## **2023 AGM Minutes**



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Somers Club

## Fairfield Golf Society AGM Dec 2023

Meeting called by	Committee – Andy Walters, Jim Harp	er and Pete Childs
Apologies:	Andy Walters Pete Childs Andy Stelmasiak Jeff Scarlett Todd Littlehales Danny Evans Stuart Cooper	
Attendees:	Jim Harper – Chair for AGM Dave Hubbard Roger Blick Terry Peniket Rich Gilbert Mike Buckley Paul Amos	
Overview Last AGM Minutes 2022	Activity	Action/Vote
	Review of 2022 minutes and actions	No actions Ref 2022 minutes
Overview 2023 season	Activity	Action/Vote
Jim Harper	2023 review	A Good years golf enjoyed by all who played
	Memorial Day – Discussion about being held on a Friday to get a great Golf course with Breakfast and/or an Evening dinner as a package	<b>7 For</b> , 0 Against, 0 Abstain Carried – JH to organise
	Average attendance	Average for 2023 was 8 players
Membership Overview	Activity	Action/Vote
	Member resignations	No Resignations received
	New members, Hubby proposed Kenny Price	<b>5 For</b> , 0 Against, 2 Abstain Carried, Welcome Kenny to FGS

Weekend Away	Activity	Action/Vote
	2024 – Mike Buckley Discussion on Weekend Away with no accommodation and 3 day competition for 2024	<b>7 For</b> , 0 Against, 0 Abstain Carried – MB to organise 2024
Treasury Report	Activity	Action/Vote
Dave Hubbard	Hole in one fund	Currently Stand @ £1,333 incl Xmas Cracker
	Subs to Stay at £30	7 For, 0 Against, 0 Abstain
	Golf Insurance	Subs to Remian @ £30 and used for Golf Insurance DH will negotiate on FGS behalf
	Premium Bond Syndicate Agreement	DH also brought updated Agreement for all Dated 9 <sup>th</sup> December 2023
SHIT Report	Activity	Action/Vote
Andy Walter	Website	The FGS website is all working well with no issues.
	WhatsApp	WhatsApp Group is working ok no issues
	AOB – Teams App	See below in Proposals
Handicap Report	Activity	Action/Vote
Jim Harper	FGS use of WHS (World Handicap system)	No Issues with current WHS
		See Below for new proposals
Member Proposals	Activity	Action/Vote
Change best 8 in 20 to best 6 in 15 to count towards handicaps. This will allow faster and more accurate adjustments to how players are playing	Proposed By JH	2 For, <b>8 Against</b> , 1 Abstain Proposal not Carried
Change best 8 in 20 to best 4 in 10 to count This change, which is allowed in the WHS, will be more relevant and fair to our members. It will be more in keeping with the density of games played in the society season. More in	Proposed By RB	<b>7 For</b> , 3 Against, 0 Abstain Proposal Carried JH to Adjust WHS to best 4 in 10 for 2024 season

tune with current standards of play and much more responsive to swings in playing ability and form		
To allow social cards outside of Fairfield events Option 1 - Must register and record via the EGU app allowing sign off by handicap secretary Option 2 - Can be signed by any playing partner, then a signed photograph of the card sent to handicap secretary via WhatsApp, Handicap secretary MUST be notified by WhatsApp before starting the game	<b>Proposed By JH</b> At a request from another Member – Can Social cards out of FGS count towards Handicaps?	1 For, <b>7 Against</b> , 2 Abstain Proposal not Carried No External Social Cards to count in FGS Handicaps
Revert back to best 12 scores to count towards OOM	Proposed By DH Seconded By RG	<b>7 For</b> , 1 Against, 2 Abstain Proposal Carried For 2024 season best 12 scores to count towards OOM
Remaining handicap penalties imposed for 1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> place to be abolished. Some members still carry over stroke/half stoke in current handicap calculations.	Proposed By RB	<b>6 For</b> , 2 Against, 2 Abstain Proposal Carried All players still carrying shot deductions from previous years 1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> places will be adjust back by whatever is still affecting their Handicaps in their 20 games after Christmas Cracker for 2024
Use TEAM app rather than website for admin and booking of events	Proposed By JH	1 For, <b>9 Against</b> , 0 Abstain Proposal not Carried Teams App not to be used
AOB	Activity	
2024 Fixture List	Activity Thanks To RG for Creating new	All Fixtures are based on all 15
	<ul> <li>Fixture List</li> <li>A brief overview is</li> <li>20 OOM Games(3 on a Friday)</li> <li>1 Memorial game.</li> <li>1 Spare date.</li> <li>5 games are played on a Friday if you include the Summer Salva and Memorial games.</li> </ul>	members. See Website for New Fixture list

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	Treasurer - DH	DH willing to stand 7 For, 0 Against, 0 Abstain		
	Handicap – JH	JH willing to stand 7 For, 0 Against, 0 Abstain		
	SHIT-AW	AW willing to stand 7 For, 0 Against, 0 Abstain		
	Chairman - AW	AW Not willing to stand		
		RG Proposed by DH RG not willing to stand		
		RB Proposed by TP Second by MB RB accepted Proposal and Willing to stand <b>7 For</b> , 0 Against, 0 Abstain RB is Elected as Chairman for 2024		
	Players Rep - PC	PC Not willing to stand No-one willing to stand Proposed no Players Rep Needed for 2024 <b>7 For</b> , 0 Against, 0 Abstain Carried No Requirement for Players Rep		
Thanks to all who took time to attend this year's AGM or to Register a postal vote				
Welcome to new member Kenny Price for 2024				
Thanks again to last year's officers and Welcome Roger Blick as Chairman for 2024				
And Remember				



## Premium Bond Syndicate Agreement – Dated 9th December 2023

