

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN VETERAN GOLFERS ASSOCIATION
Secretary / Treasurer : Tony Farrow Ph 0438 259 543

MINUTES of meeting held at Royal Perth Golf Club on Tuesday 1st May 2018

PRESENT: Colin Thorniley, Mike Bemrose, Tony Farrow, Gordon Sherlock, Mick Glasson, David Scott, Tom Grimston, , Stan Bartley, Stan Bird

APOLOGIES: Peter Green, Stan Sexton

MINUTES: of previous meeting held on 6/2/2018 confirmed and accepted

BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES:

1. Mid West Country Vets have applied for AVGU membership via the Mid West Golf Association. They will be billed for the annual capitation fee starting from next year

CAPTAINS REPORT

1. Fixtures all going to plan with very good attendance prior to start of senior pennants.
2. Expressions of interest for Geraldton trip to be noted on website. South West vets to be added separately through Peter and Tim.
3. Port Stephens registration is filling quickly and wait list will be available. The use of provisional memberships is being offered and likely to be an ongoing issue to maximise numbers.

SECRETARY / TREASURERS REPORT

Cash Book balance as at 31/3/2018

Bank West	\$15,302
Last year	\$22,245

This is down from last year in line with plan to gradually reduce our surplus cash account.

Details of payments made since previous report was tabled and is attached.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS: Received since previous meeting

Allan Wiseman	Meadow Springs	Michael van Drunen	Lake Karrynyup
Richard Prince	Guilderton	Paul King	Melville Glades
Robert King	Nedlands	David Hearty	Mt Lawley
John Forster	Joondalup	Paul Anderson	Kennedy Bay
Brad Law	Mandurah	Mark O'Donoghue	Cottesloe
Mark Bradbury	WAGC	Ernie Cooley	Seaview
Anthony Oehme	Rockingham	Richard Day	Lakelands
Grant Collis	Mt Lawley		

Current membership	454
New members last year	47
New members year to date	24

CORRESPONDENCE: Nil

SPONSORSHIP:

1. New sponsor signed on for two games – Ravi Gupta’s The Art of Hearing is a hearing aid specialist so hopefully can be of benefit to our members
2. Sponsor donations continue to be received following invoicing and thank you notes by Mike Bemrose.

GENERAL BUSINESS

1. The criteria used to classify golf clubs has changed from A and C class clubs to metropolitan and country golf clubs. WAVGA membership forms and details will be updated to reflect this change. Our application will still specify the need to be a regular playing member at these clubs to qualify.
2. Club championship eligibility will be based on having played at least six games in the current year prior to the championship dates. This requirement will be advised to all members via email.
3. Tom Grimston has undertaken to update our website so that the page containing the minutes of committee meetings is in the members only pages secured by logon.
4. Tom will also take over the end of year carvery requirements from Mike Bemrose who has done a terrific job for us over the last few years.
5. Gordon Sherlock will review a more equitable scoring option for the City vs Country challenge match that takes into account the difference in playing numbers. Will be proposed prior to the next challenge at Mandurah in November.
6. Mick Glasson proposed that we should review an updated WAVGA logo as part of the lead up to the AVGU championships. It was agreed by a vote to proceed with some options for review with a likely cost of \$500
7. David Scott outlined further developments re the 2021 AVGU championships and the preparation of a draft sponsorship proposal outlining gold, silver & bronze sponsorship packages
8. WA Tourism funding options to be assessed for availability to cover costs of “keep the date “ flyer printing to be circulated at earlier AVGU champs.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday 3rd July RPGC at 10.30 am