

SOUTH OF SCOTLAND GOLFERS' ASSOCIATION
MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE MEETING 7 MAY 2014
Held at the Castle Douglas Golf Club at 9.00 pm

Present:

Neville Wright, President, in the Chair; D Moore, G. Sharp; J Burns; A Millar; B Duguid and I Robin, Secretary.

Coaching Convenor

The President reported that Willie Lumsden had resigned as Coaching Convenor for family and personal reasons. He had had an accident at work last September and even after two operations his arm was not improving greatly and he was still off his work. He had written a letter of thanks for his work as Coaching Convenor and wished him and his family all the best for the future.

The Association were now in a challenging situation with the Academy Coaching System due to start very soon with the first Assessment Day. A person with vision and enthusiasm was required to drive forward the agreed Coaching Policy. As Willie had taken us this far we didn't want to go backwards.

Alastair Millar suggested we approach Pam Watson. This gained universal approval as was a proposal that girls also be included, subject to the agreement of the Ladies Executives of Dumfriesshire and Galloway Counties. Alastair agreed to approach Pam to seek her approval and report to the Executive Meeting on 20 May

Plan 'B' was to invite the Coaching Convenors from Dumfriesshire, Kirkcudbrightshire and Wigtownshire and James Erskine, Coaching Provider to a meeting to discuss the way forward.

Gents Order of Merit

An offer was made to donate £200 this year towards the prizes for the Gents Order of Merit. This was gratefully accepted.

There being no further business the Meeting closed at 9.20 pm.