

## Lincoln Senior Golf Board of Directors Meeting May 11, 2017

### **Attendance:**

Bill Allen, President  
Dean Bergman, VP  
Glen Schmieding, Secretary  
Dave Pauling, Treasurer  
Veryl Jessen, Fun Day Coordinator  
Dennis Lacquement, Fun Day Coordinator; Web Ed  
Mike Toomey, Sub List Manager  
Jim Augustyn, Fun Day Registration Manager  
Larry Honeycutt, Fun Day Coordinator  
Ned Hedges, Past President  
Michael Gerhart, League Manager  
John Tritt, Fun Day Coordinator  
Myron Thoreson, Fun Day Registration  
Marv McMichael, Score Card Delivery and Pickup for League Play  
Allen Gabel, League Manager

President Bill Allen called the meeting to order at 10am.

**May 3 League Play Scoring Complications Due to Rain and Weather:** On May 3<sup>rd</sup> league play, four divisions had matches shortened as a result of the weather, however, most had completed at least 13 holes and were able to be handled as per league rule IX-J. The matches and the team medal play results were final at the point play was terminated and handicaps for individual players were adjusted according to the USGA guidelines mentioned. The few matches that either had not completed 13 holes or did not turn in a scorecard were handled as if there was a bye, i.e., no points were awarded and handicaps were not adjusted

**Fun Day Issues: Last Minute Cancellations/ No Shows/Cart Designations:** There was extensive discussion by the Board regarding the increasing problem of dealing with last minute cancellations and no shows for Fun Day events. There was unanimous agreement that it is rude and arrogant for member to register for a Fun Day and then cancel on the last minute or not show up for no apparent justifiable reason. This is unfair to the members on the waiting list and also creates major problems for team formations by the Fun Day Manager and cart reservations for the hosting facility.

President Bill requested that Board members give thought to some type of penalty or warning system for no shows which could be adopted by the Board and incorporated into the Rules at a future meeting. Numerous suggestions included ineligibility to participate in future fun days, withholding the announcement of pairings for mixer Fun Days, moving the offender to the bottom of the wait list, and moving the offender's team to the bottom of the wait list for U PIK events.

In the cast of last minute cancellations, consideration must be given to legitimate excuses such as a sick wife, hospitalization, severe medical issue, etc., but is imperative that the player cancelling should either have a substitute or have the integrity to participate if he has registered and has no valid excuse for a last minute cancellation.

There have also been instances where players who prefer to walk at the municipal Fun Day event proceed to their designated hole without informing the Fun Day Manager or one of their team mates that they are present. This will be dealt with by revising the Registration Form to not address a member's preference for walking or riding and strictly relying on the registration for the municipal fun day event.

Glen Schmieding  
Secretary