

QUAIL CREEK BILLIARDS CLUB
MINUTES
January 19, 2024

The meeting was called to order by President Jerry Dirks at 1:00pm.

Board members present:

Jerry Dirks, President
Jim Hall, Treasurer (by phone)
Kay Mertes, Secretary
Mike Ohrel, Tournament Coordinator
John Anderson, Training and Facilities Manager
Dennis Desmond, Travel Team Coordinator

Minutes of the December 29, 2023, meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report

- Jim reported that our balance in the bank is \$3,100.40 and we have 64 paid members as of this date.

Old Business

- QC Billiard shirts were discussed and decided that we would offer 1 color – Red; there will be a minimum order of 10 shirts. [Action] Jim will send out a survey to members to determine interest in shirts. [Action] Mike will provide a picture to accompany this email.
- Communications: Jim will continue to fill the slots in hallway and billiard room with appropriate forms. [Action] Bryce will “clean up” the bulletin board. [Action] Jerry will send out monthly emails to all members; [Action] John will do research for a scrolling option for the TV to promote various activities and information. Mike reported that Mary Smith has and will continue to be helpful in communication with various media.
- Skedda updates include: Data Retention (annual information); Tags – determines who can do what; Board members can book repeating scheduled items; User visibility (First name, Last name initial, Title of event (optional)); QCBC logo will appear on reservation page; Set limits on reservations; Insight report shows activity; those signing up for access to Skedda will have to agree to Terms and Conditions.
- Jerry sent an email to women members reminding them about Thursday morning play for women.
- Mike posted results of the January 6th tournament in QC Crossing.
- [Action] John's plan is train individuals on the basics: stance, stroke, follow-thru, etc. He will offer training on a monthly basis beginning at the end of February. He is planning on using video to show trainees what they are doing right or wrong.

New Business

- [Action] Mike will order 1-27oz break stick and chalk.
- [Action] Mike will research how to speed up play in tournaments.
- [Action] Jim will set Skedda reservation limits to 1, 2 or 3 hours. .
- As of January 1, 2025 Skedda will increase to \$500.

Group Updates

- In-house Tournaments – Mike reported that this has been a success; next 8-Ball tournament scheduled for Saturday, February 3, 2024.
- Away Tournaments – Dennis reported having a zoom meeting with Johnny Hansen, a professional pool player from Phoenix, about having regional payoffs across Arizona. More information to come.
- Ladies Group – attendance is low.
- M-W-F – attendance is good.

Tabled Business

The next meeting will be in the Kino Conference Center, February 16, 2024 at 1:00pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:25 pm

Minutes respectfully submitted on January 23, 2024

Kay Mertes

QCBC Secretary