

SCHH Pickleball Club Board minutes Jan 21, 2026

Rick called the meeting to order at 2 pm. Present were Rick Wright – president, Sandy Donaldson – vice president, Mike Bunamo – treasurer, Andy Robinson – secretary and members at large – Kathi Fleming, Bob Grueser and Stan Burzacki

December 2025 board meeting minutes – Bob motioned to approve, Sandy seconded and passed on unanimous voice vote.

Financial report – Mike presented that on Dec 31, 2025, the club had cash and investments totaling \$170,107.39. That includes \$55,000 in CD's and \$6,709.53 in the Low Country tournament account which is an increase of \$289.53 since last month end. There is \$108,397.86 in the main checking account which is an increase of \$45,998.76 from November. Revenues increased by \$63,931.34 from a maturing CD, club dues, shirt sales and dinner dance revenue. Expenses increased by \$1,532.24 mainly from the purchase of 2 court drying machines. After discussion the board agreed to buy a \$50,000 CD to mature in 6 months.

Membership – As of Jan 21 the club had 1,533 members – 1,440 pickleball, 6 pickle tennis and 87 both.

OLD BUSINESS

Projects – Stan reported that he anticipates the need for west court drying equipment to be 6 brooms and 6 roll dry rollers to start. He will attempt to meet with Bill Martin to see if the community association is going to provide the initial supplying of the west courts with seating, wind screens and/or shed. Stan will also investigate options for ground outside court 10 and other high traffic areas to potentially get them to re-sod or come up with better solution to keep dirt off the courts. Stan is going to install signage for new drying machine to help keep it clean and point out proper usage and how to store it.

Court Reserve – on boarding call – first call was successful and second call will be scheduled soon with projected go live of March 1. Discussion around using credit card through Court Reserve as payment for dues, clinics, etc. instead of CAM usage. 2.9% fee and a \$.30 per transaction charge which Mike provided examples and didn't appear to be much of a financial burden for the club. Motion to use Stripe for credit card transactions instead of CAM was brought by Stan and seconded by Sandy. Vote failed 4-2 so initially we will stay with CAM charges. Much discussion on the parameters that the club wants to set to begin the process with Court Reserve. The club can set parameters around when club members can reserve versus nonmembers, how many times a week you can reserve courts, who can reserve during peak hours, etc. The

parameters will be established before go live so the members will know how to use the system and what the parameters are. Prior to go live the club will provide videos, workshops and a help desk to smooth the transition. Matt Halphen has agreed to help with these.

Low Country League – Brian has signed a new contract that will begin with the spring session. Sun City residents will pay \$21.00 to play in the league.

New Business

Training – Clinics/Classes – the waiver continues to be an unacceptable form for our volunteer trainers to sign. Continued discussion to better understand volunteers deemed as contractors as well as roll out to other Sun City groups in on going. As of now training will not restart until resolved.

Social – Bob is working on a social event in March. It would be a trip to the Savannah Theater to see The Million Dollar Quartet.

Meeting adjourned at 4:04 pm