

## **GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**

Westbrook Village Pickleball Club

September 26, 2024

Meeting called to order by club President Vince Lodato  
Quorum not present as both Secretary Karin Milner & VP Nancy Millard were not in attendance so meeting strictly information. No decisions were made.

### **Committee Reports:**

Jamboree/Social –

Oct. 19 - particulars of the Oktoberfest were reviewed – Set up 6:30-7:30 volunteers welcome to help. Play from 9-10:30, Lunch 11 AM

Social –

November 12<sup>th</sup> – Vets appreciation at the courts during morning play,

December 8<sup>th</sup> Christmas gathering during TOPs evening play.

March 7<sup>th</sup>/ Friday Annual Club Party at the Lakes Ballroom – Nancy Bagger is leading.

Also, the social club needs new committee members Deb D & Laura will be stepping down after the next few events.

**Finance:** Skip gave year end 2024 report & 2025 budget report based on what we know today. Year end bank balance \$23,830. Annual audit planned for November. 2025 budget is very similar to last year. Membership drive is going well. (Membership is required for club activities like Ladders and Jamborees.)

### **Club Team Play Update:**

Kim Foley- Exhibition 10/8/24 was a great success. Sign-ups started today and 24 have already signed up 14 men & 10 women. You can sign up and additional details are on the club website under ladders. First time will be 8-week session ending mid-December. There will be 4 groups of 3.0 and 4 groups of 3.5. Kim and Nancy hope to extend the number of groups and play levels in 2025. Must be a current club member to participate.

### **Update on New Proposed By-Laws:**

Vince reminded everyone that next Wed 10/16/24 there will be a Bylaws Review session at 6:30 PM in the FALC meeting room. There will be a second session Thursday the 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM also in the FALC meeting room.

You must pay your dues by Oct 31<sup>st</sup> in order to vote on the bylaws November 1-30<sup>th</sup>.

### **Open Club Board Seats Update:**

Lynette Jones has agreed to throw her hat in the ring to be our next president. Other members are welcome to run for President. We also need candidates to replace Skip as Treasurer.

Both Skip and Vince are willing to train and assist new board members behind the scenes as much as needed to get them up and running.