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OAK ISLAND "LINKSTERS" GOLF ASSOCIATION

Dear Linkster,

This is the "Linksters" First Quarter 1987 News Letter.

We have completed our first full quarter of activities since formation in late December 1986 and it seems most members are pleased. Hope you are, too.

Our membership is now 73 and our finances are healthy. We had a bank balance of \$3,091.24 per our treasurer, John McDonald.

We are in the process of incorporating the Linksters as a non-profit North Carolina corporation.

We've had tournaments in January and March. The February tournament was rained out several times and eventually ran out of days in February.

The monthly tournaments for the rest of the year have been planned by the Activities & Tournament Committee, Chairman Bill Pulley. They are:

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| April | Three clubs only, your choice <i>ZAD won</i> |
| May | Linksters Championship, match play <i>I won</i> |
| June | Pro Am |
| July | Four man best ball |
| August | Two man best ball |
| September | Individual; medal play full handicap |
| October | Three man Captain's choice |
| November | Hit & Giggle (Men & Women) |
| December | Tournament for all members who haven't won in previous tournaments. Format to be decided |

Watch the "Linksters" Bullentin board in the Pro shop for details.

The winners of the January tournament which was a two man best ball with full handicap were Larry Jones & Bob Hood. Bill Pulley & Virgil Barnes were second, Willie Calloway & Jim Riddle were third and Gary Fulbright & Don Hughes were fourth. Larry and Bob won a playoff of a three way tie for first.

The February tournament, a two man alternate shot competition saw 40 of our 73 members participate. Winners were Scott McPhail - Don Hughes, first; Bill Pulley - Nelson Childress, second; Will Cockrell - Bill Bowns, third.

Ways & Means Committe chairman Frank Smith needs volunteers to serve on this committee. See Frank or call him at 278-6912 in the evenings.

Your officers and committee chairmen want and need your help and suggestions to keep the "Linksters" going well. Try to take part in all the activities.

Here's to good golfing and good weather,

D V Lewis

D V Lewis, Secretary

"Oak Island Linksters" Golf Association

Bylaws:

1. The name of the association shall be the "Oak Island Linksters".
2. The purpose of this organization shall be to promote good sportsmanship, fellowship, fair handicaps, tournaments within the association, and matches with other clubs. Emphasis shall be placed upon good fellowship among its members in all its business, social, and recreational activities.
3. Association membership shall be limited to persons who have a valid Oak Island Golf Club handicap (Carolinas Golf Association USGA Handicap) or are in the process of actively establishing one and who are actively participating in golf and associated social activities at the Oak Island Golf Club. The manager of the Oak Island Golf Club will be an honorary member of the association.
4. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and an Assistant secretary-treasurer, all of whom shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected. The officers will be elected by the membership at the annual meeting of the Association.
5. The affairs of the Association shall be managed by a Board of Directors consisting of nine directors. The nine directors will include the officers, the oak Island Golf Club Manager, and three other members one of whom is elected for three years, one of whom is elected for two years, and one of whom is elected for one year. The Board shall have the power to a) fill any vacancies of the Board until the next election b) make bylaws c) fix annual dues and initiation fees d) elect, suspend, or expel members for valid and reasonable cause e) fix a limit to the Association's membership. Any five members of the Board shall constitute a quorum, with full authority to act, at any regular meeting. At special meetings of the Board seven members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for authority to act. At either regular or special meetings of the Board the President will have an additional vote to break any tie. The majority of those present and voting at any meeting of the Board shall be sufficient to decide any issue, except as otherwise provided herein.
6. There shall be four standing committees: Rules & Bylaws, Ways & Means, Activities & Tournaments, and Membership.
7. The Membership Committee shall provide the Board their recommendation regarding acceptance or declination of any proposed member.
8. The Ways & Means Committee shall be responsible for promotions and fund raising.
9. The Activities & Tournaments Committee shall organize, under the general direction of the Board of Directors, all Association tournaments. The committee shall be responsible to verify all guests' handicaps.
10. The Rules & Bylaws Committee shall establish all playing rules and shall make recommendations to the Board to keep the Bylaws of the Association viable and current.
11. The annual meeting of the Association for the election of directors and officers shall be held on the last Thursday in November of each year. Meetings of the Association may be called by the President