



Meeting Minutes for the Ely Pickleball Club Board Meeting
Wednesday August 11, 2021
Whiteside Park

1. Meeting called to order at 1205pm

Attendance;

Roger Murawski, Mary Mills, Lindsey Lang, Annette Riley, Harlan Lundstrom, Don Hedin

2. Approval of July 14, 2021 minutes

- a) Motion by Annette to accept the July minutes, second by Lindsey
- b) Motion passed 6 Aye 0 Nay

3. Treasurer's Report

The current balance is \$6600.84, we had income of \$1260 and expenses of \$234.33.

Motion by Don to accept the Treasurers report as presented by Lindsey, second by Roger

- a) Motion passed 6 Aye 0 Nay

4. Old Business

- a) Corn fund raiser – Thank you to Ely Northland Market
 - 1. Mary gave a report on the fund raiser results
 - 1. see addendum 1
 - 2. Mary will send Northland Market a thank you letter.
- b) Beginner update; Paddle request
 - 1. Harlan send out request for used paddles.
- c) Beginner lessons update
 - 1. We are caught up on lesson requests.
- d) New court update – Roger
 - 1. Committee is meeting tomorrow. Denis Miller, Craig Seydel, Roger Murawski make up the committee. Discussed sending out a survey to the members asking for direction. The committee will develop a survey which could be handed out at the picnic along with Ballots and would be anonymous. Need to develop a plan.
- e) Board member nominees
 - 1. There were no nominees. Don and Lindsey would be ok with staying on the board until replacements could be found. Mary will announce at the picnic that we are looking for 2 board members.
- f) Picnic
 - 1. Annette reserved the pavilion at Whiteside Park for Wednesday September 1, 11 to 1500. Mary is developing a flyer. The club will provide paper plates, napkins, plastic spoons, and forks. Don will bring power cords.

5. New Business

- 1. Pace of play: Policy for warming up?
 - 1. If a person comes late (after 8am) they should not expect others to wait for them to warm up.
- 2. T-shirts
 - 1. Jeanne ordered the shirts which are in. The club will be paying for Jim Hudsons shirt

since he covered the corn fund raiser. Jeanne does have extra shirts for people to buy in the future. Thank you Jeanne!

3. Update of court sign
 1. The sign on the fence should say - "play is Monday thru Friday."
4. VCC Scholarship
 1. Discussed if we should use our fund or have a tournament. The scholarships are given out in the spring. Will continue discussion at a later meeting.
5. Level play times
 1. Tuesdays and Thursdays would be designated times by level (levels are Advanced and Intermediate). The paddle boxes would be winners and challengers during level play. Tuesdays Intermediate play 8-1030 and Advanced play 1030-1, Thursdays would switch Advanced 8-1030, Intermediate 1030-1. M, W, F would stay the current system, the paddle boxes would be winners and challengers 8-10am and then go to Advanced and Intermediate at 10am to 12pm.
6. Member rating level designation
 1. If someone wants to be considered advanced they have to be rated by a group of advanced players.
 2. The board went through the member list and set levels. Next Monday we will post the list.
 3. Lindsey will draft an explanation as to what the board is proposing that would go out with the list.
 4. This will also help with which box players should put their paddles in, Advanced or Intermediate.
7. Update contact list
 1. Harlan will send out contact list and ask for any updates.
6. Other business
 1. Roger needs to inventory the club assets according to the bylaws.
7. Next meeting date September 8, 2021 at 12pm Whiteside Park
8. Motion to adjourn by Lindsey, second by Annette
meeting adjourned @215pm

Addendum 1

2021 Pickleball Corn Fundraiser Notes

50 dozen corn = 600 ears
2.5 lbs of butter
1 pkg napkins
1 roll paper towels
4 tablecloths
4 tables
1 shade canopy
2 turkey fryers
plastic bags (for selling by the dozen)
boats (supplied by NLM, could have also used paper plates)

Friday sales	Thursday Sales
\$509.00 – corn	\$400.00-corn
\$74.00 – donations	\$69.00 – donations

129 individuals ears	263 ears sold
96- 8 dozen shucked @16/dz	@ \$2/ear
120- 10 dozen unshucked @\$14/dz	\$3/2 ears
345 ears total	
Total=\$1,052.00	

Sold @Ely Northland Market on July 15 & 16
along side the Burgers and Brats for kids fundraiser

Started setting up at 9am
sold from 11am to 2pm
Once things were set up only needed 6 volunteers to do the selling.