



Dave Marlow: President Will Lamar: Vice President
Pete Caldwell: Treasurer Tony Vincent: Secretary

Minutes from this month's meeting

GCDGA Meeting Date & Location:

June 2nd 2025 at O'Bryon's

Start time and those people present: 7:05

Those present were Dave Marlow, Tony Vincent, Pete Caldwell, Alec Hengehold & Sam Antoline.

Committees:

Club to file a 990N Post Card taxes on-line. More than \$50,000 may have to do a fancier version.

Current Financial balances:

Money Market:	\$16,118
PayPal:	\$957
PNC Checking:	\$19,129
Total:	\$36,204

\$38,000 came through PayPal back and forth over the year.
Pay has been buzzing with new members.

Deposits:

Vendor Cash	\$220.00
GCDGA Leagues	\$410.00

Checks:

Club has a million dollar umbrella for some tournaments.

Benevity Is a way for companies to let their employees donate to charities. We have raised \$235 so far.

Money Market and bank account update: Peter and Karen Caldwell including Ryan Freibert are authorized signatures for banking and Financial responsibilities particularly when dealing with Vanguard Investments for Club assets.

CincinnatiDGA@gmail.com Paypal account

Appropriations:

Fox Run DGC	\$2400 (Holding money for the future course.)
Hall of Fame	\$935 It was not put in a bank. We are just holding it.

Money to do some work at Lincoln Ridge \$900 from Queen City Showdown. Plus the club is looking to add \$1000 to this total to help out.

Website:

Set up email at GCDGA tried to e-mail a large list, did not work. Needs to upgrade to allow for larger lists

Use Google Docs for keeping things updated.

Sam e-mail santoline@gmail.com send minutes

Membership:**Tournaments & Events:****Sponsor List**

Ask sponsors if they want to sponsor for 2025, The Nati; Disc N Dat; Hen of the Woods chips; RDI; Play It Again Sports

Vandemark is added \$500 to the Pig as Sponsorship.

See if we can be able to find a course person that can be able to help with events at that particular course.

May 22nd Christ Hospital Health Fair. Health benefits. Table, may be able to sell merch, put up a practice basket.

May 23rd NKY Senior Games, 75 People were there. They had groups that went around from activity to activity.

May 31st Johnson Hills Am only. June 1st Pro only. We had 52 ams and 61 pros for the tournament. All went well.

July 13th Thornagetton

August 22nd -24th Idlewild Open

September 13th & 14th Flying Pig Open(Players Pack) Add Johnson Hills instead of Harbin for this year.

October 4th Burnett

November 1st Lincoln Ridge

December 20th or 21st Winter Wonderland. Members only, short 24 at Idlewild, Free to play, the club will add \$10 per head for the payout.

Do we want to get event sponsors for this year.

For future years we want to make sure there are at least three people in each pro-division except for

under served. We may even start go to Max people minus 4.

New years day. Winton woods is plan may have to go to Woodland. Need to talk Great parks about event.

FLYING PIG OPEN

Next year Pig. May be able to make the egress to and from some of the holes to make them easier to walk. May have the extra 6 holes as well. Could create a Champ 18. Harbin could very well be done with the redo. At Mt. Airy, make 11 short or mid to help with flow.

Johnson Hills instead of Harbin for 2025

\$100 Pro

\$80 Age Protected

\$60 Ams (We may have to adjust based on possible PDGA requirements)

Disc, Towel & Tacky Sak

While not an A this year we are hoping to make an A soon. This is good practice for hosting AM World's

Play it Again Sports are back for Pig Sponsorship for \$2000 for 2025.

Refund Policy. Players who officially request to withdraw from an event 7 days before the start of the event will receive 100% refund minus fees. If the request is between 2 and 7 days before the start of the event the player will receive 100% refund minus fee ONLY if their spot in the tournament is filled by a player who is on the waitlist. If the spot is NOT filled, the player will receive 50% refund or the players pack in case of Am player (if applicable). If the request is made sooner than 2 days from the Sstart of the event there is no refund. Exceptions can be made in some cases.

Park Liaison:

Hamilton County:

Embshoff:

Miami Whitewater:

Winton Woods: Winton is now open. Hopefully they will be careful for a while.

Woodland Mound:

City of Cincinnati:

Mt. Airy:

Burnet Woods:

Dunham: Holes will be filled with gravel, then the tees will be framed, followed by putting in the concrete.

Amelia Shank Park:

Batavia:

Johnson Hills: Pete had two trees fall down on hole 5. After tournament, Pete is looking to ask the parks to put in concrete for the tees again.

Kentucky:

Boone Woods: A number of tee signs have been messed with over the last couple of months.

Devou:

A.J. Jolly:

Idlewild:

Highland Hills:

Lincoln Ridge (Banklick): There is a discussion about how much honeysuckle should we be taking out. Problem is, there are many places where the honeysuckle is used as a barrier. Still looking to put in a terrace around some areas. Steps are going in between 5 and 6.

Walton:

Verona:

Pinhook (Grant County):

Fairfield

Harbin: April budget for material was approved.

Warren County

Mason Sports Park:

Armco:

Cowan Lake State Park:

Gully:

Lebanon:

Millikan:

Oxford:

Monroe:

Hueston Woods:

Gardner:

Heritage:

Williamsburg:

Cincy State:

Stonelick:

Goshen:

South Fork bridge is being worked on and is closed currently. If we can find a way to pick up some of the older 4x6's we could reuse them.

Vineyard: Planning an event on July 11th to benefit one of the ministries of the church. May ask for some volunteers to do a clinic or two. Tom McManesse will be helping out and using a few of our baskets.

Sam talked with the Clearmont County parks guy. They may want a course in East Fork park. The main idea is to try to get people come to the county.

Course Ambassador: Dave is Stepping up to take control of this program.

4/14 Dave is getting a few more people lined up.

Dave have 19 courses with an ambassador.

Dave met with Pete about a few people as various ambassadors.

What each ambassador will get; GCDGA Membership, Club Shirt (\$20 per shirt), maybe get a small metal mini. We have the ability to purchase PDGA Membership for those members that are actually working on their course.

Need to reach out to current people that are helping out at courses, to see if they want to be an ambassador with benefits.

Old Business:

Youth League, we need to reach out and see if we can try, to help out with this some more.

New Business:

May re-look into the refund policy now that tournaments are not filling up as much.

Make sure our about section on the tournament page makes sense. Do not switch courses a few days before the tournament. Things for us to remember to not do.

Should we reach out to Jason Ruthan to buy the Cincy Disc Golfers FB page, and rebrand it to be the GCDGA Group Page.

High Grain is hoping to do a league at Winton Woods (Woodland?), They are looking to do the whole thing. We can work with them to help with running it.

Pete is looking into getting a bunch of next tee arrows and have us order a bag of them.

Will is working on a few ideas for a tournament/clinic.

Adjournment: 8:40

Greater Cincinnati Disc Golf Association Officers installed as of January 2024:

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Minutes are approved by: _____ Date: _____

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