



FEBRUARY 2026

## Understanding the Constitution of Bylaws

Did you know that the Southshore Sportsman Club operates under a Constitution of Bylaws that must be filed with the State of Ohio? We recently made an amendment to our constitution, which raised some important questions: Do our members know that this document exists? What is required to implement a change?

It is the responsibility of the Board Officers and Trustees to adhere to and uphold the Articles of the SSS Constitution. When a suggestion arises that may alter our constitution, there are specific steps that must be followed to implement that change.

1. A board member must propose and make a motion for the change to the entire Board.
2. Another board member must agree and second that motion.
3. The Board must then hold a vote to pass the motion, which subsequently presents the proposal to the Membership.
4. The proposal, along with its implications for the constitution, must be read during three consecutive meetings, allowing the Membership to ask questions or express concerns.
5. After the third reading, the President will invite a member from the floor to motion for the adoption of the new resolution or change.
6. Following the motion and a second, the resolution will be put to a vote, typically through a verbal consensus or a show of hands.

By understanding how these steps work, each member becomes part of preserving the club's foundation. Your awareness and involvement help guide the club forward. Thank you for being part of the SSS family and caring about its laws and traditions.

## BONNIE'S FRIDAY NIGHT EATS

FEB 6 CABBAGE ROLL AND MASHED POTATOES  
FEB 13 SLOPPY JOE'S, BAKED BEANS AND CHIPS  
NO FOOD WILL BE OFFERED DURING THE LENTEN SEASON

## CLUB HOURS

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 6PM - 10PM  
FRIDAY & SATURDAY 4PM - 11PM  
SUNDAY 1PM - 7PM

## Come Out to the Club

WEDNESDAYS 7-9:00

BAR POKER

THURSDAYS 7-9:00

SHOW ME THE MONEY!

FEBRUARY 7 - 6:00

CHARCUTERIE CLASS  
(FULL)

FEBRUARY 8 - 1:00

SHUFFLEBOARD  
TOURNAMENT &  
PRESUPER BOWL PARTY

FEBRUARY 13 - 7:00

RAN OVER FRITZ

FEBRUARY 28

DIVE BAR BUS TRIP

MARCH 1 - 2:00

CLUB MEETING

MARCH 20 - 6:00

ST. PATTY'S PARTY  
COPPER STILL COWBOYS

MARCH 28

CASINO BUS TRIP  
(FULL)

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# NEW ADDITION TO THE SSS CONSTITUTION

## Article III Membership

*Sec. 9 Upon the death of a member, the surviving spouse may assume the deceased spouse's membership upon request. Surviving spouse will have 60 days from the time of death to notify the board of their wishes. After 60 days, the deceased membership will be considered as surrendered.*

A full copy of our constitution is available for viewing at the club. Any questions may be directed to any board member.

### QUICK SURVEY

If you haven't already completed the survey attached to last month's email, please take moment to do so now. We still want to hear from you!

## INTERESTED IN BECOMING A BOARD MEMBER?

- Talk to any current board member about the roles and responsibilities.
- Reach out to a member of the nominating committee: Stephanie Miller, Lori Herman or Bonnie Rutschilling
- Candidates will be announced at the April Club Meeting.

