

KALAMAZOO WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I

NAME: This association shall be called the Kalamazoo Women's Golf Association.

ARTICLE II

OBJECT: The object of this Association shall be to promote and encourage high caliber competitive golf among the women of the Greater Kalamazoo Area.

ARTICLE III

MEMBERSHIP: Membership is open to female amateur golfers from the Greater Kalamazoo Area having an established 18-hole USGA handicap index, with a maximum to be determined by the Executive Committee. The Greater Kalamazoo Area consists of players in counties of KWGA participating golf courses. Women belonging to a course not authorized to provide a USGA handicap index may provide a course handicap from which a handicap index will be calculated using the formula, $(\text{handicap}-2) (113)/\text{home course slope}$. Such players must provide the KWGA with the home course slope along with their course handicap on their annual membership form and all tournament entry forms. Payment of annual dues, as determined by the Board of Directors, is mandatory.

ARTICLE IV

OFFICERS:

- A. The EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE of this association shall consist of the following: President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Publicity and Reservations Chairpersons, Web Manager and the immediate Past President.
- B. The Executive Committee shall be elected for a one-year term at the Annual Meeting by a majority vote of members present and take office the following October 1. The Vice-President automatically assumes the office of President. All other officers may be re-elected.
- C. All Executive Committee members shall be notified regarding any business transaction. All transactions must be approved by a majority vote.

- D. The BOARD OF DIRECTORS of this Association shall consist of the following: The Executive Committee and one representative from each participating club.
- E. All Board of Directors shall be notified prior to any board meeting. Two-thirds of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum. All motions must be approved by a majority vote.
- F. Executive Committee vacancies between annual elections shall be filled by appointment by the remaining members of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE V

GOVERNANCE:

- A. This Constitution may be amended at the Annual Meeting by a two-thirds vote of all members present.
- B. Other business must be passed by majority vote of members present.
- C. This Constitution shall be re-evaluated every five years.

Reviewed, Spring 2003

Revised, Article III Spring 2006 (membership description)

Revised, Article IV Fall 2006 (Webmaster added to Exec. Committee)

Revised, Article III Spring 2008 (handicap index amendment)

Revised Article III Spring 2008 (change web master title to Web Manager)

Reviewed and Revised Spring 2008 per Article V part C