



General Membership Spring Meeting –  
April 6, 2017

**Executive Board Members Present:** (ABSENT)

President:	Linda Celestre
Vice-President:	(Mary Brock)
Treasurer:	Chris Herauf
Secretary:	Kixie Pugh

**Board Members Present:** (ABSENT)

**Standing Committees:**

Handicap Chair:	(Julia Goodermote)
IT/Website/Newsletter:	Rae Morrow
Rules Chair:	Dianne Nicholson
Tournament Chair Thursday:	Michelle Matthews
Tournament Chair Saturday:	(Kimberly Carden)
Special Events/Social Chair:	Patti Henderson
Eclectic Chair:	Judy Pierce
Birdie Tree/Chip-In Chair:	Margaret Turner
High Sierra Team Play Captain:	Tammy Vineyard
Membership Chair:	Sue Annala
Historian/Scrapbook:	Pam Kolko
Sunshine Chair:	Marianne Sass

**Special Committee Members Present:** (ABSENT)

Member-Guest Tournament Chair:	*Pam Kolko
D'Hawk Tournament Chair:	*Kixie Pugh
Intra-Club Tournament:	*Michelle Matthews
Golf Goddess:	Janie Smith

**Other Attendees Present:**

Becky Blohm, Jere Blue, Diane Burkett, Liz Bush-Ive, Patty Caraker, Sheri Carlsen, Jean Case, Linda Collins, Fran Cool, Linda Dankoff, Karol Davis, Barbara Hartmann, Peggy Hickman, Judy Holladay, Patsy Hottendorf, Kathy Hudson, Laura Jones, Launi Logan, Juleen Marcuerquiaga, Jean Martin, Connie Nelson, Tona Reilly, Nora Riccabona, Carey Smith, Char Swanson, Sharon Turner, Patti Verling, Mical Willner



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**Spring General Membership Meeting of the RHWGC** - called to order by President, Linda Celestre at 5:02 pm

1. **Golf Pro**, Jeff Hwang gave a brief report that included information regarding the schedule of clinics that he will be offering throughout the spring and summer. Please check the Red Hawk website or call the Pro Shop to check it out and to sign up if interested. Jeff also reported that the Private Club at Red Hawk has acquired 15 new members since last fall. This year will produce the first male and female Red Hawk Player of the Year. The P of Y will be decided by a cumulation of points earned from all of the Private Club Tournaments throughout the 2017 year. Rumor has it that a Private Parking spot may be part of the newly coveted prize. Finally, Jeff said that if you have any questions or ideas, please give him a call.
2. **Introduction** of the 2017 Board Members was made by President, Linda Celestre.
3. **Minutes** from the October 29, 2017 Fall General Membership meeting were presented for approval. There being no corrections or additions, *a motion was made by Patsy Hottendorf and seconded by Linda Dankoff to approve the minutes as presented. The minutes were approved.*
4. **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Chris Herauf. Chris passed out a summary of our club's finances through the 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2017. After a review of our finances on the handout, Chris summarized that we are not in the red, we are solvent and we are working within our budget this year to produce a great year for all. Extra copies to the financial report may be found in the Ladies' Member Lounge. *A motion was made by Dianne Nicholson and seconded by Jere Blue to approve the treasure's report as presented. The report was approved.*
5. **Thursday Tournament Chair** – Michelle Matthews shared that we will try again next Thursday and hopefully get better weather than today's, which resulted in the cancellation of our golf scramble kick off. She went on to report that she was seeking volunteers from our ladies' group to help with Thursday sign ins on Play Day. If most everyone volunteered one time, we would have the summer covered. A signup sheet for the first few months was passed around. Signups for Play Days will be done via Michelle's email being sent on Fridays and replied to by Mondays for Thursday's play. Michelle's goal is to "mix things up" a bit this year to enable people to play with different people as much as possible. She also shared that we would be having Guest Days periodically throughout the summer. This gives everyone a chance to invite visiting



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guests as well as local guests to play with our Red Hawk Ladies from time to time. After much discussion as to whether a Guest should or should not be included in our Game of the Day and Closest to the Pin, *Liz Bush-Ivie moved and Linda Collins seconded that a vote be held with the following options and subsequent results after the motion carried:*

- a. No inclusion in Game or Closest = 1 vote
- b. Closest to the Pin only with buy in = 33 votes
- c. Game of D and Closest with buy in = 7 votes

***Therefore, the decision that Guests may buy in and participate in the Closest to the Pin, but not in the Game of the Day, will be upheld for the 2017 season.***

Michelle explained that if our Golf Play Day is cancelled due to inclement weather, or any other unforeseen circumstance, she will send out a mass email notifying golfers about 90 min prior to the shot gun. Finally, we are trying something new this year for “the 19<sup>th</sup> hole.” When you sign in for golf in the morning, if you so choose, you will be given two choices for a nice meal upon completion of the day’s round of golf for only \$13. (This includes tax, tip, and a non-alcoholic beverage.)

6. **Saturday Tournament Chair** – Kimberly Carden will be this year’s chair once again and she will keep things pretty much the same as last year.
7. **NNWGA** – Juleen Marcuerquiaga reported that NNWGA has lots of fun tournaments planned for the year ahead. There is a Rules Clinic 101 on April 28<sup>th</sup> that will cover golf etiquette as well as basic rules. June 9<sup>th</sup> will be the date for Rules Clinic 201 which covers more complicated rules. May 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> are the dates for some great half day clinics followed by 9 holes of play. Several other tournaments are planned throughout the summer so please see the NNWGA booklet (a copy is in the Ladies Members Lounge) or visit [www.nnwga.org](http://www.nnwga.org) website for all the details and more. Make it a routine to read the information listed along with your GHIN report twice monthly and you will get info and reminders on all of the NNWGA news and upcoming rule changes.
8. **Special Events** – Patti Henderson reported on a very successful St. Patrick’s Day Dinner. Patti also thanked all those who helped at the event. (Dan Caraker-music, Jean & Ray Case- check in, Ray & Bill Morrow, Jack Foltz, Ed Davis, Don McAlister, Ron Henderson- Poker Walk, Cat Crispel & Rodney Damasco- putting contest, Gayle Foltz & Margie McAllister- corn toss) Patti read a thank you that she sent to Dave for two \$50 gift card donations from Red Hawk along with words of gratitude to him and the staff for making Red Hawk such a great place. Dave replied that his staff is here to care for its members. In conclusion, Patti said that her committee (Patti, Karol Davis, & Margie Mcalister) is planning a BBQ for August or September which would include spouses or guests playing 9 holes of golf with the BBQ following.



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9. **IT/Website/Newsletter** – Rae Morrow announced that the first Newsletter came out this week. Rae hopes to continue publishing the Newsletter near the first of each month. She is always looking for pictures and exciting news regarding our Red Hawk members and/or community that might be appropriate for our RHWGC Newsletter. Rae also shared that she has launched a new website just today. Check it out at: [www.rhwgc.com](http://www.rhwgc.com)
10. **Intra Club Chair** – Michelle Matthews announced that the Intra Club Tourney will be held on August 10 & 17. Details will come out as the event gets closer.
11. **D'Hawk Chair** – Kixie Pugh & Chris Herauf reported that the event will be held on June 6<sup>th</sup>. A Blind Draw Tourney is being planned with two Red Hawk ladies and two D'Andrea ladies in each foursome. We will have a Blind Draw cocktail party at Chris Herauf's home on the night of Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>. Tuesday will be the D'Hawk Tournament followed by a luncheon and the announcement of the winning teams. Mark your calendars for June 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> - a tournament of fun and friendship. Signups and more details next month.
12. **Member/Guest Chair** – Pam Kolko explained a bit about our upcoming M/G tournament which is scheduled for July 19 & 20. The Horse Race will be on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> on the Hills Course followed by the Putting Contest and a light dinner. (No Taco Bar) On Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup> we will have the golf tournament followed by the luncheon and awards/raffle. The cost is going to be \$120 for the themed tourney "It's All About the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole." SAVE THE DATE!
13. **Golf Goddess Chair** – Janie Smith thanked Linda Dankoff for sharing Quiche and all of last year's information on the Golf Goddess Tournament with her. Signups for the tournament are being taken currently and will continue until April 23<sup>rd</sup>. The cost is \$30 and checks are to be made out to RHWGC and sent to Chris Herauf. Her address is in our booklets. The four Matches are to be played between May 1st and September 30<sup>th</sup>. Flights will be posted in the Ladies Lounge. When turning in score cards to the envelope in Jeff's office, please make sure your Match Play points as well as postable scores are on the card. You and your opponent will make your own tee times or you may play on or Ladies's Play Day, but you will NOT be part of the day's game or eclectic/birdies. You will play with your opponent ONLY in Match Play format. Michelle or Kimberly will put you and your Match Play Partner out ahead or behind the ladies group if you notify them accordingly.



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14. **Birdie & Chip-in Chair** – Margaret Turner said that she will be posting Birdies & Chip-ins in the Ladies Lounge and in the Newsletter. It was suggested that perhaps Rae could put on Website as well.
15. **Eclectic Chair** – Judy Pierce requested that everyone check the lists which she provided on the tables in order to make sure that your name is on the list if you signed up for Ec this year. Also, please read the guidelines for Eclectic which are posted in the Ladies Lounge and published in the Newsletter.
16. **Membership** – Sue Annala introduced and welcomed two of our three new members: Tona Reilly and Mical Willner, who were both present at our meeting. Deb Stewart was not in attendance, but we welcome Deb too.

**In Conclusion**, After speaking with one of our Founding Members, Anna Maitoza on Wednesday, Linda Celestre gave all of us an “Anna update.” First, Anna wants to thank everyone for all of the cards, flowers, visits, and emails that she has received over the past few weeks. Anna shared that she will undergo surgery this Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> and will have about a ten-day hospital stay followed by chemo. She is requesting no visitors until further notice, but cards and emails are great.

*A motion was made by Juleen Marcuerquiaga and seconded by Linda Collins for adjournment. The motion carried.*

Meeting Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.  
Presented by Kixie Pugh, Secretary  
Next General Membership Meeting: October 28, 2017