



Meeting Minutes

Date: Thursday, May 2, 2013
 Location: Conference Call
 Group: MAC Golf Coaches

PRESENT

MAC Office: Ken Andrews, Jenn Noon (FDU, Operations Liaison)					
Albright:	Bill Moyer	Elizabethtown:		Manhattanville:	
Alvernia:	Jon King	FDU-Florham:	Roger Kindell	Messiah:	Troy Boone
Arcadia:	Rick Brownell	Hood:	Tom Dickman	Misericordia:	Trevor Woodruff
Del Val:	Frank Wolfgang	King's:	J.P. Andreko	Stevenson:	Chris Ramer
DeSales:	Jim Booros	Lebanon Valley:	Mike Swisher	Widener:	Brian Sheehan
Eastern:	Mark Birtwistle	Lycoming:	Jaime Spencer	Wilkes:	Guy Rotherie

Call to Order: Ken Andrews called the meeting to order at 9:00.

1. Return To Hershey	Proposed by:
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Discussion:
 Yes, return to Hershey. No negative votes.

2. Hotel Change If Needed	Proposed by: Troy Boone
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Discussion:
 Troy Boone (Mess): Brand new Marriott Fairfield that just opened up three weeks ago. Price is \$112 per room. No vouchers, full breakfast. Between Best Western and Hershey CC on Chocolate Ave.
 Ken Andrews: Everyone but Lycoming, Etown, LVC, Messiah currently stays at the hotel.
 Troy: Going to try to negotiate a little cheaper on the rate, maybe \$105.
 Guy Rotherie: As long as we don't go back to the Best Western.
 Ken: Is it typically 3 rooms per school? Yes, 42 rooms.
 Roger Kindell (FDU): Make sure there are cots available.
 Jamie Spencer (Lyco): Didn't know why we stayed at Holiday Inn, so we pulled out. Also, the 25 minute commute.

3. Daily Starting Sheets	Proposed by:
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Discussion:
 Saturday was fine, Sunday was a bit of an issue. Can we make sure the stuff is there in time.
 Troy: Yes, I'll work with the hotel to make sure we can print there and we'll have it all figured out.
 Ken: We had scoring done by 3:30, but there was no one to hand it to.
 Roger: Information will probably be dropped off at the hotel.

4. Designated Person for Scoring (non-coach)	Proposed by:
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Discussion:
 Roger: They used to put scores on the board. We need someone to do that.
 Ken: I'll get in touch with Steve and find out why they didn't supply someone. We pay for the women's event to have someone from the club to do it.

Action Items	Assigned To	Deadline
Ken will address with Hershey		

5. 9-Hole Scores On Board & Web	Proposed by:
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Discussion:

Roger: Would like to post scores on the board and the web.

Ken: Hershey may not be able to do that with the Founders event they have going on at the same time.

Roger: Scoring sheets were a bit confusing.

Troy: We could just do our own scoring sheets.

Jamie: I don't mind doing the scoring, just need to know what's going on in advance.

6. Last CC Team on Freedom Side for tee times	Proposed by:
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Discussion:

Roger: Everyone okay with the last place Commonwealth being on the Freedom side then after Saturday the last team moves over to Freedom for Sunday.

???: Is Etown staying next year?

Ken: Yes, Etown has one more year. They asked to stay longer, but the presidents didn't approve.

Roger: For next year we'll have the last CC team go with Freedom and play in 3somes.

7. Coaches Not Using Practice Facility During Play	Proposed by:
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Discussion:

Roger: Hershey people didn't want coaches using the practice facility.

Troy: Hershey sectioned off the lower part of the range and they just want students to use it preround then be open. Hershey would charge us if we hit after the students are all on the course.

8. Using Golfstat Rankings For Tee Times	Proposed by: Chris Ramer
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Discussion:

Roger: Do we use Golfstat to rank for Saturday?

Chris: I like the use of Golfstat to rank for Saturday times.

2 Others: I like the way we have it.

Roger: Anybody else want Golfstat to rank? – [Cricket]

Roger: We'll keep it the way it is.

9. Bringing More Than 5 Players	Proposed by: Chris Ramer
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Discussion:

Roger: The question was brought up to bring more players. Schools can send what they want, but only 5 in the practice round.

Chris: Can the extra fill in for Saturday.

Roger: Yes, once the tournament starts you can't sub. Protects against "injury" if a player isn't playing well on Saturday.

Roger: Bring as many as you want

10. Other Tournament Improvements	Proposed by:
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Discussion:

Chris: Do we record to Golfstat.

Ken: Last year we decided the winning teams would enter into golfstat.

Jon: We need a short manual on "How To Host A Golf Tournament"

Ken: Troy is going to go through the year and write down some notes on what needs to be done.

Action Items	Assigned To	Deadline
Troy, Jon, and Ken develop a short manual that is available for tournament hosts, especially in case non-golf people are in charge.		Jan. 2014

11. Other Items	Proposed by:
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Discussion:

- Ken: 1. The policy is that if you don't show up with 5 then the school is charged for the non-showing. Not going to hold Hood to it for their first year.
2. We are at a private club and there were some members who weren't happy with the behavior with a group in the Hogan Grill.
3. Ballots filled out after play, then we have half the teams gone. We're not getting all the coaches to vote now or just say that we'll stick with voting from whoever is there.
4. Medal mixup and first team Freedom guys didn't all get their medals. Jeremy Nolt (Wilkes) did not receive his medal.

Motion: Roger Kindell	Seconded by: [Name]
Just give the Coach of the Year to the winning coach. No opposition.	

For	Opposed	Abstained	Result
[Schools]	None	None	Unanimous

Action Items	Assigned To	Deadline
Ken will follow up to assure Freedom medals are properly distributed.	Ken	ASAP

Roger Kindell adjourned the meeting at 9:25 a.m.