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# **SATURDAY STROLLERS GOLF SOCIETY** [Est 1998]

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## **MINUTES ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**Held on Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> November 2019 at 7.30 p.m.  
in the Green Room, Leopardstown Golf Centre**

*Apologies were received from Sally O'Connell, Jovita Breen, Susan Byrne, Una McElwee, Lys Duff, Dolores Farrelly, Mary Alyward, Noreen McGeehan, Cathy Newell, Linda Corrigan and Niamh Quinn.*

### **1. Captain's Welcome**

Lady Captain Joyce welcomed Lady President Therese, all the members of AGM and thanked them for attending.

### **2. Minutes of AGM 2018**

The Minutes of the previous year's AGM were read by the Honorary Secretary and on the proposal of Dympna McCabe and seconded by Aideen O'Leary the minutes were adopted and signed by Captain Joyce.

### **3. Captains Report**

#### **January**

13 Pavillion Members-7 Members left- 9 new Members -Total Members  
130. 3 Birdies-Dympna Mc Cabe, Aideen O'Leary and Mary Quinn.

Player of the month-Paula Gray (Catagory

B) Start of Spring Lamb and GOY

competitions. **February**

8 Birdies-Jacinta,Sandy,Anite.Margo,Dympna,Kay,Marie Maher and Marian  
Benville, Eagle- Linda Corrigan.

Player of month-Marian Benville (Catagory A)

16<sup>th</sup> February-meet and greet with Lady President and new members for coffee and scones.

26<sup>th</sup> February -Rules Night with Yvonne Cassidy who explained with visuals the 20 new rules  
that come into play this year and shared night with other societies.

#### **March**

2 Birdies- Marie Kelly and Anne O'Connell.

Player of month-Connie Collins (C)

Captains Drive In on 2<sup>nd</sup> March, buffet was lovely and great to see good  
turnout. 16<sup>th</sup> March Shamrock Special. First gold day cancelled.

#### **April**

Birdie-Kay Kennedy.

Player of month Brenda Robinson (B)

6<sup>th</sup> April-Away Day to Charlesland, beautiful day, had 20 competing,the winners in Cat A were  
Marie Kelly, Mary Coyne and Catherine Cathcart and Cat B were Therese Cahill, Paula Gray and  
Berniece Keatley.

#### **May**

Birdie-Karin Ryan

Player of month- Karin Ryan.

18<sup>th</sup> May-Charity Day for Arthritis Ireland which raised 1,785 euro, lots of raffle prizes for everyone, thanks to you all for donations and committee for hard work.

## **June**

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7 Birdies- Lindsey, Erika and Karin who had 3, Marie Kelly had 2, Aideen O'Brien had 2, and Marian Byrnes.

Player of month-Berniece Keatley (C)

15<sup>th</sup> June Captains Day-9/18 hole competitions, great day had and Captains Prize won by Niamh Quinn. Lovely meal and evening in National Yacht Club.

## **July**

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Birdies-Noreen Mc Geehan, Karin Ryan (4), Anne O'Connell (3), Mary Morrissey and Sally O'Connell.

Player of month-Maria Brandon (B)

20<sup>th</sup> July-Sunshine Special with 3 prizes in each category.

## **August**

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Birdies- Ursula, Sandy (2), Marie Maher (2), Erika (2), Maureen Kelly, Claire O'Callaghan and Margot (2)

Player of month-Mary Mc Nulty (A)

August 10<sup>th</sup> was Summer Tournament with the winners-Karin Ryan, Anita Scully and Maura Murphy.

August 31<sup>st</sup> was Presidents Day, 9/18 hole competitions, lovely day and lots of prizes. Presidents Prize won by Dymphna Mc Cabe, Joyce won 2<sup>nd</sup> in Cat(B) and lovely meal had in Green Room.

Matchplay Winner was Marian Byrnes and runner up was Anne O'Connell.

## **September**

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Birdie-Catherine Cathcart

Player of month Margaret Woods (C)

14<sup>th</sup> September- weekend away in Glassan Country Hotel and Golf Club. We had 34 members playing and were blessed with good weather. Winners -Cat(A) Patricia Murphy, Dymphna Mc Cabe and Aideen O'Leary. Cat (B) Kathryn Geraghty, Linda Galligan and Teresa Gaffney.

29<sup>th</sup> September Ping Competition finalists-Kathryn Geraghty and Jackie Sharpe.

## **October**

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Start of Turkey competitions

19<sup>th</sup> October- Away Day to woodenbridge Golf Club with 20 members playing, unfortunately weather was not kind but enjoyed by all. Winners Cat(A) Claire O'Callaghan, Patricia Murphy and Aideen O'Leary. --Cat (B) Theresa Gaffney, Anne O'Hanlon and Mary Quinn.

## **November**

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Next event on November 30<sup>th</sup> which is a team event followed by mince pies and mulled wine. December 7<sup>th</sup>- Xmas Party in Foxrock Golf Club.

## **4. Treasurer's Report**

The Treasurer provided an overview of the accounts for the year 2018/2019. Following clarification of a number of questions raised the accounts were adopted on the proposal of Dorothy Gray and seconded by Joan Staunton.

The Treasurer, who was stepping down from the Committee, conveyed her thanks and appreciation to the Lady Captain and the Committee for the experience gained from being on the Committee and acknowledged the hard work that they undertook on behalf of all the members.

## **5. Election of 2021 Committee**

New members on 2020 Committee are Niamh Quinn, Catherine Murtagh and Karen Clinton.

## **6. Motions**

No motions were received.

**7. Incoming Lady Captain’s Address**

Vice-Captain Paula addressed Lady President Therese, Lady Captain Joyce and her fellow Stroller members. She thanked Lady Captain Joyce for the great honour of inviting her to be Vice-Captain and said that she was very much looking forward to taking up her duties as Captain in the new year.

She commended Lady Captain Joyce on her dedication and hard work during the year, which was a great success, and called for a round of applause. She confirmed that she had invited Karen Clinton, Catherine Murtagh Mooney and Niamh Quinn to join the Committee in 2020 and was delighted that all three had accepted.

She was delighted to confirm that Margaret Woods had accepted her invitation to take up the role as Vice-Captain for 2020. She said that Margaret was a great choice and that she would be a great support to her during her year as Captain.

She informed the members that her Charity Day would be in aid of Merchants Quay Ireland which assists those less fortunate in our society by way of night cafes, shelters, breakfasts and providing assistance in finding homes.

She also informed the members that the golf holiday in October 2020 would be to Marrakesh in Morocco. Full details of the holiday would be circulated after the meeting for those interested in signing up.

**8. Any Other Business**

There was no further business.

**9. Captain’s Closing Remarks.**

Joyce wished Paula all the best for her incoming year and closed the AGM by saying that her year was full of happy memories.

**Signed**

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**LADY CAPTAIN**

**Date ----- 2020**