KNIGHTON HEATH GOLF CLUB

Ladies & Junior Girls Section

Committee Meeting held on: Tuesday 28th July 2026 at 2.30pm

MINUTES

In Attendance: Alison Cumming (Lady Captain)
Martine Clark (Lady Vice Captain)
Chris Bartlett
Sarah Lillis
Kate Bull

1. **Apologies for Absence:** Jackie Stoodley

2. **Minutes of the Previous Meeting –** Signed as a true record

3. **Matters Arising** – None

4. **Reports**

CapCom/Manco feedback - LC

- Purple tees have now been rated and awaiting certification
- The Lady Vice Captain parking space may now be allowed to continue as the club considers the car parking situation and, in particular, the rules around buggies being re-routed away from the narrow path alongside the ladies changing room
- Captain's Day was reported to have been a very successful event and raised £2,500 for the Captains' Charity.
- Manco is aware of the challenges facing the ladies section in the near future (due to a shortage of committee members and no-one in place as Vice Captain once Martine takes over) and they have said they will do what they can to support us.

5. **Forthcoming Events & Results**

- Coffee Morning preparations are coming along well and will be discussed in detail at the next meeting
- The format for the Lady Members Open competition will be discussed at the next meeting
- Margaret Joyce/Freeman Fours competition format to be discussed at the next meeting
- Legg Bowl winter match play competition can be entered if it is considered that we have enough interest.
- The Parkin for bronze players is also available if we wish to enter

6. Ladies Section/committee situation for 2027

- The Committee devoted most of the meeting to discussions around planning for the 2026/2027 season when the section will not have a Lady Vice Captain and the Committee is likely to be down to only 3 members.
- The incoming Lady Captain (MC) will need support and, as such, an email had been drafted by LC to the ladies section about this situation in order to invite offers of help and support from lady members.
- The committee discussed the wording and tone of this message in order to maximise input and effectiveness in bringing forward volunteers and offers of help.
- A list of jobs which will need to be taken on by volunteers and other members of the section will go up on the noticeboard and invite ladies to sign up either individually or in pairs/groups so that the section can continue to run a good range of competitions and events for its lady members.
- The Committee also agreed that it will be helpful to initiate some discussions with the club (Manager, Pro and Catering) regarding the support that can be offered to ensure that competitions run smoothly without intervention from the section, and what further assistance may be offered by the club in terms of running events.
- Once some plans have been put in place to support Martine when she takes over as LC without a Vice Captain, there will be a further planning process to consider how things will operate once Martine completes her Captaincy year if, by then, no offers have been received to stand as Lady Captain and the Section needs to go forward without a Captain.

7. AOB – none

8. Date of Next Meeting – Tuesday 25th August 2026.

9. The Meeting closed at 4.30pm

Signed: ..... Dated .....
Lady Captain