

CHS Area Men's Interclub Golf Association

Special Board of Directors Meeting

Interclub 2021 Decisions

Date/Time: Dec 7, 2020

10:30 AM Location: Coosaw Creek Club House

Members Present: Willie Charles (CN), David George (PF), Mike Phillips (LO), Stan Petrohovich (WE), Roger Schroeder (BE), Rich Bull (CM), Jim Petros (CC), Gene Weir (CR), Jack Heidenreich (DW), Jim Delaney (RT), Dave Silveri (SM), Bob Sideikas (SU)

Purpose: To determine "if" and "how" we should conduct the 2021 CHS Interclub Golf Events/Season

Treasurer Report: David George gave a quick report of funds at end of year. Discussion ensued on whether to give to charity this year. Directors decided to forgo a charity donation this year since funds were low and the fate of 2021 tournament play was undetermined due to continuing COVID-19 concerns.

Initial Questions/Answers:

- 1) IF - What's the possibility of conducting an Interclub season for 2021?
 - a) Are all clubs willing and able to host 120 players for 2021 Interclub Events? We reviewed the summary of questions asked of all clubs and compiled by Jim Petros. Based on those comments and the Directors beliefs, the Directors felt the clubs were ready for 2021.
 - b) Are all club Directors "IN" and believe their teams can field a team for 2021 Interclub Events? Again, the Directors were somewhat confident that they could field a team for events in 2021 – the majority of Directors voted to play in 2021 starting in January.
- 2) HOW - what do we do to have a successful 2021 Interclub tournament season?
 - a) COVID-19 Procedures – The Directors looked closely at all of the written social distancing guidelines and host club policies as well as current pandemic concerns. Specific rules were considered with regard to clubhouse, masks, practice green, driving range, sand trap rakes, divot sand, flagstick rules, cart sharing, et al. These are summarized in Decision section below.
 - b) Event Administration - Written guidelines that everyone are briefed on and understand. Arrival, sign in/payment, cart preference issues, walkers, tee groupings, start process (shotgun/tee times), post-match procedures, shingling, gift cards/prizes, director responsibilities, et al. Summarized in Decision section below.
 - c) The Directors decided on all these issues (as identified below) and designated 3 Directors (Jim Petros, Stan Petrohovich, and Mike Phillips) to compile a set of rules and procedures for executing an Interclub event for 2021 – these rules would be coordinated with the other directors and approved before the first event in 2021.
- 3) Decisions (summarized): The Directors...

- 1) agreed to do the first 3 matches as shotgun starts (the way we have always done – 120 golfers) - Chas National, Shadowmoss and Berkeley. Willie Charles will check with Chas National to make sure they agree.
- 2) agreed to lay out plans for doing the split-tee option for Crowfield - how to define tee times, groupings, etc - with a 9am start time.
- 3) asked each Director to ensure his players understand the terms of the liability agreement which at least 2 clubs (Coosaw Creek and Chas National) will require; the liability form will be posted on the Interclub website.
- 4) decided to not collect 50/50 money in 2021 to enhance charity donations due to possible COVID-19 concerns over handling money.
- 5) decided that, due to the limited time and COVID-19 limitations and possible different tee formats – shotgun vs tee times, Directors shall collect event money from their players before the event.
- 6) voted (9-3) to leave the flagstick/pin in for all matches (no one takes it out for any reason) and to not have any Closest-To-Pin (CTP) competitions in 2021 due to COVID-19 concerns.
- 7) to have a sheet in each club's completed scorecards basket for each Directors to record their team scores and points in cases where the host Club does not post scores on the large sheets. That sheet would be provided to Handicap Chairman for post-round data processing.
- 8) established that Mike Phillips, Stan Petrohovich and Jim Petros will define and coordinate a complete set of actions needed by the Directors and the club staffs to ensure we comply with COVID-19 policies and procedures. This would include things decided in this Board meeting and all other rules and procedures that are necessary to execute a successful and safe event.

Mike Phillips, Handicap Chairman
Jim Petros, Coosaw Creek Director