

General Committee 15 Decr 1949

Present: - A Hobson (Captain), R Bennett, W Brown, W O Bolt, L Butlin, N S Dale, J H Firth, J Harrop, E S Jones, H Swallow, T H E D Turner and R Wood.

Apology for absence received from H H Cawthron.

Minutes of last monthly meeting held November 17th were read & confirmed.

Minutes of the Handicap, House and Green Sub Committees were approved and adopted.

The following accounts were passed for payment:-

Stamford Estates Office £58-11-9, Income tax £46-13-9, London Oil Refining Co £5-2-6, Hurst Laundry £1-9-6, Tom King £15-4-6, AuL Corporation £4-2-6, J Bailey (Oldham) Ld £3-4-9, H Dickinson 7/6, W Brown & Sons Ld £4-19-0, J W Hall (AuL) Ld 9/5, S Cartwright Ld £1-11-6, Gratuities £8. Total £149-16-8.

The following nominations were balloted for, unanimously approved and the names ordered to be put on the "Waiting List".

Playing	Mr A Whitworth	22 Stockport Rd	C Buckley J S Jones
Junior	Miss E M Hague	1 Montague Rd	J Hague W G Baker

Resolved: That the Captain, Ex-Captain, Messrs W Brown, R Bennett, & N S Dale be appointed as the Calendar Sub-Committee.

The Catering Sub-Committee reported that they had met on the 6th December to consider a list of charges for meals and refreshments, submitted by the Stewardess, which were approved subject to slight variations.

It was decided the usual Xmas Gratuities be made viz £1 each to the Steward & Stewardess, Waitress, Pro and Pro's Wife and Brooks, Lees and Ogden.

A letter was received from the Lady Secretary requesting permission to play L G U Competitions without "placing". Agreed to.

The Secretary read a letter from Mr Norman Howarth complaining of the objectionable and disrespectful behaviour of the Steward regarding the closing of the bar on Saturday the 19th November last. It was decided the Captain & Secretary interview the Steward and inform him very definitely that such conduct would not be tolerated, and that any repetition would be regarded very seriously by the Committee.

A letter was read from the President of the Lancs Union of Golf Clubs intimating that it was proposed to amend Rule 11 to read "Each Club joining the Union shall pay an entrance fee of £1-0-0 and the Annual Subscription for each club shall be assessed on the basis of one shilling per full male member of the Club. It was decided that no objection be made to the proposed amendment of Rule.

Notice was also received of the Second Annual County Handicap Competition.

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A hearty vote of thanks to the Captain for presiding terminated the Meeting.

* The Treasurer submitted a report on the Finances of the Club, and it was decided that a special meeting be held on January 12th to consider the report along with additional information which Mr Treasurer promised to supply.

A Hobson
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