

NCC Board Meeting



Date: 06/10/2026

Attendees:

Name	Position	Present (X indicates attended)
Justin Canfield	President	x
Jim Margalus	Vice President	x
Robyn Lippa	Treasurer	
Liz Rose	Secretary	x
Ashton Hanson	Communications Director	x
Chris Elliott	League Coordinator	
Jo Tricoff	Membership Coordinator	x
Abel Luna	Merchandise Chair	
	External Organization Representative	
Eric Kortebein	Member	x
	Member	
	Member	
	Member	

Agenda:

1. Call meeting to order
2. Approve the agenda
3. Approve the minutes from the previous meeting
4. Public comments (max. 10 minutes)
5. Review action items from previous meetings
6. League update
7. Financial update
8. Membership update
9. Other items
10. Adjournment

Minutes:

1. Call meeting to order
 - a. Justin motions to start the meeting, Liz seconds the motion, all approve
2. Approve the agenda
 - a. Justin motions to approve agenda, Jo seconds the motion, all approve

3. Approve the minutes from [previous meeting](#)
 - a. Justin motions to approve, Chris seconds the motion, all approve
4. Public comments (max. 10 minutes)
 - a.
5. Review action items from previous meetings
 - a. See table at the bottom of minutes
6. League update
 - a. Summer league
 - i. Dates:
 1. Music City league: start July 13, end August 23
 2. Open league: start July 6, end August 24
 - ii. Registration close date:
 - iii. Kick off date:
 - b. Drop-in league:
 - i. ~12 weeks (June through August)
 - ii. Chris and Eric will discuss registration (unlimited ice cost + additional fee to cover playpass costs)
 - c. Melt: before summer league
 - d. Fall league start week after Labor Day (i.e., 9/13-14) and run 8 straight weeks
 - e. Games streamed on YouTube <https://youtube.com/@kudzucurling>
 - i. Jim will create a NCC YouTube account (associate it with the club's google account). Then we will migrate from the Kudzu account to NCC for streaming. Eric will have access to the account to stream.
7. Financial update
 - a. Cash on hand: \$23,671.11 (as of the end of May)
 - b. Major Expenses for June
 - i. Leagues
 - ii. 5 year anniversary pins
 - iii. Name tags
 - c. Upcoming expenses
 - i. Name tag order, summer league fees
8. Membership update
 - a. 83 members (as of June 10)
 - b. Name tag order - will place order in time to get name tags for bonspiel season
 - c. Jo will meet with Liz to learn playpass, google, etc.
 - d. Justin will contact Gary to connect with Jo about USAC and GNCC membership updating
9. Other items
 - a. NCC 5-year pin
 - i. 2 designs from KingPins (a Canadian company)
 1. Cost for 200: guitar pick \$875, guitar \$1416
 - ii. We will explore LapelPinNow (an American company) to avoid tariffs
 - b. Bonspiel
 - i. Tee Line (Cass) is supportive of a spiel next year
 - ii. We need to start planning earlier and have a committee chair in place by the beginning of August and have a committee by September; hold bonspiel in conjunction with CMA Fest, end curling by 6pm daily
 1. Liz will reach out to people who were interested in helping this year to see who would like to help next year

- c. Possible "friendly" with Knoxville (or another close club) in August (proposed by Eric in lieu of the bonspiel)
 - i. Potentially 2 weekends, one here and one at the other club's venue; 4 teams from each club
 - ii. Eric will contact Knoxville to see if they're interested
10. Adjournment
- a. Next board meeting: July 8
 - b. Justin motions to adjourn, Jim seconds, all approve

Action Items

Item	Owner	Date Added	Due Date	Status (as of the beginning of the meeting)
Find a US manufacturer for NCC pins	Justin	1/7/26	7/1/26	https://www.lapelpinnow.com/product/lapel-pins/soft-enamel-pin \$2.86/pin + free shipping with orders of 100+ → new action item: send artwork to the manufacturer and get quote
Name tag order (include new members and people who need replacements) - use Zazzle	Jo	5/6/26	6/3/26	Jo asked in Discord if people need a nametag; she will also email members (Liz will show Jo how to find member list on playpass)
NCC 5-year anniversary pin design	Abel	3/4/26	6/3/26	Draft designs are here! → however, we will switch to the US manufacturer (see note two rows above); we will first order the 5-year anniversary pin to see how it turns out, then we will switch the NCC pin over to the US manufacturer
Talk to Tee Line about 3rd league	Justin/Chris	4/8/26	7/1/26	TeeLine would prefer that we do a league on Saturday morning - would need to be a super fun league or hypercompetitive to get people in; summer leagues tend to fill slowly, so consider 3rd league in the fall, potentially as a doubles league and start in August; could also do an

				early weekday morning for doubles or triples
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