

Saanich Peninsula Pickleball Association

Minutes of executive meeting – November 17, 2020

Present

Corine Reid, Rod Ellis, June Curtis, Annie Fearon, Sheen Hurn

Treasurer's Report

No money in or out

Facilities Committee Report

1. A proposal was presented Sidney Council on Nov. 9 asking for pickleball courts at Iroquios Park. A Video of that meeting is available online at the Sidney Municipality's website. We are now waiting to hear back. The Sidney staff were directed to research and report back to council.
2. Central Saanich is still considering lining the lacrosse box in Centennial Park.

Greenglade/North Saanich Middle School Report

Kim Say has changed the format at NSMS after meeting with her supervisor and the Risk Management Team. These changes are to ensure the best possible health and safety protocols during COVID 19. Six people now book one court for a period of a month. There will be no switching players between courts.

Unfinished Business

Removal of windscreens has been put off this year due to an increased number of players continuing through the winter.

Cathy will take down the torn Canadian flags at Wain Road and look into replacement flags.

Annie will remove members only Facebook page.

Jim has written a letter to the Memorial Society for their AGM asking for evening play at Mary Winspear.

Victoria Regional Pickleball Association meeting was for their executive only this month so no news to report from them.

New Business

1. A member asked us to make suggestions to only play at one facility during COVID 19. It was suggested the member can express her own opinion on the topic on Facebook.
2. Article in Peninsula News
It will be deferred until we hear back from Sidney Council.
3. Peninsula Tennis Association
A meeting with the tennis association has been deferred as we understand the Sidney Council will be requesting a joint meeting to discuss relining tennis courts.
4. A question was raised about the possibility of pickleball courts at Panorama Recreation Center. The commission will not be expanding this year but we can look forward to the opportunity to have input into the 5 year strategic plan.
5. A motion was made to buy squeegees (spending no more than \$100.00) for the Wain Road courts. Motion by Sheena, seconded by Annie. Passed unanimously.
6. A discussion will be held in January on ways to support our current members and enlarge our existing membership.