

MINTHIS GOLF CLUB
MINUTES OF THE MEETING
HELD ON 9th MARCH 2020

Present:	Colin du Cann-Crowther (CduCC)	Captain
	Graeme Nichol (GN)	Vice Captain
	Carol Powell (CP)	Secretary
	Sandra Pope (SP)	Charity Secretary
	Mr Stelios Patsalides	Minthis Golf Manager

1 Apologies:

Apologies were received from Bev Mitchel (BM), Roy Peach (RP), David McKibben (DM) and Chris Furneaux (CF).

2 Previous Minutes:

The Minutes of the previous meeting held on 3rd February 2020 were read and approved.

3 Matters Arising:

- (GN/CduCC) attended a meeting with Gabriele and Othanus to discuss the Sport Bar Menu. Gabriele/Othanus were very receptive towards the suggested change in menu, together with opening the bar on a daily basis. A further meeting will take place shortly.
- (CduCC) provided sample trophy's to view for the 2020 knockout competitions. Further discussion to take place. Mr Stelios has received a very nice mens trophy which has been donated in memory of a past member - Tony Painter. It was agreed that this trophy may be used for the Mens Club Championship. (SP) to speak to a friend regarding options to enlarge the base of this trophy.
- (CduCC)/(GN) confirmed that a feedback meeting was held with Alexander The Great following the dinner dance and proved very positive. (CduCC) advised that he is also currently looking into possible alternative venues for 2021.
- (GN) asked Mr Stelios if he was aware of the progress regarding the fairway bunker liner on the 1st hole and the broken grating along side of the ladies 15th tee box. (CF) to report on return from holiday.

4 Competitions:

- (GN) advised that (DM) proposed that in January and February, we abandon both Medal and Stableford qualifying competitions and play them throughout the remainder of the year. This would prevent any cancellations due to bad weather. This was agreed and will go ahead from next year. Fun competitions will continue to be organised during these months, however if cancelled will not be rearranged.
- As we are all aware, due to members dropping out of competitions last minute, this can result in a few 2-ball flights during a Stableford or Medal. Please can all members in future give priority and let these flights through if they are being held up continually.
- (GN) confirmed that the Keo Open entry sheet has been placed in the members folder. This will be played on 18th April.

- (CduCC) would like to thank all members for their support for the Captains Chip In. €140 was raised for his charity. All future Captains will have a choice of playing a “Drive-In” or “Chip-In” in future.
- (DM) would like to thank all those that helped in the recent Junior Open.
- (GN) will be issuing the pairing for the first Interclub match, being played at Secret Valley on 26th March. (GN) awaits the pairings from Secret Valley.

5 Social Events:

- (GN) confirmed there has been a fantastic response to the Darts social evening to be held at Mesogi Arms on 2nd April. There are currently 26 pairings with a closing date of 19th March. (CduCC) has cordially invited Mr Stelios to all of social events during the year.
- The bowling social evening, to be held on 7th May will be advertised once the darts evening has taken place.
- (CduCC) remind members that the Meet and Greet evening is taking place on 31st March.

6 Golf Course Matters:

- It was agreed that the signage for the direction to the 4th tee box needs to be more visible. (CF) to address on his return.
- (RP) has commented on his disappointment with the condition of the Tee Box's and general scruffiness with the landscaping around the course. Mr Stelios advised that there is money in the budget for both areas. Discussions are to take place once the architect is onsite later this month regarding the best way forward over the next 2 years to improve these issues.

7 Financial Matters:

- (BM) has presented the Monthly Accounts which were reviewed and approved.

8 A.O.B.:

- (GN) asked if members would be able to be included in the Defibrillator Seminar and Training. Mr Stelios agreed this would be a good idea and will arrange. A date and time to be confirmed.
- (CduCC) confirmed that the World Handicap System has been delayed and should commence 23rd March.
- (CduCC) voiced his concern over the current worldwide Coronavirus situation. (CduCC) to email the recent document issued by the Ministry of Health in Cyprus and would ask all members to take note of the these instructions.
- (GN) to issue email regarding the procedure we should adopt when playing the 9th/ 18th hole while work is being carried out on the lake.
- (GN) confirmed that his charity monies is being split as follows: €2,000 to the Alzheimer's Self Help Group and €1,300 to the Cancer Patients Support Group. (GN) to handover the cheques shortly.

There being no other business the Meeting closed at 1410 hrs.

The date of the next Meeting is Monday 6th April at 1300 hrs.