**MEETING MINUTES**

**Lake Valley Ladies League**

**Fall Closing Meeting**

**SEPTEMBER 25, 2025**

**ATTENDEES:**

PRESIDENT-BARB SCHAFFERT, VICE PRESIDENT-DONNA WOELBLING. SECRETARY-ANGELA NIELSEN, TREASURER-CINDY SCRIBNER, 18 HOLE CHAIR-JULIE MONROE, 9 HOLE CHAIR-JUDY SWANSON

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE IN ATTENDANCE FOR THIS MEETING:

Barb Morris, Cheryll McGuire, Kathy Gale, Joan Edwards, Mary Mietz, Toni Ledbetter, Kelly Donovan, Betty Beal, Linda West, Renee Newman, Priscilla Stewart, Cindy Tyler, Carla Ball, Melanie McFadden, Nancy Allen, Ruth Neiman. We also welcomed new member Jackie King.

The Minutes from the April 24, 2025 meeting were approved.

**Treasurer’s Report**

Cindy Scribner read the report-The members voted in favor of donating $325 to the Camdenton Girl’s Golf Team.

Barb Schaffert proposed a budget amendment, section 3 to Article III adding a Fiduciary and Financial Responsibility clause requiring any expense outside of the budget that exceeds $200, shall be approved by the members. All members voted in favor of this amendment.

Julie Monroe suggested that in addition to monetary donations, we could also volunteer our time as a group next season. Linda West put together a list of possible charities for our consideration.  This will be discussed in more detail at the opening meeting next season.

**CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The 2025 League Champions are as follows:

18-hole Red Gross- Joan Edwards

18-hole Orange Gross- Suzie Sawyer

18-hole net- Deanna Starnes

9-hole Red Gross- Judy Swanson

9-hole Orange Gross- Jessie Weast

9-hole net- Nancy Allen

The format for The League Championship for next season was discussed. The board will provide options to be voted on at the spring meeting.

**RED/BLUE**

The Blue Team beat the Red team in competition this season with a score of 1111 to 1040.

Deanna Starns accumulated the most points for the 18 holers.

Cindy Tyler accumulated the most points for the 9 holers.

Next season all members will be required to play in at least two RED/BLUE competitions to be eligible for a prize.

**INTER-CITY**

Joan Edwards presented the results of this season’s Inter-City competition. Lake Valley came in 3rd place! We narrowly missed 2nd place by 1 point.

**50+**

Cindy Tyler spoke about 50+.  There is one tournament in the spring and one in the fall. The initial dues for 50+ are $35, thereafter the dues are $15 annually. She would like to encourage more participation from Lake Valley.

**OSAGE CUP**

October 8th at Lake Valley and October 9th at Osage National $45. First tee times are at 9:00. We will be wearing pink both days.

**SPRINGFIELD COUNTRY CLUB SCRAMBLE**

Oct 14, 2025, 8:30 Registration and 9:00 tee time, lunch to follow.

Cost is $30, please sign up by Tuesday October 7, 2025.

**OUTGOING BOARD MEMBERS**

Cindy Scribner-Treasurer

Julie Monroe-18 Hole Chair

Judy Swanson-9 Hole Chair

**NEW BOARD MEMBERS NOMINATED FOR 2026**

Julie Monroe – Treasurer motion brought by Donna Woebling, 2nd by Joan Edwards

Barb Morris- 18 Hole Chair, motion brought by Cindy Tyler, 2nd by Cheryll McGuire

Cindy Tyler- 9 Hole Chair, motion brought by Judy Swanson, 2nd by Mary Meitz

Members voted unanimously to approve the nominations.

**OPENING DAY**

Next season will begin April 23, 2026, 8:00 breakfast and meeting, followed by a 9:00 tee time. Please sign up via email or in the pro shop by noon the Tuesday before league play.

GAMES:

18 hole and 9-hole leagues will play their own games except for the opening day scramble, Appreciation Day, and The Revenge Tournament. 9-hole members can choose to play with the 18 holers if there is a game they would like to participate in. It was also discussed that aside from RED/BLUE and the scrambles, that playing blind games would be a good option for league days.

There was a rule change stating that a max of 10 could be recorded on any hole. The ball will be picked up at that time, recorded on the scorecard as a pickup and the player will not be eligible to win anything on that hole.

Questions about rules regarding options/penalties for lost balls were brought up by Toni Ledbetter. Joan Edwards and Julie Monroe explained the rules and it was determined that we will publish a list of Local Rules.  It was also suggested by Betty Beal that we may want to do a short clinic each year out on the course regarding out of bounds, lost balls, hazard etc.

**LADIES INVITATIONAL**

May 21, 2026, the theme is Mardi Gras.  The fee is $100 to include the appetizer party the previous evening. Players may opt out of the appetizer party and pay a fee of $85.

Lake Valley members will be allowed to register early, and Rob has requested that we bring in outside golfers as a team vs playing with each other if possible.

Volunteers will be needed for this event.

The following people will head up the committees but will need participation from other members as well.

Breakfast-Cindy Scribner

50/50-Judy Swanson

Donations-Donna Woelbling

Course games-Kelly Donovan (4 games) Will we offer mulligans, 2 putt rule?

We still need volunteers to head up the appetizer party, set up and tear down, registration tables etc.

More information to come.

Meeting adjourned