



Men's Golf Association

SMGA Board Meeting Agenda & Minutes

March 3, 2026

Attendees: Forrest Urban, John Morales, Mike Anthony, John Eakin, Randy Williams, Larry Tollman, Terry Edwards, John Alton, Steve Kartsonis

President – Forrest Urban: Call to Order at 7:30am.

Guests: Merritt Harrington

Old Business:

- Approval of the BOD minutes for February 3, 2026.
 - Motioned by Eakin, and 2nd by Morales and verbal approval was unanimous for February 3, 2026, minutes.
- CSM Trio band:
 - They had a concert last week and sold out. Keep as an agenda item for April BOD.
- Website Overview / Merritt &/or Terry
 - Update on draft of Player Posting Exceptions form using JotForm is being worked on (now what?). JotForm is limited to 100 free usages per month. Merritt to investigate Google Forms. Discussion around using both book and form via SMGA website for a couple months to transition. Goal would be for this form email Alton directly.
 - Member profiles updated via JOT (63!). Phone# - 13, Address – 8, email – 5, Chelsea – 5, Missing – 2, Membership to full – 1, Multiple items - 12 (most Address & Phone#), "my info is correct" emails - 17
 - Website survey to be tallied and sent to BOD needs to be sent out (is this still an action item?) It was not discussed.
 - Update to approximately 15 documents being reviewed. It was not discussed.
 - Merritt to post about email hacking scams and remind members the SMGA will not ask members for \$\$\$.
- Golf Genius to replace Chelsea for event sign up / Tollman
 - What are next steps if there are any? Women and Niners have transitioned. Concern some members won't use or will resist. Concern this creates an added step for Pro-Shop to put in Chelsea from GG. Could Diment teach this at a luncheon? Forrest to investigate next steps and update us in April.

New Business:

- XXXXX
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Round Table:

- **Vice President** – John Morales / Sponsors update
 - What was collected in February and what do we still need to go get? We have collected \$24,425 (see attachment), which is \$4,000 less than last year due to loss of two sponsors (they closed their businesses). We gained some new ones also. There are a couple small sponsors to try and collect. New sponsor banners, signs, and BOD pictures (website has been updated) are almost done. Merritt mentioned he might not have all the current logos (Pride), please send any updates to him. It was recommended our current sponsors be sent an email with photos of their signage. Banners are now two parts with top being reusable and the bottom updated with sponsor changes for each event.
- **Secretary** – Mike Anthony /
 - See Alton on posting process update and clarification on process.
- **Treasurer** -John Eakin / 2026 Budget update & Treasurers report
 - Javelina Cup lunch at Mountainview was not billed. This is completed in February (see Treasurers attachment). Discussion on Sponsors Golf Event on 9/12/26. We need an email to Golf Shop, budget for lunch including a contract with the restaurant estimating the number of attendees. We had 13 sponsors play in the event last year.
- **Membership/Public Relations** – Randy Williams update on members
 - Increased to 260 in February (down from 281) with questions around where did the member attrition go? Discussion around members passing away, moving, or just not playing (we have about 100 playing in events). We have 34 Associate Members.
- **Tournament Committee** - Larry Tollman /
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- **Asst. Tournament/Rules Committee** – Terry Edwards /
 - This month's rules education. "C" - SMGA Event Index current vs possible proposed alternative. SMGA Policies Sec IV. Terry advised policy can change w/o member vote. Bylaws can change but require a member vote. Terry proposed a handicap change to "last 3 scores in SMGA Events" versus current "best 3 of a member's last 5 post able ESC scores in SMGA event round". This was approved unanimously.
- **Handicap Committee** – John Alton /
 - Discussion around posting process and what steps is taken when members fail to follow the process. John presented a document from the SMGA website showing the process. It explained the process for non-posted scores which include Committee Review, Penalty Score Application, and Types of Penalty Scores. A form letter via email is sent with 1st, 2nd, 3rd notices. The team will consist of 10 members currently being trained by veteran members.
- **Special Events** - Steve Kartsonis / Roadrunner Member / Guest update. 60 teams are signed up with 2 pending (full field). The event is on budget. Steve is working on a couple of new sponsors for the SMGA.
- **President** – Forrest Urban / Discussion on new members email from Mark Miller
 - Expressed confusion on what to do, where to go, our formats, where lunch was. Discussion around what we could do differently, and the determination is to encourage existing members to be part of the solution.

Meeting adjourned by Forrest Urban at 9:05AM. Next meeting 4/7/26 at 7:30am.
 SMGA Secretary, Mike Anthony