

Minutes of the CGLMC Ltd Tournament Committee Meeting held in the Boardroom, Links House on 15th August 2023

Present: Colin Yule (Chairman), L Gordon (Tournament Convenor), R Wardlaw, C McNicoll, P Goudie.

In Attendance: K McNicoll (PGA Head Professional)

Meeting began at 1731 hours.

Apologies:

I Frier, A McCartney.

2. Declaration of Interest

There were none.

3. Decision Papers

3.1 2024 Tournament Entry Fees

The Tournament Convenor introduced the 2024 Tournament Entry Fees paper and the Head Professional referenced the main points of each individual tournament and entry fee.

Craws Nest Tassie

The entry of £425.00 was agreed by the committee. The STH entry price of £210.00 was also approved by the committee.

Senior Open, Cant Cup and Women's Senior Open

The entry fee of £40.00 was agreed by the committee. The STH entry fee of £20.00 was also approved by the committee.

Junior Open

It was recommended to continue to provide this event free of charge to competitors.

Northern Ladies

The entry fee was decided in consultation with the Northern Ladies Open Committee. £60.00 entry fee and £20.00 for STH.

The committee were supportive of the decision paper and agreed to the Full Board for approval.

4. Paul Lawrie Summer Meeting

The Tournament Convenor introduced the discussion paper and the Head Professional referenced the main discussion point relating to the low entry for the Paul Lawrie Summer Meeting event over the past 3 seasons on the Buddon and Burnside courses. It was agreed that the entry format is adapted in 2024 to encourage more Season Ticket Holder play on the courses that day. Entry numbers will be reviewed and compared to deem if the change was successful.

5. Any Other Competent Business

Referees

A trustee enquired about the availability of referees for the Links Championship finals and was aware some finals didn't have a referee present. The Head Professional had asked for referees to attend from the Season Ticket Holder referee pool but there weren't enough referees available to cover all finals. The Head Professional will look to recruit more referees for future events.

Scottish Golf Meeting

The Head Professional informed the committee about a recent meeting with the Scottish Golf National Women's Coach and the desire to create more World Amateur Ranking events in Scotland for Scottish elite amateur women to participate in. Scottish Golf will return with a proposal and update in the coming months but Carnoustie Golf Links will look to support a tournament and may be able to adapt the Ladies Northern Open in 2025 to help facilitate such an event.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1810 hours.