

Ocean State Women's Golf Association, Inc.

Board of Director's Meeting July 15, 2026 Minutes

Date: July 15, 2026

Place: Crystal Lake

Present:	Beth Penkala	President
	Margaret Thomas	Recording Secretary
	Trudy Dufault	Tournament Director
	Maureen Ford	Corresponding Secretary
	Kris Kennedy	Tournament co-chair
	Sandy Harper	Webmaster

Absent:	Peg Cherenzia	Vice President
	Lauretta Girouard	Tournament Co-Chair
	Jane Jordan	Treasurer

I. Call to Order: Beth Penkala called the meeting to order at 2:17 pm

II. Minutes June meeting

Motion to accept the June meeting minutes: Kris Second: Trudy
Approved

III. Membership
158 current members reported by Maureen Ford

IV. Treasurer's Report: Jane Jordan
All reports sent out to the board.
Jane sent the RI Cup report to the board.

Motion to accept the treasurer's report: Maureen Second: Margaret
Approved.

V. Tournament Director's Report: Trudy Dufault
There will be no food for the Ryder Cup event at Montaup. Discussion of changing the cost of the event. Entry changed to \$170 per team.

50-50 raffle will be held at Montaup. Board will be solicited for donations for the raffle.

Motion to accept tournament director's report: Kris Second: Margaret
Approved

OSWGA July 2026 minutes submitted by Margaret Thomas, Recording Secretary

VI. Committee chair reports

A. Golf Genius/Constant Contact: Maureen Ford

Considering sending an email out regarding registrations. There has been some confusion. Permission given for Maureen to implement automatic cancellation. We will try it for one month and see how it goes.

Beth suggested an FAQ or some explanation about registration and golf genius.

Also need an email regarding the membership meeting to be held at Green Valley to discuss by-laws revisions. Will have a link to the by-laws and will have a header on the website. Lauretta provided a one-page explanation of the by-law changes.

B. 50-50 raffle & other prizes:

Raffle will be held at Montaup at the Ryder Cup event.

VII. Unfinished business

Student scholarships

Received five applications this year. Board approved the following students to receive \$1,000 each.

Emerson Trenholme (Univ. of New Haven)

Grace A. Bovill (Framingham State)

Reid Von Barner (URI)

Brooke Barner (URI)

Samantha Tinsley (Assumption Univ)

Stripe fees and refunds

Further discussion. No decision made at this time.

Game coverage, including sign-in, scoring and tee sign distribution. Always need assistance with these tasks.

VIII. New Business

IX. General meeting after tournament and lunch at Green Valley CC, August 19, 2026

Sept. 23 at Midville after tournament

October 21, 2026 at Richmond CC after tournament

November 1, 2026, OSWGA Banquet, Johnny's Middletown

December 1, 2026 at Montaup

X. Adjournment.

Motion to adjourn at 3:31 pm Margaret Second: Trudy

Approved.