

Sands RV & Golf Men's Golf Club
Meeting Minutes
Monday December 29, 2025
0900 Oasis Hall

- 1) President Bob Taylor called the meeting to order at 0900 hours.
- 2) Welcome and *introductions Executive Board Members attending: Bob Taylor, Tom Peters, Ed Rusell, Dan Moberg, Dean Maxam, Lorne Willison, and Larry Pederson.*
- 3) President Bob Taylor noted there are 34 members in attendance with new member Mike Dennison (WA) recognized. President Taylor encouraged all members to recruit neighbors, friend, etc. to join the Men's Club. The social and friendship benefits including the Scramble, End of Year Banquet, and Weekly Tournament make membership well worthwhile.
- 4) The minutes from December 2, 2025, were approved as submitted without changes. Moved by Wayne Gunderson seconded by Scott Perry.

5) Officers Reports:

5.1 Treasurer Dean Maxam reported 93 Members with a goal of 100 Members. Our current balance is \$3196.63 and we are on budget.

5.2 Secretary Tom Peters encourage Members to review the General Meeting Minutes as posted by Lorne on the Web Site.

5.3 Dan Moberg Tournament Chair reminded Members the ECCE Tournament is on week away January 5-6-7. The ECCE is a tree day best score low net tournament. Days 1 & 2 will have the same parings. Day three tee time will reflect the worst to best scores in consecutive order.

61 men have signed up; the deadline is January 2. Pizza party will follow on day three with the Scramble Bar open. Dan asked for help as we need Tee One Starters for all three days.

Dan conducted a Tee Box drawing with Day 1 Red, Day 2 Yellow, Day 3 Blue

5.3 President Taylor introduced the New Handicap Chair Larry Pederson. He will team with Roberta Burroughs in this essential role beginning January 1st to the end of the season. Larry reminded Members that all cards must be turned in after every round, Temporary handicaps will be assigned for new Members after five cards have been submitted and a permeant handicap assigned after 20 cards. Larry elaborated the

Sands Course has been rated for Slope and Index. Members can play w/o a handicap but cannot win.

Cheryl Montanile's birthday was acknowledged! HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Member Chester Brown inquired about every score every day as to how high can you score? Larry clarified that the system is structured to provide a total score rather than individual hole-by-hole scores. Open discussion followed with Rules Chair Lorne Willison stating a Net Double Bogey is generally most score on any hole but notrd that is not done in our league. This issue / question may be further addressed at the end of the 25/26 season.

5.4 Lorne Willison Rules Chair reported there was nothing new to report. We will not be painting the course for the ECCE as in the Men's Championship.

Lorne stated we are to play the ball as it lies and we are not playing winter rules. You may move the ball from a divot for one stroke bare spots as well.

Ball identification with marks on both sides is important. If you hit someone else's ball or a range ball, you must go back to where you hit the ball plus two strokes. If you proceed to the next tee without correcting by re-hitting you are disqualified.

5.5 Ed Russell Men's Day Chair stated if raining the tournaments will proceed if the golf course is open. We should check with the Pro Shop to ascertain if carts are allowed. If you choose to not play during inclement weather that is OK. If it is a team event certainly check with your partner.

Ed reminded all Members to place the Tournament Cards in the correct box.

- 6) President Taylor reminded Members to review Men's Club information on the Web Site: info@sandsrvgolfers.com

The Skins Game is on-going as a voluntary choice on Tournament Days.

- 7) Member Patrick Erskine expressed his concern that ball marks on the Par 3 holes are not being consistently repaired. President Taylor asks that everyone fix one as well as your own. Lorne Willison clarified the correct repair pushing into the middle of the divot thereby not killing the roots. Range ball divot repair was discussed with Scott Perry to ask Golf Superintendent Charlie to move a large barrel of repair mix with a large scoop to the range.
- 8) The meeting was adjourned at 0931 (31 minutes duration). Moved by Clem Zajic seconded by John Montanile, unanimous

Reminder Glo Golf is scheduled January 24, 2026