



**MINUTES OF THE WHEATHILL GOLF CLUB PLAYING COMMITTEE MEETING,
WEDNESDAY 21st FEBRUARY 2018 HELD AT MINSTER HOUSE**

PRESENT:	Charlie Anderson	CA	Club Captain	Chairman
	Geoff Brewin	GB	Club Vice-Captain	Secretary
	Chris Wyntie	CW	Captain Avalon A & Handicap	Secretary
	Dave Kerswell	DK	Captain Avalon C	
	Mike Strode	MS	Captain 3 counties B	
	Dave Gregory	DG	Captain 3 counties A	
	Sean O’Niell	SO	Captain Avalon Seniors	

1. Introduction

CA: Welcome to February’s Captain’s players committee meeting.

2. Apologies

Judith Rowsell, Paul Hardie,

3. Minutes of the Last Meeting on November 8th.

The minutes of the last meeting were accepted as correct, proposed CW seconded by DK.

4. Matters Arising

Club Cleaner

G.O: The Jackie Lee golf club cleaner, which the subject should have not been closed. The club cleaner has continued to be used as a rubbish bin, Andrew has been in touch with his friend, who will replace the brushes, the matter will be dealt with very soon.

ACTION-in conjunction with AE on going

Jubilee medals

C.A: To confirm at main committee meeting total medals required for all sectors, with the agreed days for which the medals are awarded. To confirm what prize money will be paid out (if any).

ACTION-on going

5. Secretary’s Report & Correspondence

Nothing to report

6. Club Captain's Report

The winter competitions are going well, the Ladies Chicken run, Seniors Texas scramble. The members are enjoying the new format of the winter trophy, plate and bowl. Unfortunately, due to poor weather before and after Christmas the mixed Christmas Cracker was cancelled, and the New Texas scramble was delayed 2 weeks (winners were Tom Beck, Paul Hardie and Pat Brewin 54 points), I would like to thank Judith for doing an excellent job organizing and re-organizing after the cancellation.

The Seniors' first competition of the year, the 3-club comp, was won by Richard Bargery with very good 41 points.

The course has been very wet this winter and the green keepers are doing an excellent job maintaining the condition of the greens and surrounding areas. The roping off in these areas will reap rewards come spring.

I had a meeting with Andrew England and Mark Singleton regarding the forthcoming Silver Jubilee events, all are progressing well, being planned and organized.

On Sunday 29th April, The men's Invitation pair's stableford 4 ball better ball. I would like to thank Colin Davis and his company (Peter Green Chilled Transport) for Sponsoring the day with their generous prizes. Costs have now been finalized £15 for members (£5 supplement for 5-day members £20) and £25 for guests. All the details, information and entry forms for downloading are now on the club's website, a member's copy will be placed on the men's notice board within the next couple of weeks. This will be our first Silver Jubilee Open competition of the season, lets spread the word and make it a great success and a shop window for the club.

Keep your head down and happy golfing,

Charlie

7. Competitions & Handicap Secretary Report

A comprehensive review of all members handicaps has taken place over the winter month's. Only 2 referrals which have been dealt with by the handicap committee.

It has been decided to resurrect the Easter Texas scramble after the success of the new years Day Texas scramble and it will be held on the 8th April.

I have also changed the date of this year's New Year Texas scramble to 30th December, hoping to get more people involved, fingers crossed the weather is on our side.

The winter Trophy, Plate and Bowl is at the final stage, to be played on the 4th March, also, the Blades is at the final stage, good luck to all.

The draw for all the running competition's will take place in the next few days and be placed on the boards.

8. Team Captains Reports

Avalon A: CW: No report.

Avalon B: PH: No report.

Avalon C: DK No report

3 Counties A: DG: No report.

3 Counties B: MS: Mike and team played Yeovil in the winter knock out and lost 3 and 2.

Avalon Seniors: SO: The Avalon seniors had a get together on the 20th Feb, 22 players attended, and a good day was had by all. SO will look to continue with the idea of holding midweek get togethers.

A.O.B

Mike Strobe attended the Somerset Golf Union Recently to receive an update on the new slope system and what changes may be required to the course to fall in line with the new system.

CA: will bring the topic up at the next main committee meeting. SGU also reported a good positive rise of 3% in membership across the county, which can only be good for the sport.

Action – on going

Starters for all competitions,

CA: To speak at main committee meeting to agree starters, David Gregory has agreed to do the Celee Trophy on Saturday 3rd March.

Ready Golf.

Look to have some feedback from all on the new format of play when ready? Are people getting on board with this? Do some need a gentle reminder?

CA, to take to main committee meeting.

Action – on going

Meeting closed at 8.12pm

9. Date of next meeting – Wednesday 11th April 2018

Signed : C.Anderson

Date: 11.04.18