Ladies Division Committee Report For the 2022 AGM

Most of the Ladies Division internal events returned in 2021, with the exception of the Ladies Opening Scramble, which was cancelled due to COVID restrictions, and the Tuesday Night Ladies Scrambles, which were cancelled in order to maximize the potential for more golfers to avail themselves of prime tee times.

The Ladies Field Day attracted a good number of players, as did the Jackie Frost Tournament. The format for both events was a 2-person scramble. Seventy-two golfers played in the Jackie Frost Tournament, despite the fact that COVID restrictions prevented us from holding the accompanying social events, and that Greenwood's Fall Ball was held on the same weekend. In an effort to prevent a conflict of dates with the Clare Gran Fondo and the Fall Ball in the future, an agreement was reached with the organizing committee of the Gran Fondo whereby starting in 2023, the Gran Fondo will be held on the second weekend of September and the Jackie Frost the following weekend.

The Ladies Division had decided to hold a Junior Girls Fun Day, with the objective of promoting junior girls golf. Unfortunately, the event was rained out. Plans are in the works for activities to encourage junior girls' golf.

In an effort to attract more women to the sport of golf, the Ladies Division worked with the GM to establish a monthly event whereby women could play at a reduced rate at a time when the course was not busy. The result was the Ladies Sunday Savings Event, held on one Sunday last August, September and October, with green fees at only \$25. We hope to continue this initiative throughout the 2022 season.

The following executive was elected for the 2022 season: Gisèle Thibault – president Jeannine Maillet – vice-president Stella LeBlanc – treasurer Aimée Thériault – secretary Lise Gaudet - match and handicap

At the end of the 2021 season, the Ladies Division presented a cheque for \$3500 to Clare Golf and Country Club.

Respectfully submitted by Gisèle Thibault President of the Ladies Division