Pickleball Board Meeting Notes July 10, 2025

ATTENDEES:

Jim Cooney, Jane Jakubec, Lisa Penton, Phil Bellis, Garland Erbele, Rich Loose

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes from the June 16 Board meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT: No report

MEMBERSHIP: No report

FALL TOURNAMENT:

Tournament Dates: September 20-21

Rain dates: Oct 4-5

Registration for members opens August 1-Sept 7

Registration for non-members opens August 22-Sept 7

Closing date of registration is Sept 7

Cost of tournament: \$35 for members, \$45 For non-

members,

No refund for inclement weather

Jim Cooney will contact the City to reserve courts,

confirm dates and reserve the picnic shelter

Saturday night of tournament- use of Picnic shelter for

possible barbecue or other food. More to follow

Potential Sponsor List to date:

Abbie and John Crum-Jackson Dental

Spencer Rossi- Top Shelf Realty (providing gift

certificates for 3 or 4 divisions

Frank and Kit Pavich- The Ice Man

Peyton - Luxury Vacation Rentals

Molly Penton-Zaidman- Mesa Store

Chris Mitchell- Edward Jones

Sponsor cost- \$100 Which includes 1 free player

entrance. Sponsors will be allowed to hang a banner.

Max size of banner is 4 x 6

Tournament Flyer: One will be generated to post around

town and to forward to Pickleball clubs in Rapid,

Mitchell and Sioux Falls to post to their Facebook pages. Flyer to be posted to our Facebook page as well. Three Divisions:

Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced - placements of players will be done by a committee
We are looking for an even amount of players
Ways to sign up: Sign Up Genius
Communication of Dates of play, divisions and times will be communicated via email or from Board members
Trophies- Clint Haxton has 9 trophies ready currently.
We are able to order more if the participation requires additional trophies.

Release forms will be needed. We will ask Craig to print these off. Participants are required to sign the Release form prior to play.

Volunteers Day of:

Registration table:

Seanna Linafelter

Sandy Smith

Nancy Prasek

Others:

Russ Schuman

Scoreboards- Who will make them? Jim will contact Greg Krier to see if we are able to use his Raffle- We will have a raffle of water bottles with our logo. Also, hats and visors will be available for purchase

Club will provide the balls for the tournament. Jim will look into purchasing the balls

Once registration fills up, there will be a waiting list. Also, as it fills up, we will be better able to determine the size of the brackets.

Snacks and Water- Lisa will buy the snacks South side of courts netting will be put up so spectators can view the games