

## Final Draft WWGA Board Meeting Minutes. May 12, 2026

The meeting was held in the Sales Center and called to order at 2:02pm. Board members in attendance: Renee Gibb, Leslie Hotaling, Sue Bowman joined telephonically, Mary Lawrence Melvin, Jen Adams, Becky Valasek, Shirley Marcus Buckner. Tim McKee and Barbara Hageman attended.

The minutes of the April 2, 2026 meeting were approved via email. The minutes have been posted on the WWGA website.

Barbara Hageman-announced her resignation as Tuesday Coordinator effective the end of the 2026 season. She also provided an update on the new Tuesday sign-in procedures.

### Reports

**President Renee Gibb**-announced that Gross Field Shots will be added to the Tuesday calendar. There was discussion about the distribution and use of the incorrect registration form for the 2026 season. It was agreed that the affected members will receive participation points. The Match Play rules for 2026 will remain the same as previous years. Handicaps will be capped at 39. In the past, the Board assumed responsibility for the Member-Member Tournament. The Board needs to decide if a lead person should be assigned for the event. The Board will need to select a Nominating Committee for the 2027 slate of officers. We will conduct research on tournament payouts. Tim agreed to provide information.

**Vice President Leslie Hotaling**-additional names have been added to the Ringer Board.

**Treasurer Mary Lawrence Melvin**-submitted the financial report for the Opening Scramble. Reconciliation of the registration fees needs to be addressed due to a glitch in the computer program. Registrations are beginning to come in for the Invitational. To date, we have two teams of four registered and two teams of two registered. All with a GHIN are welcome to register. Those without a completed foursome will be matched with other players.

**Tournament Chair-Sue Bowman**-we have had 2 successful tournaments and each had a decent turnout. The Women's Opening Day Scramble had 38 players, last year there were 44 players. The Mixed Jack and Jill had a final turnout of 27 teams or 54 players. (2 dropped out the day of the tournament, there were originally 56). Last year there were 23 teams, 46 players. We paid net only in the Opening Day scramble, and for Jack and Jill, we paid low gross, 1st low net and 2nd low net for each flight. This is not a normal payout, but because of our computer program, this was the only way to have gross winners. The next tournament is the Flag tournament, June 6th at 8am.

**Social Chair Becky Valasek**- the Mid Season Luncheon is July 7th. We need to decide how to allocate drink tickets.

**Next meeting-Wednesday, June 17th at 2pm in the Sales Center**

Respectfully submitted,  
Shirley Marcus Buckner  
Secretary