

Chris Mitchell called the meeting to order at 10:08AM

The Club was led in prayer by A. Green

Pres. Comments: Introduced D. Thompson from the NEO Charities. She said the Senior's Golf Tournament, now named Kaulig Companies Championship, will be held July 12-26, 2023 at Firestone CC. Largest committee in need is in Marshalls & gates.. Grateful for our partnership. Mentioned that the Ambassador of Golf will honor Stephen Curry with the Ambassador of Golf Award on July 8, 2023 at Firestone Country Club. This event is a fundraiser for the Foundation and the HBCU will benefit greatly. The Tiretown Junior golfers and the Tiretown Golf Club members were greatly appreciated and will be looking forward for their help again this year.

Pres. R. Paulk also stated that the 2023 Tiretown Golf Club's Scholarship Golf Tournament will be held July 13, 2023 at the Good Park golf course. Charities Board & TT Club Board, two separate Boards. The Charities Board will have seven members with two year terms. TT Club's Pres., R. Paulk, will serve on the Charities Board. as Vice Chairman. Motion by C. Blake, 2nd by M. Paulk. Motion passed. The Junior Golf Program Committee/Registration event will be held 3/11/23 at Mudd Run. He mentioned the Harold Varner foundation/First Tee/Tiretown partnership. \$5,000 was received from the PGA Tour/NOGC. TT Committees to have discretionary spending of \$500.

Minutes: motion was made to accept and 2nd—motion approved.

Treasurer's Report: December 2022—Charities-\$31,636.63, Club-\$5,830.95. January 2023—Charities-\$31,889.63, Club-\$5,330.95. Motion was made to accept—motion approved.

Correspondence: The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated-Akron Alumnae Chapter announced that R. Paulk has been selected as a 2023 Game Changer Award Honoree. The Game Changer Brunch will be held on Sunday, March 19, 2023 at 10:00AM at the University of Akron, Infocision Stadium. The Akron NAACP sent a letter thanking the Tiretown Golf Club for their longstanding support. They also announced their three major fundraisers—Life Membership & Scholarship Luncheon, Scholarship Golf Outing, and The Freedom Fund Event thanking Tiretown in advance for the continued support.

Scholarship: TT Scholarship applications were handed out at the meeting, not available on the website. They are due 4/7/2023. Details-applicants must be involved with our youth program for 3 consecutive years. If applicant has less than the 3 consecutive years with TT and First Tee, they will receive an additional 5 points to their score. Applicants are eligible to receive a scholarship totaling \$2,000.00 within a 5 year period. More to come forward after an upcoming meeting.

Social: Nothing to report at this time.

Golf: The 2023 golf schedule was handed out. Notice the Friday events on the schedule to help Members to play and cost save from the expected price increases.

Fundraising: The co-chairs met to talk about some fundraising efforts like focusing on a couple places to seek donations. Look for organizations that caters to kids. Remember the one/ones that you may have contacted or have in mind and follow up. Timing is everything. Looking for majors but no one is too small. Check and give us the name of your choice so we can follow up. We're also looking to discuss a potential jazz brunch to set a date and venue. Looking to discuss other fundraisers this year.

Membership: Dues are due by 4/1/2023. Under 70-\$100, 70 & over-\$50, 75 & over for 3 years good standing-(Ex). Need 4 volunteers to call members to remind them of the monthly meeting to help increase attendance. Sign up for golf shirts and the Blue pull over. Tiretown Golf Membership applications are on the front table.

Rules: To be reviewed by committee before handing out. Number 1—slow play.

Constitution: Revision forthcoming by May 1st.

Sick & Welfare: M. Robinson-better. T. Baxter-not doing well.

Good of the Order: Membership cards coming. Caddie school comments given by T. Felton. Check the ABJ listing about the asbestos lawsuit-could be a financial result. Envelopes with the May 2023 scholarship raffle tickets are with Chris Mitchell for handout. Requests for the 2023 Tee Time book—see L. Carney.

Drawings: Attendance-T. Ramsey-\$20. Overall-P. Gahres-not present-next amt.-\$60, 50/50 winners, now two names, O. Beecher & T. Felton-\$62.50 each.

Adjournment: 11:15AM.