

**SCW Pickleball Membership Meeting
Wednesday February 16, 2022**

The meeting was called to order by the President, Eileen Freydborg.

There was a quorum with 169 members in attendance.

President – Eileen Freydborg

A motion was made to approve the January 2022 minutes by Gary Saelens, seconded by Marcy Kaufman. Motion passed.

Treasurer – Pam Vermeer

Top line report was presented.
Total bank balance \$137,660.53
Bank Checking-\$28,561.03
Money Market Account-\$59,099.50
CD-\$50,000.00

Membership – Per Barcelo

Peg reported that at the end of January we had 1390 members.

Ken Holtz

Western Bank will give our club \$100 for every account that pickleball members open.

FITS Charity Ball Drop tickets are on sale.

Jim Vermeer

There will be a potluck meal after the reciprocal play here on March 20th.

Larry Haas

The sweat-birds were victorious in the Snowbirds vs Sweat-birds tournament.

Club Championships is March 24th -26th. Participants must have a club rating or a UPTR rating. New groups being added this year are 2.0 and 2.5 as well as a 70's bracket. Sign up will start March 11th.

FITS is March 7-10th. Sign up to play or volunteer.

Training for being a line judge is March 4th at 1pm.

UPDATES-Eileen Freydborg

Club Track – This is the system that you are scanning your membership card and picking pickleball as the club you are using. Members are to do this every time you enter the Liberty courts. You are also to scan your card on the swipe machine or sign the sheets on the table. We need the numbers to support our club's growing needs.

Courts – We are aware that the courts are very dirty. The Rec Center is short staffed at the moment, but with the help of some club members the courts will be cleaned.

Membership Meetings/Prime Desserts – We are in need of food volunteers for the March, April, and May meetings. We will also be putting a committee together to organize food and desserts for future meetings.

Volunteers – If you would like to volunteer at any events, please contact Nancy Martin.

Communication – We, as the Board, are doing what we feel is best for the majority of our members not one person or 10 people or one group but for the 1390 members. Please feel free to communicate your thoughts with the Board. If you are doing so by the way of email, please take a step back and read what you have written before hitting send. Killing it with kindness goes a long way. Think about the whole situation, think about what it takes to run the whole club, and please be kind.

Officer at Large – Danielle Smith

Glow in the dark pickleball February 18th. Sponsor Eileen Freydborg
Ice Cream Social is March 31st. Sponsor is Larry Ott
End of season bash is April 8th. Sponsor is Prime Wealth
Cinco de Mayo is May 5th.

Comments from Members

- *Invite Members that are sitting at the courts by themselves into you group to play.
- *Thank you to the Board for everything that you do. Please consider bringing back some of the women's social groups to Liberty courts in the morning opposed to the women's drop in.
- *Thank you for my addiction to pickleball.
- *Consider more bag hangers at Sands courts.
- *Can the club look into a vacuum for cleaning the courts?
- *Dinking only tournament
- *Windscreens at Sands Courts are dirty. The Rec Center will be purchasing new ones.

Thank you to the Drop Shot Divas for dinner.

A motion to adjourn was made by Gary Saelens, Jim Vermeer seconded. Motion passed.

Meeting was adjourned.