

**Simsbury Farms Men's Club**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday, April 16, 2008 7:00PM**  
**@ SFGC Men's Locker Room**

Present: Wayne Marciano, David C. Brownell, Gerry Wetjen, Bob (Chris) Christensen, Reg Zurinkas, Jay Bailey, Roger Anstey, Michael Scheetz and Tom Blaskowski

Wayne called meeting to order at 7:00 PM

**Treasurer's Report**

Gerry reported that currently there are 207 paid members (25 new) with total revenue of \$21,158.02

**Secretary's Report**

Minutes accepted from March 20, 2008 meeting  
All minutes will be posted on the SFMC website

Upcoming rules meeting has 35 members signed up for attendance.

Currently, the upcoming ABCD events have good participation and sign ups are strong.

Reg noted an error on the tournament calendar with the Senior championship. The finals should be listed as June 7<sup>th</sup> and will be corrected.

The SFMC Board is looking for sponsorship ideas for the Simsbury Amateur.

Gerry reported that on the survey provided to the membership through e: mail that 80% have given an approval for the usage of handheld GPS devices during SFMC events. The SFMC Board approved such usage.

Ideas of course improvements are for leveling the tee boxes. Mike Scheetz will contact Mike Wallace to discuss his thoughts and budget to do so. Mike will report back to the Board.

Chris, Reg and David presented their findings on the original concept from Roger for the 64 Man Match play tournament. Their concerns were with enticing a field to fill 64 spots, breaking ties and how to be equitable for all golfers that participate. The concept though is new and exciting which has the entire Board behind it.

It was decided to table this discussion to allow for more time and for this committee to meet again working on details as to try some concept this year over the July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday and to see how the membership reacts.

Tom reported that Riverview was receptive to the SFMC banquet moving to their Facility but pricing would still have to be negotiated.

Meeting adjourned 8:30 PM

Submitted by:

David C. Brownell, Secretary, SFMC, Inc.