

## CWGA General Meeting CCC Dining Room 12:30, September 4, 2025

Co-President, Amy Day welcomed members to the September Luncheon and Scramble.

Amy Day thanked and congratulated the Competition Committee for a successful Championship Tournament. Amy congratulated all of the winners and our new Club Champion, Linda Peck. She invited Mary Jane Hunt, chair of the committee to speak. Mary Jane thanked her committee, Susan Carey and Linda Peck, as well as the Scoring Committee, Patti Book, Diane Meyers, Karen Miller, and the Rules Chair, Joann Linville. She encouraged members to send any suggestions for next year to Amy Day to pass along to the new Competition Committee.

Amy Day announced the nominations for the 2026 elected officers.

- Co-Presidents: Sue Schneider and Deb Nemes
- Co-Vice Presidents: Rita Albrich and Marikate Book
- Secretary: Lynda Marshall
- Treasurer: Debbie Bray

Amy told members to let her know if there are other nominations. These would be included in the vote which will take place at the October General Meeting. Nominations will be posted on the website.

At each table there was a handout showing volunteers for standing committees. A question regarding duties of some of these committees was raised. Amy explained:

- The Rules Committee opening needs to take a class and would work with Joann Linville next year but take the lead in 2027.
- Publicity writes the Villager articles.
- The Competition Committee runs the 3 competitions held each season.

Amy Day told members that we are working on the 2026 calendar and that there will be some changes. We had to work around the Men's Invitational which will no longer be an event. Therefore, we have more flexability.

Debbie Bray gave a brief overview of our finances.

- In the past we were paid for our volunteer work with the Men's Invitational. In 2023, we were paid \$3000, and in 2024 we were paid \$1500. This year the Men's Club cancelled this event which took any income away from us. It does look like that event will no longer be a part of their schedule, so we cannot count on that income source in the future.
- This year we were able to start the year without charging \$5 fee for scrambles. In 2026, the CWGA Board has decided to reinstate the \$5 player fee for the monthly scrambles. If our finances warrant it, the fee would be eliminated later in the year.
- The CWGA Roster will be printed again next year and a copy will be available to all of our members.
- The OGA fee of \$41 will not increase for 2026.
- We expect to end the year with an approximately \$3500 balance to carry forward to 2026. This is less than we had last year, but still a very acceptable amount.



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• With the cost of everything going up, we expect to make a recommendation to raise the dues by \$10 next year. It is still a discount if you join before December 31<sup>st</sup>.

Amy Day informed the group of a recommendation to change the By Laws and reminded the members that at the October General Meeting, this change requires a vote of our membership.

- Article VII, Section I states:
  - Term of office of the elected officers shall be for one year with the right to be elected for no more than one additional term.
- The proposed By Laws change:
  - o Term of office of the elected officers shall be for one year with the right to be reelected.

The list of nominees for the Board as well as the proposed By Laws change will be posted on the website 2 weeks prior to the October General Meeting for members to read in preparation for members to vote on the By Laws change and the Officers for next year.