

Tennis Club General Meeting
November 4, 2025, 3:00 pm
Auditorium

1. Meeting was called to order at 3:00 pm by President Les Fahey and Pledge of Allegiance was said.
2. Minutes of the 3/4/25 meeting were approved. Rod Gamble made a motion to approve which was seconded by Trent Stickell.

3. Officer Reports:

- **President** - Les read a letter from Genesis Project in thanks for our contribution which was given at our Welcome Back Party, totaling almost \$10,000.

Jon Peake was introduced and thanked for all his work for Tennis Club in setting up programs on the computer for our tennis tournament and our new court reservations plan.

Thanks to Larry Delp, Gary Thayer, and Jim Hertel who have done a terrific job in various maintenance projects in our community.

Thanks to Larry and Sheryl Delp for promoting new membership.

Thanks to Jerry Pointer for his work on Tenniscores, MCI, and updating the bylaws and policies and procedures.

Thanks to Al Hoen for leading the rating procedure of new members.

Thanks to Joe Hook for working on the New Court Reservation System.

Thanks to Sue Hertel, Sheryl Delp and Becky Hoffman for their work on the successful Welcome Back Party.

Vice President - Guy gave thanks to John Pearce and Jerry Pointer for the orientation for new captains. Also thanks to all the rec. captains.

Treasurer - Lois reported on the budget which was sent out prior to meeting.

The expenditures for the welcome back party were \$4,775.44 which will be in next month's budget report. She reviewed the upcoming SVE Holiday Tournament and explained the sign up sheet and the 3 methods of payment.

Secretary - Nancy asked that if any members that are not receiving emails from her, to please contact her to get put on the group email list.

4. Committee Reports

Social - Sue Hertel reported that the Welcome Back Party went well. The next Social Event is the Fun Day Nov. 29 & 30, Noon - 5. Women's White Rec 2 and Men's Blue Rec will be helping with this event.

Use of Funds - Larry Delp reported on fence repairs which cost \$12,000, Replaced all fence toppers for \$700.

Tournament Coordinator - Jerry Pointer announced the SVE Tournament being held Dec. 12-14. He also encouraged members to come out to Leisure World's Tournament this weekend.

Silent Rackets - Barb Pointer gave tribute to all the TC members that passed away this past year: Jim Mitchell, Pete VonBank, Renate Meyer, Leon Richardson, Cathy Idso, Bruce Evans.

Sunshine Committee - Nancy Fahey asked that if any member knows of a member that is ill or if there is a death, please notify her so that she can send a notice to all members as well as a remembrance to those affected.

SSV Mixed Doubles - John Snyder reported that Matt Hayduk has volunteered to be Grill Master. Also what is needed is 3 volunteers to take over coordinating the kitchen for the tournament. Next meeting we will vote on going to 3 guaranteed matches.

Scorekeepers - Barb Pointer reported that she needs more scorekeepers for this year. She passed around a list for editing and adding new names as scorekeepers. She will give instruction to new scorekeepers. List of scorekeepers is on our website under teams.

Training - Merle Bryan announced that the next training will be Monday (Nov.17) Gave some tips on rehabbing when coming back from an injury or even with aging - work on balance exercises and shuffling from side to side.

Uniforms - Barb Pointer will be taking orders for shirts after the meeting. She also has some shirts to purchase. All shirts are white with black accents.

Beginning Tennis - Larry and Sheryl Delp had Tues. morning sessions throughout the summer and with the heat started Thursday evening sessions, for all new to tennis. Sheryl applied for a grant and received Red Ball Equipment which was then used on Thursday evenings at open tennis for all levels. Several members were thanked for bringing in new members.

Membership Committee - Larry D. has used \$180 of his \$2000 budget to purchase sign boards to put up on the days of open tennis to let the community know about the membership activities.

Bingo - Marcia Stein put out on the tables, lists of what Bingo has purchased with the income generated with Bingo. TC is a beneficiary of some of these things and in return we help with the set up on Thursdays before Bingo. We share this duty with Pickleball Club. TC will do setup The months of January and February and the week of March 5.

5. Nominating Committee - Rod Gamble, John Pierce, and Judy Sheridan-Christensen have volunteered to serve on this committee. Darryl Mullins made the motion to accept these 3, Diane Borle seconded and the motion was carried.

6. Change in Court Scheduling - Joe Hook explained the new court scheduling and fielded questions. Ball Machine Reservation new plan should be ready in another week. Instructions for the new court scheduling is on the website. A motion was made to approve this change by Jerry Pointer, it was seconded by Larry Delp and approved. **It will be a 7 day system vs 14 days and there will no longer be prime and non-prime time.**

7. Adoption of Red Ball - a motion was made by Larry Delp that SSVTC adopt Red Ball Tennis as an official club offering. This was seconded by Joela Marenda and the action was approved.

8. Center Court - Larry Delp made the motion that SSVTC approve the purchase of new comfortable seating (16 chairs) and two fire pits to enhance the viewing and social areas for tennis, bocce ball and shuffleboard activities. The total cost shall not exceed \$15,000, to be funded through the combination of contributions from the Tennis Club,

Bocce Ball, Shuffleboard, Bingo and the HOA. The motion was seconded by Rod Gamble. A paper vote was taken and the motion carried with a vote of 67yes to 31no. **9. Amendment to Bylaws** were reviewed by Jerry Pointer. These will be voted on at the next meeting.

10. Approve changes to Policies and Procedures - Jerry Pointer made a motion to approve the changes. Seconded by Darrel Mullins. Motion passed.

4:45 PM - Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Nancy Fahey, TC Secretary