



## Minutes of the Cornwall Ladies Captains Society AGM

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2021 at Lanhydrock Golf Club at 5.30 pm.

In the absence of the President the Captain opened the meeting at 4.00pm. She gave the President's apologies who was unable to attend because of a recent bereavement.

The secretary read out the names of the Past captains who had passed away in the last year and asked all to stand for a minute's silence. The names given were: Jacquie Klag – Lanhydrock & Newquay; Doreen Gough – Carlyon Bay and Pat Crowson former County Secretary – Killiow.

### 1. Apologies for Absence

Jane Wooldridge, Carol Mitcham, Theresa Brierley, Angela Lawrence, Rita Worswick, Jeanette Coates, Melanie Pepper, Sally Markham, Janet Hawken, & Pat Hodges.

2. Minutes of the last meeting, AGM 2020, these were issued prior to the meeting for everyone to read. It should be noted that due to the Covid epidemic the AGM was held by Virtual email in 2020. They were approved. Proposed by Jenny Hamilton. Seconded by Mo Hammond.

### 3. Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

4. President's Report There was no report from the President because of her recent bereavement.
5. Captain's Report - attached to the end of the minutes.
6. Secretary's Report – attached to the end of the minutes
7. Treasurer's Report – attached to the end of the minutes
8. Elected Officers

President: Pat Hodges until 2023

Retiring Captain: Brenda Williamson

Secretary: Letitia Rivett-Old until 2022

Treasurer: Jenny Hamilton until 2022

Committee members: Anna Harry and Lynne Dickinson until 2023.

### 9. Election of Officers

Captain: Maggie Holmes, proposed Brenda Williamson, seconded Susan Pascoe, elected unanimously

Vice-Captain: Susan Pascoe, proposed Maggie Holmes, seconded Letitia Rivett-Old elected unanimously.

There was one vacancy on the committee because Beverley Sullivan had served for 3 years. However, no nominations were received by the required date prior to the AGM. The committee had invited Shirley Still to be co-opted to the committee to which she agreed.

## CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Good Afternoon Ladies

This has been the last day of my captaincy.

It has been a real privilege to hold this honoured position and I have enjoyed the challenge.

Unfortunately after setting up the first part of this year's matches due to the pandemic they had to be cancelled.

I would like to thank the committee for their hard work and support especially Letitia our secretary and Jenny our treasurer.

You have all been in these positions and know how hard they work behind the scenes.

I am pleased to say that we managed to play against Devon at Newquay in July and won 3/2 in glorious sunshine.

The vets match at Carlyon Bay in September we also won 5/2 and was played in great spirit as there were a lot of ladies with divided loyalties! We were very lucky with lovely weather that day too.

I would like to thank all the Past Captains who played in the matches and apologise to the ladies who didn't get the chance to play.

My thanks to Newquay, Carlyon Bay and Lanhydrock for giving us courtesy of the courses and thanks to Clare and Graham all their help in setting up today's Autumn meeting.

I would like to wish Maggie, your new Captain, a successful Year.

Brenda Williamson.

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## Secretary's Report October 2021

Obviously, the events this year have been curtailed because of the continued pandemic and subsequent lockdown. During the lockdowns we managed to have several Zoom committee meetings, which I would like to thank Janet Hawken for arranging. Once committee members had become accustomed to Zoom it was enjoyable to see everyone. Although dealing, with how much more golf would have to be, postponed / cancelled was less enjoyable.

However, it was possible to hold the Millennium Trophy. The response was pleasing with 17 clubs entering out of a possible 28. All the matches were very close in each round with most of them going to the 18<sup>th</sup> and beyond. One went to the twenty first hole.

All the players were very good at arranging their matches well before the closing date of each round and letting me know the result.

The final was played between Sarah Shobrook from Perranporth and Deb Sedgeman from West Cornwall, at Lanhydrock golf club, on the 15<sup>th</sup> September. It was a close match although the score does not reflect this, with Deb Sedgeman winning 5 & 4.

Fortunately, it has been possible to hold the Autumn Meeting. The entries are in line with the years prior to the pandemic. Originally 48 entries, only 4 less than in 2019 at Killiow, down

to 46 today. I would like to thank Brenda, our captain, for all the organising she has done to make sure the Autumn meeting was able to go ahead.

In 2019 I mentioned in my report that the format of the next Autumn Meeting would be a Better Ball. It has been impossible to have a Better Ball competition because of the tee times we were allocated.

The introduction of the World Handicap System is having an influence on Society Competitions. This will mean that the Spring and Autumn Meetings will need to be reviewed by the committee, which we will be doing at the Committee Meeting in November.

Finally, I would like to thank all the committee for their help and support during all the different lockdowns.

Letitia Rivett-Old

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#### Treasurers Report

Please see attached balance sheet.

Members present were reminded of the fixtures for 2022 and asked to sign up on the availability sheets if they wished to be considered for selection to play against the other South West counties.

There was no other business. The meeting closed at 6.00pm. Followed by the presentation of prizes and trophies including the Millennium Trophy

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_