

AGENDA & REPORTS

Green Valley Recreation Pickleball Club Board of Directors Meeting
Thursday, March 17, 2022 – 3 pm – East Center Auditorium

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1. Roll Call – Reynolds
2. Approve [02/10/2022 Meeting Minutes](#) and [03/18/2021 Annual Meeting Minutes](#) - Reynolds
3. Treasurer's Report – Furumoto
 - As of February 11, 2022
 - Checking Acct Balance \$19,114.02
 - Savings \$28,721.27
 - Total \$47,835.29
 - Net Change from January 13, 2022: \$3,844.26

 - Highlights
 - Income: Dues \$5,913, Name Badges \$800, Clothing \$505
 - Expenses: Pickleballs \$521, Websites \$1,549, Social \$598
4. Work Area Reports (see below)
5. Old Business
6. New Business
 - a. Proposed Motion: Allocate up to \$500 to purchase club logo'd shirts for Developing Skills volunteer coaches - Rowsam
 - b. Court Scheduling & Usage Survey Analysis and Recommendations - Furumoto
 - c. 2023 GVR Club Capital Funding Requests - May
 - d. 2022 Election Results - Rowsam
7. Board Comments
8. Member Comments
9. Closing Comments

Adjourn

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Committee / Work Area Reports 03/17/2022 Annual Meeting

President, Gina Rowsam

GVR UPDATE

Numerous work orders have been circulating during the past several weeks relating to general facility maintenance (thank you Paul May) and preparations for the upcoming Southern Arizona Senior Games tournament (thank you Donna Davis and tournament crew) to be held at the Kent J. Blumenthal Pickleball Center. We appreciate the support and responsiveness of the GVR administration and staff.

COURT SCHEDULING AND USAGE SURVEY

Analysis and recommendations for schedule adjustments will be discussed at the annual meeting and interested members are encouraged to attend. A huge thank you for the nearly 325 members who submitted their responses!

PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

I recently refereed a tournament in Tucson where some players were talking about the program and facilities in Green Valley and how they wished they could be part of such a community versus having to play in many and disparate places in order to develop as players and get games. We really are so fortunate to have what we do and you will see in Carol Hammerle's report just why that is so as it relates to player development. Our volunteers are amazing!

SASG

Best wishes to all our club members who will play in the return of the Southern Arizona Senior Games March 18-20, 2022. And many thanks to all of our members who are volunteering to make it a great experience! See Donna Davis' report below.

VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION & APPRECIATION

At our April 2, 2022 Dink & Dine we will recognize club volunteers. [Click here to complete the volunteer survey](#) (closes on 03/22/22).

TRANSITION TIME!

Much gratitude to those willing to run for club office, serve as volunteers, and be the continued breath in the life of this fantastic club! While we continue to experience some growing pains as we work to identify and accommodate the evolving needs of the membership, it is gratifying to see the excitement and enthusiasm of our new members.

Past-President, Jeff Harrell

No Report

Vice President, Mike Clemens

No Report

Treasurer, Patrick Furumoto

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Secretary, Janet Reynolds - Meeting Records, Member Photos

51 new members in Month of February 2022:

Daniel Taylor, Julie Taylor, Stephen Schein, Stephanie Loiacono, Ronald Aigner, Bob Landry, Jerilyn Champagne, Ken King, Janice Archibald, Jerry Miller, Barbara Trentadue, Michael McCrann, Ward Clark, Lesli Konigsberger, Sue Johnson, Laura Bond, Gary Ream, Angela Krahulec, Jim Green, Janet Fuller, Tom Taylor, Thomas Taraba, David Wick, Keith Riley, Jane Riley, Arne Hales, Martin Jaeggli, Paula Williamson, Dennis R Borkgren, Christine Jaeggli, Arlene Baiza, Craig Hardy, Cynthia Taylor, Jeanne Carr, Lizetta Smith, Linda Dodge, Eileen Gordon, Trish Landry, Thomas Clark, Penny VanOurkerk, Brian Lauby, Jeff Washburn, Julie Lutze, Marina Carey-Harsha, Mary Agan, Teri Grier, Elaine Korsch, Mike VanOurkerk, Samuel Gorsline III, Grant Stewart, Todd Lutze

Club Membership 2021: We had 204 new members join in the calendar year 2021. Bringing the total membership to approximately 1000 as of 12-31-21.

Member at Large, Paul May - 3.5 Rep, Policy Manual & Court Maintenance

- Minimum 2xweek ball replacements at PC. Currently running an everyday count around 5pm.
- Net adjustment all ball replacements at CR 1xweek. Joe Stutler and others keeping an eye out at EC for balls and net adjustment. I check it myself 2xweek.
- Carted ball hoppers to KJB. Twice carted ball to PC and dropped a case of balls off at EC and CR.
- Met with Eddie Pacheco from GVR with Gina Rowsam going over future plans re: security gates/keeping players off the gravel. Also discussed filling in the two foot area behind 5,6,7,8 at PC.
- Notified GVR re: no paper towels for PC ladies restroom and no toilet tissue either.
- Notified GVR regarding men's PC restroom auto door not working.
- Submitted work order request for GVR gate adjustments. This seems to be a constant issue.
- Submitted WO request to replace ice machine at PC.
- Removed a lot of sagebrush from the courts and property. Following day GVR went over the PC property using pitchforks and removing sagebrush.
- Checked all Referee stopwatches for working batteries and replaced batteries.
- 2nd WO Request regarding signs for keeping off the gravel at PC.
- Rearranged the Office and Maintenance Room at PC.
- Requested Treasurer to order more balls.

Member at Large, Mike McCarry - 4.0+ Rep, Player Development & Ratings

No report.

Member at Large, Mary Wright - 3.0 Rep, Social Committee

Social - Dink & Dine (Pickleball & Cornhole) on 2/19th @ East Center. Over 100 members & guests attended. CEO Scott Somers attended with husband, Tom Taraba.

April Social on 4/2 at East Center. Club will acknowledge & recognize members who make our programming & events possible. Pizza & Dessert will be provided.

Wellness - Mailed two Get Well cards to members.

Player Development Committee - Carol Hammerle, Chair

Overall GVR pickleball classes were a huge success with PB 101 processing 48 players through each month. We did have an issue with players who moved from PB 101 into Developing Skills that became very comfortable in the DS class. This created a backlog for players in PB 101. Even with 8 courts and 32 participants, no one was moving on so Bob Seeman

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moved 2.5 players out . Dean Beilke was asked to block 2.5 players from signing up for DS. In addition, non pickleball club players will no longer be allowed to sign up for DS.

APPL is in the last month of competition with the play offs scheduled in April. Both 2.5 men's and women's teams have been quite successful. Also, the 4.5/5.0 men's team which is a combination of Quail Creek and GVR are doing quite well. Once competition is completed, I plan to meet with captains to discuss concerns and issues to improve next year.

Feeder program for Skill test ratings has gone quite well. Many of the participants are actively involved in the PSD classes and the actual Skill testing portion. The Feeder Program will continue until the middle of April.

Ratings Committee should plan to meet immediately following the last testing dates in April to evaluate the success of the program and issues to be addressed for the future. I would strongly recommend the club review and assess the Rating Program this past year . Also, I would recommend the GVRPB Club select a female and male member to become certified in ITPTA. This would provide all club members the opportunity to select their rating system.

The summer player development program will begin in June for 2.5 to 3.0 , 3.0 to 3.5 and 3.5 to 4.0. Sign up on Pickleball Plus will be used like last summer.

Lastly, I would like to “thank” all of the individuals who have volunteered their time and expertise in coaching classes. We could not move this club in a positive direction without individuals who care and are always there to help. A very special “thank you” to Bob Seemann , Jane Hunt, Steve Hoge, John Frazier and Sam Schaen for their endless efforts with the Developing Skills Program. Also, thank you to the GVR pickleball instructors, Mike Gustin, Al Willette and Kathy Palese for all their time, preparation and patience to provide the best teaching environment.

Pickleball.Plus & Scheduling - Dean Beilke, Chair

Made a recent PC court schedule changes to add additional 3.0 RR's. There were many court schedule changes during March to accommodate event and SR-APPL match re-schedules because of weather related issues. There were several PBPlus changes done to add functionality to block some event signups that were occurring before specified dates and times. In addition time was spent on tracking and implementing the skill rating process. Significant amount of time was spent on preparing for the SASG to be held March 18-20th.

Webmaster - Sam Schaen, Chair

Continue to make routine updates, most notably to court schedules and upcoming events.

Tournaments - Donna Davis, Chair

Back to the Future

We have named the 2020 Games “The Tournament That Never Was” because it was canceled the week before it started due to the pandemic. It has become common to use the phrase “back to the future” to refer to something from the past being recycled in the present, thus the 2022 Southern Arizona Senior Games pickleball tournament has been dubbed our “Back to the Future Tournament” complete with retro medals, player gifts, and raffle items.

The tournament features 258 players and 89 volunteers. A special thanks to the tournament committee who have devoted many hours to help make this event a success each year – Gary Heintz, Dean Beilke, Deb McPartland, Paul May, Ellen Brancazio, Katie Peterson, Becky Lupo, Jan Johnson and Juliane DeLuccio.

Please note that the Pickleball Center will be closed for recreational play March 18, 19, and 20. You are welcome to attend as a spectator. Parking is limited. Consider carpooling, especially on Saturday. There will be an overflow parking lot and shuttle service on Saturday and Sunday.