



Board meeting Minutes for Wednesday, May 22, 2025 @ 1pm at BW's

Member attendees: Becky Warrington, Heather Lavendar, Debbie Matheson, Cindy Paquette

1. Call to order at 1 pm
2. Land Acknowledgement
3. Approval of previous minutes (approved)
4. Shed construction update
  - a. The most recent update was that the shed would be ready at the end of spring.
5. Event review to date
  - a. If you cannot play, please remove your name from the event list. Those on the wait list will then automatically be contacted. If you are wait listed for an event, please monitor your e-mail. Please respond promptly when you have been contacted about a spot opening up. Do NOT seek a substitution on your own as this interferes with fairness.
  - b. Average fill rates for each of the events discussed:
    - i. Monday format is working well (winners and runners up)
    - ii. Tuesday 3.5 is filling, but <3.5 is not
    - iii. Wednesday Men's Round Robin is not filling. This will be reduced to one court until such time as we have 8 men signing up. In the interim, we will increase the Women's Round Robin so that 12 may participate. There have been wait lists for the Women's Round Robin.
    - iv. The ladder is working well in this new format. The event is always full with a few people waitlisted.
    - v. Denise is having a very good turnout at skills and drills.
    - vi. The Friday night King's Court has space. Time will be changed to 6-8 to accommodate working folks.
    - vii. Given the current waitlist situation for Saturday events, please sign up for only one event on Saturday until further notice.
  - c. Discussion of wet surfaces, etc., due to inclement weather. Remind members that they should determine whether they feel the conditions are safe for their own play.
6. National Pickle Ball Day Plan for Saturday August 9<sup>th</sup>
  - a. Registration dates to be added to website. Opening Sunday, July 6<sup>th</sup>. Closing July 27<sup>th</sup>.
  - b. Hours of operation: 8:30-2:30
  - c. Volunteers: 8-10 required with some at the ready to fill in if people cancel last minute.
  - d. Lunch options from Kerry Park (payment on website to include applicable taxes)
  - e. Cost of event (Dill Pickleball tournament on Sunday July 6<sup>th</sup> was \$30 including lunch)
  - f. Prizes for each event ` local businesses to be approached
  - g. 50/50 tickets

- h. We will have a few snacks available: water bottles, oranges, bananas
  - i. SCPC apparel for sale
- 7. Cindy provided information about instructors who will be in the area the first week of August and may be interested in providing a clinic and/or private lessons.

Next meetings:

W June 25<sup>th</sup> @1pm Heather's

W July 30<sup>th</sup> @1pm Cindy's

W Aug 6<sup>th</sup> @ 1pm TBD