9.5.19 SCPC Meeting Notes

Meeting called to order at approximately 1pm

Present: Bruce Carpenter(VP), Robin Lewis Kane(Sec.), Vivian Bousquet(Treas.), Lori Chase(Tollgate Advisor), Bill Benson(BBR Advisor).
Absent with Apologies: Clark Brody(Pres.)
Guest: Beth Carpenter

Business Discussed:

- Bruce hopes, in search for financial/material support, to "get a little from a lot of people"—including the school district, the City, SPRD as well as monies raised by the Club.
- Membership dues would primarily fund operating costs as opposed to donations which would fund capital investments.
- Additional funding sources discussed include a \$250 ASAP Grant if SCPC is listed on their Places to Play app. And Amazon has a program for nonprofits through which donations of .5% of an individual's total purchase can be donated to the Club.
- Membership tiers/information
 It was proposed that there should be one basic membership costing \$15.
 Additional member options would include 3 donor levels:
 Silver (\$50+), Gold (\$100+), and Platinum (\$500+). Donations would be tax deductible.
 Lifetime Member level was eliminated.
- As a group we rewrote the Bend PC Membership description to more accurately reflect SCPC's membership plans.

Action Items:

- Lori will redo membership form.
- Bruce will call Pickleball Central to check on the Club Rewards Program.
- Bruce will meet with SPRD and the school district tomorrow, 9.6.19 about current plans and will float the idea of the school potentially pitching in maintenance funds.
- Vivian will check with Courtney at SPRD on three items. First, is SPRD or SCPC responsible for sending donor tax receipts. Secondly, can member dues be paid with PayPal AND credit card? Finally, she will also ask Courtney about the Amazon nonprofits program.
- Bruce will find out who to contact and ask about banners with advertising being hung on court fences.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30pm