

# LINCOLN GOLF CLUB (INC)

MINUTES OF MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY 9 MARCH 2020, **7:00PM**

PRESENT: D Moore (Chair), L Anderson, M Bond, W Butler, M Gleave, B Larsen,  
L McAuley, S Saunders, B Small, A Fowler, S Harrold, J Rolls, R McLaren  
APOLOGIES: D Pamment, CARRIED: Ron/Steve

GUEST SPEAKERS: Rachel and Richard - Futures Golf

This talk by Rachel and Richard gave the Committee a better understanding of the Futures Hub and the plan for the "Active Juniors" to allow them as Lincoln Members.

MINUTES: Meeting 9 February 2021

CARRIED: Mark/Steve

MATTERS ARISING: None

## CORRESPONDENCE *Inwards:*

15 Feb 21 - Prebbleton Playcentre request for sponsorship. - *Give 6 vouchers*

16 Feb 21 - Thankyou letter from Omarama Golf Club for the Flags - Voucher for Shootout

22 Feb 21 - Meridian Energy - power outage Notification - *Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> 12.30*

22 Feb 21 - Canterbury Golf - Golf in Schools - Lincoln Primary - *Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April*

26 Feb 21 - Tai Tapu Golf club advise of Steve Piper Resignation

26 Feb 21 - Cheviot Golf Club regarding rubbish bins - *no-one remembers where ours came from*

26 Feb 21 - Property Brokers St Johns Tournament - confirmed - 30<sup>th</sup> April - discount green fees \$10

03 Mar 21 - Environment Canterbury - Flowmeter verification form

08 Mar 21 - Clearview Primary - sponsorship request - *give 6 vouchers*

03 Mar 21 - Enviroment Canterbury - Compliance Monitoring Report

## CORRESPONDENCE *Outwards:*

23 Feb 21 - Email Rachel Throw regarding Lincoln Primary School using Golf Course

CARRIED: Lois/Janice

## REPORTS:

WOMEN - Lois Anderson

Golf Report for March 2020

We have continued to attract good numbers for Tuesday golf and I understand there are a regular 6 each weekend Ladies playing.

Our competition for the National teams competition went ahead as scheduled and the team will be picked soon to play at Avondale course on 30th April.

14 ladies drove across town to play on the Ferrymead course for our Mystery outing. This was a challenging morning with the wind and power wires.

On 23rd February we played an Irish Stableford and many were able to play with a different group of people. Individual scores could still be entered.

The weekend Ladies have already played the 1st round of their stroke Championships and the Tuesday Ladies played their 1st round on 2nd March. Another round has still to be played.

History was made on the 2nd March as Nancy Moroney scored 80 in her round and thus played under her age - well done. She won the putters badge and the 'top-dog' prize for the day.  
Many players are enjoying the 'extra run' that we get in these dry conditions.

MEN'S & MIXED MATCH - Scott Saunders

Mens and Mixed match Report - December 2020

Last month has been mainly focused on the Club Championships Qualifying. We also had the Left Handers Trophy's played for.

The winners were

Senior Stroke Champion 2021 - Mike Bond

Intermediate Stroke Champion - Murray Mowat (c/b from Nick Greene)

Junior A Stroke Champion - Alastair Stewart

Junior B Stroke Champion - Graeme Henshaw

Left Handers Gross Champ - Paul Langrope

Left Handers Nett - Allan Anderson.

No activity in the mixed match this month however Janice Rolls and Scott Saunders managed third place at the annual Canterbury Golf Captains Day held at Greendale this year with 77 combined stableford points.

Coming up we have the playing of the Club Matchplay Championship Matches in preparation for the combined finals day after winter.

FINANCE - Leslie McAuley - *Tabled*

CARRIED Ange/Daryl

MEMBERSHIP - Leslie McAuley - *see the last page of these minutes*

HOUSE - Dale Pamment

House Report for Feb/March 2021

Thanks to Brent Small and JR for updating the Price List on the Bar Cash Register. By removing obsolete and unnecessary buttons from the till makes ringing up drinks etc. much easier.

The Gas Bottles have now been returned as requested as no longer required.

We have now changed to Liqourland Lincoln for our liquor requirements for the Bar.

Still waiting for the empty Kegs held in the Lockup shed at the rear of the Club House have been collected.

JR and myself are fine tuning the running of the Bar and allocation of Duties to work smarter not harder.

GREENS CONVENOR - Mike Bond

- The roughs mower should be here this week
- Irrigation test for Ecan has been carried out by waterforce ( \$400)
- The next lot of bunker sand has arrived
- Blair had a run in with Kevin Hughs about just driving onto the course
- Barry Harkess (Ellesmere) wants to buy the second hand mower and are currently negotiating the price.

CANTERBURY CENTRAL - HANDICAPPING - HEALTH & SAFETY - Warwick Butler  
Privacy Plan and Evacuation plan - Scott and Daryl to supply copies

MEDIA/PUBLICITY

REPORTS CARRIED: Scott/Steve

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- 1 Life members - *Lois to compile*
- 2 #9 Damage to House see attached notes from meeting - *signs to be erected*
- 3 Liquor License reimbursement for John Renall - *Leslie*
- 4 Sharing of Liquor License with Bowls Club - *Ange and Nancy working on this sharing arrangement. It was also mentioned that Graham Henshaw is still interested*
- 5 Kevin Hughs coaching - How does everyone feel about Kevin Hughs Blocking off hole/s for up to 2 hours for his coaching. We did give permission to use all the practice areas. This is for the women beginners and the juniors. He also just drives onto the course in his car to the area where he wants to use while members and green fee players are on course - *Scott to compose a letter to Pip and Kevin.*
- 6 Paul Langrope has offered to take over the Website - *Ron to discuss with Paul*
- 7 Mike Boshoff would like to get more involved in the Club. - *he will be encouraged to put his name down for the committee prior to the AGM in October*

### **Summary of meeting with neighbours, Jamie & Janine McNabb, and club representatives Darryl Moore and Barry Larsen**

Wednesday 17 February 2021 - 6.00pm

**Please note that we stated at the outset that all points raised during the meeting would have to be discussed further at the Lincoln Golf Club's next committee meeting in March, before any further action is taken.**

The meeting was very positive and productive, with both parties looking for workable solutions.

From the McNabb's point of view these are the issues:

- 1 Players hitting golf balls into their property. They expected this to happen when they built on the property 4 years ago. However, it's the few balls that hit their house, outside deck/BBQ area, and even the far side of their house, that cause the trouble. These areas are a good 30 or more metres in from the boundary fence.
- 2 Players who venture well inside their boundary onto their deck area and at times around the back side of their house to retrieve balls. They see this as unlawful and an invasion of their property. They have no problem with players going a few metres into the property.
- 3 People who become abusive when entering the property. We assume these to be green fee players who have often consumed alcohol. While it doesn't happen often it does happen.

## Possible solutions discussed during the meeting:

- 1 A temporary, removable screen erected by the 9<sup>th</sup> tee block to encourage players to hit out toward the hole. Jamie has materials to build this with and we would see this as a monitored trial.
- 2 In conjunction with this trial, we could select say 5-10 club members representing a wide variety of handicaps to hit balls off both tees, one evening, to plot the trajectory of the type of shot that ends up in their property. Darryl and I suspect it would be the low to mid handicappers who have the length and ability to either draw or snap hook a shot. In the event of 'snap hooks' we do not think any fence would stop balls going onto their property.
- 3 Signs to be erected on the 9<sup>th</sup> tee block & at the entrance to their property. They stressed that any sign on their boundary fence would not be demanding or intimidating, but rather conciliatory. We stated that any signage would only be made after input and consultation with them as to the wording. They also stated they will happily donate balls collected back to the club for us to use with juniors or as we see fit.
- 4 After a brief discussion we dismissed the possibility of changing the tee block for 9 and or 18 over nearer the club house as being impractical. Several members have stated that by doing this the McNabb's home comes right into their line of vision. It would hold up play substantially as players ability to exit the green and walk up the path to the 1 and 10 tee blocks would be impossible.

### **Further ideas:**

In a brief discussion between Darryl and I after the meeting Darryl made two suggestions that I think would go a long way to solving the problem and am in total support of.

- 1 Ban alcohol on the course - The benefits of this need no further explanation.
- 2 Have all green fee players tee off from the 18<sup>th</sup> tee block when playing hole 9 as well as 18. This is a brilliant idea as it is a win/win solution and would not affect our members at all.

People will say we cannot police these two changes, especially for green fee players, but over time people would fall into line. In any event if players choose to ignore these rules, we as a club, are no worse off.

**Barry Larsen & Darryl Moore**

The meeting concluded at 9.10pm and the next one is set for April 13<sup>th</sup> 7pm

# Lincoln Golf Club

For the period 9 February 2021 to 9 March 2021

## MEMBERS RESIGNED

**Name**

Broodryk, Marcel  
Cruickshank, Cary  
Maw, Ivan  
Mcdowall, Joel  
McLean, Andrea  
Price, Cate

Student  
Ladies 9 Hole  
Social  
Mens Full  
Ladies Full  
Student

## NEW MEMBERS JOINED

**Name**

Banks, Penelope  
Geard, Pam  
Kidd, Paul  
Louden, Tom  
Masala, Shay  
Olivier, Michael  
Rhodes, Quintin  
Shearer, Jessica  
Trott, Heather  
Watts, Ashley  
Woelders, Henry  
Wright, Brian

Mid-Week Ladies  
Ladies Full  
Mens Full  
Student  
Student  
Mens Full  
Student  
Student  
Ladies Full  
Mens Full  
Student  
Mens Full