Apologies P Hopkins

Previous minutes were agreed

Agenda Items carried forward from last meeting.

Matters Arising

Tee Ad Signs Ongoing.

Club Diary Now on website

Treasurers Report JG handed out a print out showing the present situation, the format of which has been amended to show last months activity

Juniors Section Six holes have now been marked out, 1,15,16,17,18 and the Practice chipping green.

We discussed how best to support them in their efforts and debated whether the formation of a Junior Committee would be useful.

It was felt that, at these early stages, the forming of a committee was unwarranted but the idea could be reconsidered in the future. (please see below)

The introduction of Blue Tees on some holes was supported - especially as we consider James and his team have a sensible awareness of the impact they may have upon other golfers and any potential inconvenience would be anticipated and kept to a minimum.

At the Somerset Golf Union AGM our representatives managed to talk to others about Junior Golf, and as a result Paul Adams is to attend a meeting about SGU Junior development . (please see below)

AJ and PD both strongly felt that the first step should be the formation of a committee and an advert should be issued for members, and, their Key Responsibilities should be documented. JB to soft canvas parents and an email will be sent out asking for volunteers

ADDENDUM – Paul Adams AJ & ME attended a meeting on 26/3 of the Somerset Golf Union Junior Development. It would appear that the fledgling section can be moved forward by a Working Group prior to the formation of a committee. Paul especially made several contacts within EGu which we can tap into.

Ready Golf A short discussion was held about ready golf with some reservations being voiced about “rushed” golf.

Booking System Concern was raised as to the start time for bookings. We are to review the system in the next meeting.

Any Other Business

Course Maintenance ME advised that the Greens are due to be cored and light top dressed. The green keepers are to take delivery of a new Greens Machine. The Management are increasing the greenkeepers hours.

Toilet Due for 9th May

Competition Rules To be sent out and ratified before the new Knockouts.

Senior’s Open This is due 8th May. BJ advised that the ladies are assisting again and asked for Sponsors.

9 hole comp AJ advised that the ladies are going to play a 9 hole competition.

Handicap Limit AY advised that there had been some disquiet at the high handicaps of recent winners in team games. He asked if consideration could be given to having a maximum handicap set for future competitions. A discussion ensued and it was felt it would be difficult to justify.

Date of Next Meeting 17th April 2019

