

IESA GOLF

2010 ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES & RECOMMENDATIONS

October 28, 2010

The following members were present for the meeting: Dave Close, Peoria Christian; Alexis Wooster, Niles Gemini; Cathy Naleway, Bloomington Holy Trinity; Brett Folkes, IJGA; Pat Bodame, IESA.

The following member(s) were absent, Holly Alcala, Kids Golf Foundation, Carrie Williams, IJGA.

The IESA Golf Advisory Committee, in its meeting on October 28, 2010, makes the following recommendations to the Board of Directors for their January 21, 2011 meeting:

1. By-laws and Terms & Conditions recommendations
 - a. **Pace of Play**- To be implemented for the purpose of preventing slow play. Players will be subject to warnings and possible penalty strokes. **Passed**
 - b. **Continuous Putting**- First player in a group will putt until he/she has holed out (without marking and having his/her fellow competitor putt). This will help to improve pace of play. **Passed**
 - c. **Coaches**- A school will be allowed to bring one coach per division. **Passed**
 - d. **Circle 14**- Players will have the option to pick up their ball after 14 strokes. If a player is to pick up the ball, their score will no longer be an official score in the final standings. **(Tabled)**
 - e. **Observers**- Each group must have one observer. The observer will check scores and help keep participants on pace. Observers will have to check in and be given instructions before the start of the tournament. Observers will also have to walk the course with the group that they are following. **Passed**
 - f. **Codes of conduct**- A spectator and participant code of conduct will be enforced at the tournament. Codes of conduct will follow a list of penalties if violations occur. **Passed**
 - g. **Spectators**- A spectator information table will be provided. This is where spectators will be handed informational items on rules and regulations for the tournament. **Passed**
 - h. **Entry Deadlines**
 - Initial Entry Deadline: June 6
 - Final Entry Deadline: August 22
 - Roster Deadline: August 29 **Passed**
 - i. **Online entry**- All participants will submit average score and home course for their roster information online. **Passed**
 - j. **Tee times**- Tee times be moved from a start time of 10 a.m. to 9 a.m. If the field is full, it will take four hours for all of the golfers to tee off. **Passed**
 - k. **Pairings**- All participants will be paired based on the average score they submitted. **Passed**

- l. **Cancel play**- Players or games committee can discontinue play if lightning is spotted. **Passed**
- m. **Completion**- Once the round starts it should be completed. This means that the tournament will not be cancelled if play is suspended during the round. Play will resume the following week on the scheduled rain date. The committee felt that having a rain date allows for the completion of the tournament to be possible if the tournament was stopped during play on the first day. **Passed**
- n. **Coaches' registration**- When a coach arrives, they will register and receive materials at the check-in. **Passed**
- o. **Substitutions**- Schools will be allowed to make substitutions up until the start of the tournament. **Passed**
- p. **Dress code**- Participants will be required to follow a dress code or they could incur possible penalties. **Passed**
- q. **Code of conduct appeals**- Players and coaches will be allowed to appeal a first and second offense as soon as possible. **Passed**
- r. **Rules Officials**- There will be rules officials placed on both courses and will make all final decisions on rulings. **Passed**
- s. **Pull carts**- Players will be allowed to use non-motorized pull carts. **Passed**
- t. **Awards**- The top 10 participants will receive medals and if there is a tie, those players will also receive medals. **Passed**
- u. **Ties**- In the event of a tie for first place, a sudden death playoff will take place. All other ties will remain a tie. **Passed**
- v. **Rangefinders**- rangefinders will not be allowed. **Passed**
- w. **Golf Carts**- No spectators will be allowed to use a golf cart. **(Tabled)**

Committee Discussion:

- Observer handout
- Promotion of golf
- Amount of participants
- Layout of St. Andrews
- Spectator check-in

Date of the next meeting: February 2011