

## MINUTES

### SUNBIRD MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

#### Men's Club

Tuesday, Jan 3, 2023 in the Sunbird Ballroom

- 1. Call to Order:** President Buzz Curran **Time:** 9:00 AM  
Members Present: Joe (Buzz) Curran, Scott Stohr, Patrick Leach, Don Hunt, Dave White, Scott Moore, Gary Whistler, Wayne Onyx & Gordon Olson.
- 2. Acceptance of Minutes of 12/6/2022:** Review and Accepted at the Executive Meeting by Scott Moore and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Don Hunt.

**3. Treasurer's Report:** Patrick Leach

Paid membership = 145, Plan =155. 16 renewals, 12 brand new & 29 have moved on.

Beginning Balance 11/30/2022		<b>\$5,291.50</b>
Expenses:		
Bank Fee – deposit slips		(23.00)
Membership - manual Payments		(800.00)
Christmas bonus contribution - Turf crew		(250.00)
Donuts		(\$54.75)
Score cards		(99.00)
Credits		
Memberships - net		1,480.00
Memberships – manual payments		720.00
Transfer to Restricted Fund 145 members X \$3=		(435.00)
Ending Balance 12/31/2022 (General Fund)		<b><u>\$5,829.75</u></b>
Restricted Fund (Hole-in-One fund)	Beginning Balance 11/30/2022	\$571.00
	Payouts hole-in-One	(100.00)
	Transfer from Operating Fund	435.00
Ending Balance 12/31/2022 (Hole-in-One fund)		<b><u>\$906.00</u></b>
<b>Total Cash</b>	<b>12/31/2022</b>	<b><u>\$6,735.75</u></b>

- 4. Membership Report: - Fred Garmeson :** No report.  
- "WELCOME" new member Jeff Corkery....!!!
- 5. Tournament Chair: - Don Hunt –** Founders Day Tournament Jan 21, 2023, 8:00 AM check-in. Lunch after golf in the Horizon Room. Social, Chile cook-off and team pairings Wednesday evening Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm to ??? in the Ballroom and Auction on Friday Jan 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm on the Patio. Non-golfers may attend the Social and/or after golf lunch for \$10 each.
- 6. Hole-in-One Chair: Don Hunt –** Don introduced some 'food for thought' for future discussion. Going to Tee Time starts, instead of staging for shotgun starts makes fee collection no longer feasible.

- 7. Riggs Road Cup: Jack Cooper** – Scheduled for March 2023. More information to come.
- 8. Publicity & Social Chair: - Scott Moore** – The Social information will be in the newsletter.
- 9. Shootout Chair: - Gary Whistler** – Two Couple’s Shoot-outs (Gross & Net) Net qualifiers are scheduled on January 12 & 26, 2023. Gross qualifiers are March 9 & 16, 2023. Couples Net Shootout is January 27 at 1:30pm. Couples Gross Shootout is March 24 at 2:00 pm. Gary W. will be running the betting once again.
- 10. Rules Chair: - Dave White** – Issued a print-out of Sunbird Golf Club Local Rules for 2022-2023. See attached on page 3.
  - Bare spots on the fairways – they have been re-seeded and mulched- if your ball lands in one of these areas, move the ball onto grass to prevent further damage.
  - Rakes stay in the bunkers, parallel to the fairway, out of the line of flight.
  - Fix all divots – do not put sand with seed in the rough. Fairways and Tees Boxes only.
  - Water in the Bunkers (Temporary Water) Rule 16.1 Stay in the bunker, one club length relief. To move out of the bunker is a one stroke penalty.
- 11. Old Business:** - Carry over from last meeting: Range Balls, They ARE NOT TO BE stored in individuals golf carts or bags.
- 12. New Business:** - Steve Seel – Summer Men’s club, hand off to the Men’s Club need one possibly two full time residents to fill the position.
  - John Brockish - The golf club auction is scheduled for January 20, 2023 are collecting donations for the auction.
  - John Valentine is working on the Adopt-a-Hole, needs more volunteers. He is also asked for a new volunteer to take on the collecting of donations for Christmas gifts for the golf turf-crew.
  - Demo Day Jan 13<sup>th</sup> Golf Club tryouts on Hole #9 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Three manufacturers will be present. See Club Manager Laurie Kelech.
- 13. Adjourn:** - A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 9:30 AM.

Coffee & donuts were served at this meeting according to Sunbird & AZ state guidelines.

Minutes submitted by Gordon Olson

## SUNBIRD GOLF CLUB LOCAL RULES FOR 2022 – 2023

Refer to page 3.

## **SUNBIRD GOLF CLUB LOCAL RULES FOR 2022 – 2023**

**GARDEN CLUB PROJECTS:** Mandatory free relief, nearest point of relief no closer to the hole. Rule 16.1.

**DECORATIVE WOOD CARVINGS:** Free relief under rule 16.1.

**GRAVEL WASHOUTS:** Free relief under Rule 16.1.

**OUT OF BOUNDS:** OB is defined by walls, white stake, curbs on public roads. Any fall that crosses the roadway or comes to rest on the roadway is out of bounds. (Holes #9 and #10).

**DRAINAGE ROCKS:** Free relief, nearest point of relief no closer to the hole, Rule 16.1.

**WOOD PILINGS:** Wood pilings lining the Penalty Areas are considered to be an integral part of the golf course, no free relief.

**CONCRETE DRAINAGE:** Any concrete drainage that juts onto the golf course is, to be considered and Immovable Obstruction, that includes walls, chains, posts. Rule 16.1.

**DROP ZONES:** As an added option under rule 17.1, drop zones have been added on Hole#7 (left of green) for any ball that enters the penalty area between the blue tipped stakes, also a drop zone has been added on Hole #11 for any ball that enters the penalty area green side of drop zone.

**DISTANCE MEASURING DEVICES:** DMD'S are allowed in all events, no gradient or wind apps are to be used. Rule 4.3.

Go by the USGA Rules, do not go by some suggestions on the internet...!!!

**CONNIE FRANKLIN (WOMEN'S CLUB RULES CHAIR)**

**DAVE WHITE (MEN'S CLUB RULES CHAIR)**