

Admiral Baker Men's Club

Monthly Board of Governors Meeting

Nov 5, 2024

Meeting called to order by President John Bepko at 12:20 PM. All Governors were present except Fermin Ancho, Joe Puzo, and Steve Sawyer.

- **Minutes of Sept 2024** meeting accepted.
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- **Treasurer's Report:** Mark Manlove reported the current balance of our treasury is \$22,150 and projected about \$25,000 for calendar yr end 2024. Both positive positions.
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- **Membership Chairman:** Tim Winder listed our regular membership at 866 and associate members are at 422. Total of 1288 members.

The following topics were discussed.

-SCGA and club dues (\$73) are up \$5 for 2025. BOG members and club members need to renew before years end if possible. Mark Manlove recommended using the SCGA website.

-Military and Civilian designations: President Bepko discussed at length the Men's Club members and using the terms "civilian and military" to define them. NRSW which covers 9 military courses in CA including Admiral Baker has strict guidelines on who is in what category. In general, active-duty, active-duty reservists and retired military on a pension with 20+ years of military service are "military" and all others are designated "civilian". The importance being that most ABMC tournaments having >50% military entrants receive reduced entry fees. Also know the Pro shop uses additional categories for individual green fees for non-tournament individual check-ins. The club has the task of classifying each member appropriately. This will take some time and effort.

-CTFS Gift Cards: In order to better support the Pro Shop and Admiral Baker golf course the club will provide the CTFS blitz weekly winners with a \$25 gift card which can be used for range balls, green fees and merchandise in the Pro Shop.

-Turkey Shoots: For the same reasons above the Prize money (currently \$20 each for the winners) will be provided in gift cards also. Members do not pay any entry fee for these events and the club pays out \$1000 for each contest to the top 50 players,

-Course rotation: With the request of Baker management, starting in 2025 ABMC will play the South course once in odd months and twice in even months.

-Pace of Play: Continues to be a challenge and a problem for both our club and the Pro Shop. The board and Baker management continually discuss this issue and try to resolve it. Several requests and changes will be made to all members. John Bepko is drafting an all players email to effect this change.

Meeting adjourned 1:30PM

Submitted, Bernie Hoyt VP