

**ORMGA QUARTERLY MEETING  
MAY 11, 2010**

President McCafferty called the meeting to order at 6:35 pm. Thirty-nine members attended. There were no new members in attendance. Rick asked for the approval of the previous meeting minutes as written and it was passed.

**Treasurer Report**

Geo Cassidy reported that as of May 3, there were 187 paid members and 175 have hole-in-one insurance. The total cash on hand is \$ 4829.24. The hole-in-one cash on hand is \$ 1353.71. There have been 5 hole-in-ones so far this year. John Hill, Geo Cassidy, Bernie Powers, Dick Sherwood and Bob Callihan. Don Roland said any time we have hole-in-ones and eagles made to let him know and he will try to get that in the Brunswick Beacon.

**Tournament Committee**

Guy reported that the league play chairs have been doing a great job in handling the play for these days. Fatzinger/Shuster on Mondays and James/Harrington on Wednesdays. We already have volunteers for replacements for these chairs for next time. We are getting 13 tee times on Lions and Panthers and 9 on Tigers. However, the coordinators have been able to get additional tee times based on the number of alternates signed up. This has been causing some problems because people keep changing and dropping at the last minute. The coordinators have been trying to keep everyone informed, but it has been difficult. Please be sure you check your e-mails, and you should assume you are scheduled to play when you have signed up as an alternate if they get extra tee times for the alternate spots. Remember, if there is a question, you can always check with the coordinators by telephone. If you find an "undo" late in the signup time and you put your name in there with 10 alternates showing, you should have the courtesy to contact the coordinator to find out how things will stack up. There was a question on the sign up sheets. They all open on a Sat. and are open for 25 days. Then Monday's sheet closes on the Thursday. before and the Wednesday sheet closes on the Saturday before. The first couple of tournaments this year were a problem because of the weather. However, the directors did a good job keeping things straight.

January- Winter Frolic- Directors- Bill Johnson & Bob Dugan  
1<sup>st</sup> Flt. Winner Dave Janowski, 2<sup>nd</sup> Flt. Winner Dave Patterson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Flt winner Paul Socha

February- Stableford- Directors- Bob Ludman & Gordon Wicke  
Winners- Rich O'Connor and Don Bridwell

March- Member-Member- Directors- Bob Hartman and Bob Simon  
Winners - Ted Pounds and Pat Russo

April- Green Coat – Directors- Bill Bixler and Frank Thomas  
Winners- Gary Haberstadt and Bill Smith

June- Scramble- Directors- Greg Kent and Tom Russell

This tournament is going to change this year. There will be two flights, one Gold tee flight and one white tee flight. Go to the web site for the new information on the tournament. If you have any questions check with the directors.

The second day of the tournament will be played on Tiger's now with Panthers being closed. You will only be required to pay what you would have paid at Panthers based upon your membership plan for 2010.

Presidents Cup- If you sign up to play a PC match on a regular league play day and there are not enough playing spots for all the signups, then you will only be given a regular playing spot and you will have to reschedule your PC match.

#### **Communications-**

Wally reminded everyone that there is a spot on the home page of the ORMGA web site under Players Pool to list your name if you are looking for playing partners for any tournaments. President McCafferty thanked Wally for all the great work he does on the web site.

#### **Handicap Committee-**

Terry Zuk said there was a problem with the handicap list provided by the Pro shop. This list was inaccurate and they called some people in error for not posting scores. The problem has been solved and that should not happen again. So make sure you post your score correctly.

### **Old Business**

**SLOW PLAY**--- We still seem to be experiencing slow play, and it is not all the outside players. Some suggestions were made to try and speed up play.

1. Don't stand at your cart after you finish a hole and clean your club and put them away. Do that at the next hole. The same goes for sitting and putting the score down.
2. Take the cart to the furthest point around the green and out of the way.
3. Split up from the cart as soon as possible and take clubs to your ball. We could all use the exercise.
4. If you can not see the group in front of you and only the group behind you, you are probably playing too slow.

Let's all be aware of the pace of play so everyone can finish in reasonable time. Thanks

### **General**

1. Focus Group notes are on the web site.
2. If you did not get the e-mail about the situation with the repairs for Panthers then you are probably not on the e-mail list at the Pro Shop. If you call, they can add you to their list.
3. Presently, you can only change between the gold tees and white tees once a year, unless you have an unusual problem. The Tournament committee is going to review a possible change to this policy. However, USGA rules have to be considered.
4. Ocean Ridge Golf is requesting everyone to refrain from walking, biking or playing on Panthers during the course repairs.

THAT'S ALL FOLKS!!!!

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30

Respectfully Submitted

Bob Theiss  
Secretary ORMGL