

January 6, 2026 Meeting Minutes

MYA Golf Board Meeting

Board Members in Attendance: Kim, Travis, Mike, Anne, Amanda, Pam

Board Members Absent: None

Start time: 7:08

End time: 8:15

Agenda:

- 1) Registration Numbers/Coaching Numbers
 - a) Grades 5-8: 4 coaches confirmed, supporting 20 players.
 - b) Grades K-4: currently 3 coaches, supporting max of 12 players (2 others are tentative). Only 5 spots will be released when registration opens on Jan. 26 unless more coaches/assistant coaches volunteer.
 - c) Board discussed coach discount options. Tracking of volunteers and budget concerns were noted.
 - d) Main barrier to volunteer recruitment is perceived required golf skills and limited volunteer time.
 - e) Email will be sent to ask for coaches/assistant coaches, emphasizing no experience is required, and ask for Monday/Tuesday availability.

- 2) K-2 Program Structure
 - a) Options: Do not take K-2 onto course; use range/field sessions. Mix sessions with five K-2 plus five 3-4 for sessions. Shorten K-2 instruction segments to 30 minutes where helpful.
 - b) Parent or designee must remain with K-2 participants during practices.

- 3) Training, Pros & Budget
 - a) \$1000 allocated for coach training or occasional pro instruction.
 - b) Ken Hamill (Stonebridge CC) expressed interest and quoted roughly \$100 per session.
 - c) Current registration covers balls, green fees, jersey, equipment. Net is \$50 per child. Consider adding \$20-\$25 per child to fund pro sessions if needed.

- 4) Equipment and Clubs
 - a) Donated clubs available to lend and to take home for practice. Consider a small rental fee to replace them in the event clubs are not returned.
 - b) Kim will try to set up a prepaid range account with Amherst to simplify bucket purchases.

- 5) Next Steps

- a) Kim: Send email announcing registration date and asking for assistant coaches/coaches. Add availability question (Mon/Tues). Send registration email Jan 26, announce 5 spots for K-4 (depending upon response for additional coaches). Parental attendance acknowledgement included with registration. Establish prepaid range account with Amherst for bucket purchases.
- b) Mike: Contact pro Ken Hamill at Stonebridge CC for session quote and availability.
- c) Amanda: Contact pro Mike at Souhegan Woods for availability and pricing.
- d) Travis: Finalize preferred session structure (range/field mix, K-2 approach).
- e) All Board Members: Send equipment purchase suggestions to Kim before Feb. 3rd meeting.

Next meeting Time/Date:

February 3rd (virtual via Teams) at 7pm
Motion of adjourn

Meeting Minutes approved at February 3rd, 2026 Board Meeting