

**CAPE FEAR PICKLEBALL CLUB  
BOARD MEETING**

**February 10, 2021**

**Board Members Present:** Kevin Chandler-President, Jeanne Login-Vice President, Brent Young-Treasurer, Ray Frieberg- Director of Communications, Lisa Cunningham-Secretary, Ken Huff-Director of Competition, Jackie Niedermayer-Director of Membership, Joe Reina-Co-Director of Training, Patty Hochwalt-Co-Director of Training, Suann More-Director of Social Events.

**Board Members absent:** All present.

Attendance is sufficient for a quorum. The meeting was called to order at 2:04pm. Kevin made a motion to approve the minutes from January meeting. Jackie seconded the motion. The Board approved the motion unanimously.

**OFFICERS REPORTS:**

**President - Kevin Chandler**

Responsibility for keys for equipment boxes at local courts has been transferred to Jeanne Login.

Jeanne Login has been added to the bank account in order to sign checks for the club. If the club makes a purchase over \$500, the check requires 2 signatures.

If you go to Greenfield Lake and court roller is not at the pickleball courts check the skate park. The roller at Robert Strange Park roller is currently missing.

The Board is in agreement with ball replenishment schedule and all balls will be the Onix brand. The ball replenishment schedule for NPR will be revised as most people use their own balls.

**Vice President - Jeanne Login**

Jeanne got 10 keys made for the equipment boxes at the local courts. Keys are available to members and are \$5 each. Patty Hochwalt –(co director of training) also has keys and will sell as needed to new club members who she comes in contact with during training sessions.

**Treasurer – Brent Young**

Brent has added his signature to the bank account. Balance as of the end of January \$9488.97.

**Secretary - Lisa Cunningham**

No report.

**Director of Membership - Jacke Niedermayer**

We currently have 288 members. This includes 27 new memberships since our January meeting.

On 1/17/21, a “Second Reminder” was emailed to the 190 members who had not yet renewed, notifying them that their membership expired on 12/31/20 and if membership was not renewed they would be removed from the CFPC rosters and website. The first reminder was sent from Ray to all members on 12/1/20.

- Forty-five members renewed after the first reminder.
- Sixty-one members renewed after the second reminder.

On 2/9/2021, 113 members were removed from the roster and website due to non-renewal. Six of

those had requested cancellation due to relocation or other reasons. The remaining members did not respond. Jackie expects some of the expired members to re-up, at which time they will be added back to the roster.

For comparison, last year (February 2020) we had 219 members and 84 were removed for non-renewal. This represents an increase for 2021 of 69 members, or 31.5%.

Jackie has received several requests from new members about obtaining a key to the equipment boxes, which have been forwarded to Jeanne. An additional sentence [see below in red] has been added to the CFPC welcome/acknowledgment email to provide instructions on obtaining keys:

Also, please familiarize yourself with one of our most popular links, <http://capefearpickleballclub.org/places-to-play/>, which provides a list of local pickleball venues, including play and training schedules. This link also contains information on how to obtain a key to the CFPC equipment boxes.

**Director of Communications - Ray Freiberg**

No report.

**Director of Competition-Ken Huff**

Information about leagues will be sent out in about a month. Kevin would like to know if we have heard from Pickleball Central in reference to the rewards we received from last year.

**Co Directors of Training - Patty Hochwalt/Joe Reina**

Joe will be taking over Saturday morning training for Patty beginning this week. Joe will make sure there are liability forms for anyone who attends the training.

**Director of Social Events – Suann More**

In March we should start looking for an outdoor event to be held in April.

**Old Business**

Permanent Public Pickleball Courts Committee-Suann reported that Henry has contacted Star News and local TV stations without response.

Question was raised about the possibility of club members attending a city council meeting to lobby for additional courts but due to Covid, meetings are via Zoom and club attendance not possible.

**New Business**

None

Next meeting Wednesday, March 10, 2021 Via Zoom.

Meeting adjourned at 2:25pm