

Chiang Mai Social Golfers

Committee Meeting 27 August 11:00am

Gymkhana Golf Club

Minutes

Attendance: Milton Reynolds, Julian Wing, Nigel Stubbs, Mike Roycroft, Garry Walker, Allan Gariano, Mark Gorham

1. Minutes of previous meeting accepted
2. No correspondence received
3. Financial report – cash on hand ฿72,131 and charity balance ฿23,610
4. New Handicap system – no issues
5. Photo upload issues – only Garry still having issues and Julian suggested emailing him photos so he can upload
6. Annual tournament – fourth course tentatively Highlands on September 14 however Milton will monitor deals at various courses and this may be changed. Some discussion of best gross winner and agreed that those in the first flight (from whom would typically come the best gross winner) must choose a white or blue tee on the first event and use that tee for all four events. For the remainder of the field who will not be competitive in the gross winner competition different tees can be chosen at each course as usual. Milton agreed to email all members with details as well as put the information on the website.
7. Julian suggested we create an award for the female Player of the Year. After some discussion it was agreed the Perpetual Trophy would be awarded to the POY regardless of sex, and a second trophy be awarded to the best player of the opposite sex (ie. to the winner). Agreed.
8. Mike asked Committee for guidance over a request from a member that all players (in Stableford competition) record both the gross score and the resulting Stableford score. The Rules of Golf state that “Committee may ask players to enter the points scored for each hole on the scorecard in Stableford”. Stableford points in CMSG’s scoring system are awarded based solely on the gross score (ie it ignores whatever you may have entered as the Stableford points). As a courtesy to your playing partners Committee encourages members to record both scores however it was agreed that a valid scorecard only requires gross scores for each hole.
9. While it is requested that CMSG players record both, as a courtesy to their partners, in fact scoring in CMSG is based solely on the returned gross scores.
10. After extensive discussion of the CMSG Local Rules it was agreed that many could be deleted because they simply repeated what is already in the Rules of Golf. Milton will compile the results of our discussion into website content and will send an email to all members specifying the remaining CMSG Local Rules.
11. Players are reminded that we as a group have privileged access to courses/prices and that each of us must maintain the highest standards of behaviour. Abuse of your caddy is completely unacceptable as per Charter Article IV Section 1, “No extreme blaspheming or equipment abuse and especially no caddy abuse.” It is the responsibility of each member to monitor this. Importantly should you witness an instance of caddy abuse please report it to

your Captain so further action can be taken, up to and including temporary, or for recidivists, permanent, suspension.

12. The incumbents of three positions (President, Captain North Hills and Treasurer/Secretary) advised the meeting that they will be unable to serve in 2021. In due course nominations will be called to fill these positions.

Meeting closed 12:20pm