

MINUTES OF THE ICL AGM 2022

Held Monday 3rd October 2022 at Wells Golf Club

PRESENT: Gin Stewart (Chairperson/Sec), Jill Bocquet (Div Rep) Wells, Mary Henderson, Sam Robinson (Bath), Donna Adey, Ruth Dowell (CST), Corinne Durbin, Lally Gibson, (Farrington), Di Yates (Mendip Spring), Ruth Ball (Minehead), Nancy Marshall (Oake Manor), Yvette Gregg (Stockwood Vale), Carole Nowers, Christine Baker (Tall Pines), Berni Hatcher (T&P), Ali Gibson (The Mendip), Pam Berry, Claire Biggs (Wedmore), Katrina Foote (Wells), Jen Warmington, Jan Street, Jill Byrne (Wheathill), Diane Millar, Sarah Tyler (Worlebury), Sonia Probert (Orchardleigh).

APOLOGIES: Sue Ackland (Mendip Spring), Sally Dymock, Judith Sperring (Enmore), Jacky Ford (T&P), Mandy Head (Long Sutton), Heather Neale, Rachel Johnson (Enmore).

WELCOME: The meeting started at 1400. Gin Stewart welcomed all to the 2022 ICL AGM and gave a brief history of the ICL to new representatives.

Gin, introduced Jill Byrne from Wheathill who is the Chair of The Somerset Junior League. Jill explained briefly how the junior league works and wants to encourage all our clubs to advise their junior sections of the opportunities for our Somerset Juniors to participate in. Gin will be sending out Jill's details to be forwarded on to the relevant person. Thanks Jill for making notes for me in Sally's absence.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: The minutes of the meeting held on Monday, 25th October 2021 were proposed as a true record by Sonia Probert (Orchardleigh) and Berni Hatcher (T&P) and signed off by Gin Stewart.

MATTERS ARISING:

None

CHAIR/SEC REPORT:

Firstly, I would like to thank Wells Golf Club for allowing us to host our AGM and our 12 hole competition. I'd especially like to thank Jill Bocquet for co-ordinating all the details with such ease and allowing us to use the meeting room without a charge.

Our current membership consists of seventeen clubs. I was approached by Weston Super Mare, who showed interest in joining the ICL, but to date I have heard no more. This is one of the reasons the committee, felt division 3 should consist of five clubs. So if need be a club could join the ICL automatically and could be included in the next season.

Thanks to Sally's efficiency the league this year has as always run smoothly. I know there have been occasions when it has been difficult to field a team. Somehow you have all achieved this and the results confirm how well you have all done.

The website continues to be developed thanks to a Wheathill colleague Jim O'Connor and Sally, who is doing all the work. If there is anything you would like added please advise Sally or Myself.

We were blessed with the weather today and I hope all who participated in the 12 hole competition enjoyed themselves.

RESULTS CO-ORDINATOR’S REPORT:

Madam Chairman, Ladies,

Firstly, my apologies for not being able to be with you today. Unfortunately, my husband fractured his kneecap and consequently I can’t leave him for most of the day in case he gets into any other trouble!

Another year of matches safely played. The scoring in Division 1 has been incredibly close offering a nail biting situation right up to last Friday evening. I was worried I was going to have to work out the winners using the calculations for tie situations. The top 3 in Division 2 were also pretty close to each other with 2 clubs running away with it in Division 3.

As always, you have been excellent at letting me have the results in a timely manner – many thanks.

The comments coming in with the results were always that the matches were great fun in spite of inclement weather on occasions, the very last match in Division 1 being a classic example.

I feel sure 2023 will offer some different clubs to compete with and new venues to go to.

Congratulations to those achieving promotion and commiserations to those dropping a division!!!

It just remains for me to wish you all another brilliant year of golf with the Inter Club League in 2023 and I hope I will meet up with lots of you here and there.

Sally Dymock

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PREDICTED INTERCLUB LEAGUE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 2022

	CREDIT	DEBIT
BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD FROM OCTOBER 2021	£442.17	
DOMAIN AND WEBSITE FEE		£91.04
WINNERS PLAQUES AND ENGRAVING		£32.23
17 CLUBS MEMBERSHIP @ £15	255.00	
PRIZES FOR THE 9 HOLE COMPETITION		£56.94
TOTALS	£697.17	£180.21
BALANCE	£561.96	

AOB

None

Carole Nowers (Tall Pines) praised Sally and the committee for reacting quickly to a problem where a handicap index dropped below 20.4. 24hrs before the match. Please see rule 2 "If a players handicap drops below 20.4 within 48 hours prior to the match and this means there are five players with handicaps up to 20.4 the match will be valid. The same will apply to anyone whose handicap rises above 36.4. However every effort should be made to bring in a reserve in these circumstances".

Election of 2023 Committee

Gin informed everyone present that the existing committee members were happy to continue their posts for 2023. This was accepted.

Chair/Secretary	Gin Stewart (Wheathill)
Results Co-ordinator	Sally Dymock (Enmore Park)
Div. 1 Rep	Jill Bocquet (Wells)
Div. 2 Rep	Jacky Ford (T&P)
Div. 3 Rep	Judith Sperring (Enmore)

Gin advised that 2023 being her 8th year as Chair/Sec of the ICL. It is time for me to retire. So this will be my last year in this role. I can't believe how quickly it has gone and thanks to our committee and you all for making it so enjoyable.

PRIZE GIVING:

12 hole competition:

1 st	Jill Bocquet	(Wells)	32 pts
2 nd	Bernie Hatcher	(T&P)	26 pts
3 rd	Nancy Marshall	(Oake Manor)	23 pts
4 th	Jen Warmington	Wheathill)	22 pts (CB)
5 th	Pam Berry	(Wedmore)	22 pts (CB)

Division Winners:

The winners' plaques were awarded to –

- Div. 1 Isle of Wedmore 37.5 PTS
- Div. 2 Orchardleigh 32 pts
- Div. 3 Cricket St Thomas 44.5 PTS

The meeting closed at 1412 a record! An indication our clubs are happy with the ICI and Gin wished all a safe journey home and best wishes for our 2023 season.

The 2023 ICL AGM will be held at Wheathill October 9th 2023 (reserve date 16th October 2023).

LEAGUE FORMATION FOR 2023

DIVISION 1

FARRINGTON

ISLE OF WEDMORE

LONG SUTTON

ORCHARDLEIGH

TAUNTON & PICKERIDGE

WELLS

DIVISION 2

BATH

CRICKET ST THOMAS

MINEHEAD

STOCKWOOD VALE

WHEATHILL

WORLEBURY

DIVISION

ENMORE

OAKE MANOR

MENDIP SPRING

TALL PINES

THE MENDIP

4th October 2022 Gin Stewart