

Ramsdale Seniors

Minutes of meeting held Monday 13th May 2024

Present at Meeting: **Malcolm Voce** (Secretary), **Christine West** (Treasurer), **David Hawkins** (Captain), **Richard Hone** (Competition Secretary), **David Dandie** (Monday Club), **Stuart Murry** (Welfare), **David Costin** (Web-Site) **Dave Insley** (Vice Captain), **Mark Fisher**.

- 1. Meeting Opened. 15:50**
- 2. Apologies**
 - a. Terry Crofts (Immediate Past Captain)
- 3. Minutes of the last meeting**
 - a. Passed as a true record
- 4. Matters arising**
 - a. Discussion was had regarding players not turning up for team games. The specific member recently discussed has been contacted and we will continue to monitor the situation.
- 5. Correspondence**
 - a. Terry Crofts (2023 Captain) reported that arrangements for the past Captain's Competition and lunch were now in place, all past Captains will be invited on Friday 27th September 2024, Theresa has kindly given us 3 tee times commencing at 11:12, front 9 holes followed by a 2 course meal. Past Captains may just attend the meal if circumstances prevent them from playing in the competition. Past Captains to be contacted.
- 6. Finance report**
 - a. Passed as a true record
- 7. Captains report**
 - a. **Matches** - The highlight was of course the win vs College Pines last Wednesday. The inaugural fixture vs Ormonde Fields was very enjoyable despite the challenging course and I think we've made some good relationships there (despite me doing a runner without paying). Still pressure on selection because other clubs are only able to field 12 players.

- b. Flow of information** – I hope the reports I’m putting out have made agreeable reading and keeping all the Seniors informed of what’s going on. I’ve had some positive responses and thanks again to Dave for his help.
- c. Away Day** - we had a great recce to Market Rasen on Friday. Malc, Richard and Dave have confirmed their agreement of the choice of course. We still have 9 places to fill so I’ll be putting out a recruitment sheet in the next few days. The Green fee there is now £50 so our deal of £55 looks even better.
- d. Charity** - you will have seen details of the Ladies Par 3 charity day. Let’s see if we can help her fill the 72 places, in particular so other Shotgun starts might become available in the future
- e. Putting Competition** - Some great statistics from Dave after the first Medal and today There have been some very low scores. Workshops – first one was well received by the 10 participants with Matt as the pro. But there is no interest for the next one so I’m cancelling it.
- f. Team Big Bash proposal** - An end of season fun celebration for all those who have played in the teams. Format is the one circulated aiming to keep the final outcome unknown until the last hole. The day has been agreed in principle by Theresa and the provisional date is Wednesday October 9th.

8. Competition Secretary Report

- a.** Entry rules for this year's Championship were discussed and further details will be published at a later date.

9. Monday Club report

- a.** The Monday Club continues to be well supported.

10. Welfare report

- a.** Welfare report read.

11. Any Other business

- a.** Team shirts are now made by Ping because we are unable to purchase Pro-Quip, these retail at £45 but the committee will reimburse £15 for the first Team shirt purchased, receipts should be handed to **Malcolm Voce (secretary)** for refund.

12. Meeting closed. 16:34

Date of next meeting: Monday 10th June 2024 15:30 hrs

Malcolm Voce

Seniors Secretary