

# **SILVERMINE NINE HOLE WOMEN'S COMMITTEE**

## **SILVERMINE GOLF CLUB**

### **BY-LAWS**

#### **ARTICLE I**

##### **Purpose / Mission**

Our purpose is to promote golf, sportsmanship and fellowship among our members. Our emphasis is on broadening our members' golf experience, developing confidence in league play and having fun.

#### **ARTICLE II**

##### **Membership**

1. To qualify for membership a woman must be a member in good standing of the Silvermine Golf Club and have a basic knowledge of the rules and etiquette of golf. A course handicap is not necessary to join but it is encouraged to obtain one.
2. Membership must be renewed yearly by payment of dues set for that specific year.
3. A person may not play until her dues have been paid in full. Women who are interested in membership for the first time may participate in one regularly scheduled nine hole round of golf prior to membership.

#### **ARTICLE III**

##### **Dues**

1. Dues will be set by the Silvermine Nine Hole Women's Committee Board prior to the opening of the golf season and will be collected by the Treasurer.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

##### **Meetings**

1. A meeting of all members shall be held at the opening of the golf season when new members are welcomed and informed of the season's program.
2. Regular business meetings of the Silvermine Nine Hole Women's Committee Board will be held at least four times per year. The first meeting will be held prior to the Women's opening day, two meetings will be held during the golf season and one meeting will be held after the season closing. Additional meetings may be called as necessary at the discretion of the Chairperson or Co-Chairpersons.
3. The annual meeting shall be held at the close of the golf season.
4. Special meetings may be called by the Chairperson or Co-Chairpersons or five persons from the general membership provided that written notice is given to the officers with the

reason(s) for call the special meeting. Notice of such meeting must be given at least two weeks prior to the special meeting.

## **ARTICLE V**

### **Officers**

1. The Officers shall be composed of a Chairperson or Co-Chairpersons, Treasurer and Secretary.
2. The Officers shall be elected for a two-year term and shall perform the duties described for them in the USGA Golf Committee Manual.
3. The Silvermine Nine Hole Women’s Committee Board (“Board”) shall be composed of the Officers.
4. The Chairperson or Co-Chairpersons may serve as the Board’s representative to the Silvermine Golf Club’s Board of Govenors (“BOG”).
5. The Board shall enforce the By-Laws of the Silvermine None Hole Women’s Committee and shall exercise a general supervision of its internal affairs.

## **ARTICLE VI**

### **Election**

1. The Board shall nominate one or more members from the general membership to serve as an Officer for the subsequent term.
2. The Board shall select the slate of new Officers which shall be presented to the membership and elected at the annual meeting.
3. Robert’s Rules of Order Revised shall be parliamentary authority in all matters not specified by these By-Laws.

## **ARTICLE VII**

### **Amendments**

1. These By-Laws may be amended by a majority vote of the Officers present at a special meeting convened for this purpose provided a quorum is present.
2. Amendments will be presented to the general membership at either the season opening or season closing meeting.
3. No proposal to amend these By-Laws shall be acted upon unless it shall be recommended by the Board.

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