

San Ignacio Ladies Golf Association
3/4/2025 League Meeting

Laura called the meeting to order

Officers present: Laura Fischer (President), Edie Copley (Vice-President), Pat Kamperschroer (Secretary), Shirley Gray (Tournament Chair), Shirley Hill (AGA Representative), Elissa Helfers (Southern District Representative)

Attendance: 22

1. The minutes had been emailed previously to the membership for review. Edie Copley moved that the minutes be approved. Necile Miller seconded the motion. A vote was called and the minutes were approved unanimously.
2. Treasurer's Report – Chris Thompson was not present for the meeting. She had sent out the members account information earlier and provided the Treasurer's report for review at the meeting. Marie Guterrez y Alarid moved that the report be accepted. Brenda Child seconded the motion. Discussion followed about the a need to reconcile the money to the people for Birdies, Ringers, and the Hole-in-One insurance. Shirley Gray has a spreadsheet that details all of this information. Following the discussion, the Treasurer's report was accepted unanimously.
3. Reports
 - a. President – Laura Fischer – Laura presented the 2024 Most Improved Golfer award to Pat Kamperschroer. Elissa Helfers put together the award itself. It was a canvas print of SI's signature hole with a plaque attached. Pat was very surprised at receiving the award and delighted to be honored. She said it would go on her office wall and expressed her appreciation for it.
 - b. AGA – Shirley Hill (Medallion) – Shirley reported that as of today two of the Medallion qualifying rounds have been completed and that there are two more to go. The next one is April 1 and the last one is November 11.
 - c. SDWGA – Elisa Helfers – April 8 is the Telegraph tournament. It is a one day flighted net event.
 - d. Tournament / Weekly play – Shirley Gray – There will be a team game next week (March 11). The following two weeks (the last two play dates in March) are the Club Championship. The Club Championship is an individual flighted gross tournament. Shirley encourages all to play in the tournament.
 - e. Closest to the Pin (CtP) competitions -- Necile Miller – Necile tries to have the Closest to the Pin competitions weeks we are not playing in a tournament or qualifier. The next CtP is scheduled for March 11. April's CtP will be April 15. Laura asked if CtP shuts down in the summer. Jan said she didn't recall it continuing in the summer, but if someone was willing to take it on, then CtP could continue year round.
 - f. Interclub – Lynne Janis –
 - April 16 is the first Interclub date. The complete schedule of Interclub dates and locations is on the new SILadies.org website. Lynne encouraged anyone who is interested to sign up. Only eight can go so if more than that number sign up, there will be a qualifier to determine who plays.
 - Lynne also showed three different shirts that are possible candidates for team shirts. The shirts were from Amazon. Most of the Interclub groups were going to Amazon or Temu for their shirts as they are more affordable. The league does not get a break on shirts purchased from the pro shop. It was asked if the shirts were only for Interclub members. Anyone who is interested can purchase one of these shirts. Lynne chose shirts that are available as sleeveless, short sleeves, three quarter sleeves, and full

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length sleeves.

Note: During the meeting the plan was for Lynne to order shirts for all. Instead of this plan, Laura sent out the information to the league so anyone who wanted one can order their own. This way if there is an issue or a return, the individual who purchased the shirt can resolve it. Lynne is willing to order shirts for anyone who does not have Amazon prime (so they can have the free shipping).

- Jan Rintala pointed out that San Ignacio missed winning Interclub net by 1 point and Interclub gross play by 3 points. There were over 300 points scored so San Ignacio did quite well. Jan encouraged everyone to sign up.

New Business

- Laura Fischer presented a proposed change to the number of holes for the Club Championship Tournament. Per the bylaws, the Club Championship tournament is 54 holes. Last year the league had a trial run of changing this tournament from 54 holes to 36 holes. The trial went well. It has been hard to get the third tee time in the two weeks of the championship. This year the schedule is set for 36 holes again however the membership must approve the change to the number of holes before it can become our standard. Shirley Gray moved that the number of holes be changed to 36. Necile Miller seconded the motion. Discussion followed verifying that the trial went well. The fee for this tournament is \$15 for both weeks. The motion was passed unanimously and the bylaws will be updated.
- New website for SI Ladies Golf Association – Lynne Janis reported that our new website is up and running. She and Carole Pillow are the site administrators. The website is www.siladies.org (it is not case sensitive). We purchased this domain name for the next five years. Carole and Lynne tried to put a lot of information in a concise format. For example, a link to the membership form is on the front page of website. Photos are still being loaded onto the website. The website has been tested with many many browsers and platforms (e.g. Windows, iOS, MacOS). Contact Lynne or Carole if you have any questions or suggestions.
- Elissa Helfers announced that league member Kathleen Austin is playing in the 2024 PGA National Club Championship for women. Kathleen qualified for this tournament because she is our league champion. This tournament takes place in Reynolds Lake Oconee, Georgia. Here is a link to the tournament:
<https://sites.google.com/pgahq.com/pganationalclubchampionship/womens>
Congratulations Kathleen and Good Luck!
- Sharon Miller is moving to Marshall Michigan -- most likely in March. Cindy Olson is putting together a small photo / memory album for Sharon. Please send Cindy pictures / captions for the book. It does not have to be golf related.
- Thank you Jan Rintala for the grapefruit.

The next league meeting is April 1.

Linda Walker moved to close the meeting and Kathleen Austin seconded. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Pat Kamperschroer