

QUAIL CREEK BILLIARDS CLUB

MINUTES

April 16, 2025

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

Board members present:

Jerry Dirks, President
Bob Coulter, Vice President
Kay Mertes, Secretary
Dennis Desmond – Travel Team and House Tournament Director
Skip Jones, Co-House Tournament Director
Gerry Bates– Facilities Director
Mary Smith, Communications coordinator

Minutes of the March 21, 2025 meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report

- Jim reported that the bank balance is \$3,129.72 and there are 62 paid members.

Old/Closed Business

- Mary composed "Intro to Billiards 101" announcement for "What's Happening" and sent it to the Board for approval.
- Kay sent an email to all who have volunteered to train for the "Intro to Billiards" training. We had five trainers at our first class.
- Skip ordered an up-to-date copy of the BCA rules and decided that there is no necessity in compiling "House Rules" that supersede the BCA Rule book.
- Jerry will contact Mike O. to figure out how to access the past members for the Training email. They also were able to access email addresses for those people who have made reservations for a table, but have not joined the club.
- Kay changed the cleaning schedule in Skedda to 12:30 to 1:00 every other Thursday, beginning March 27th.
- Skip contacted John Anderson about adding pictures of women in the TV Power Point; no action taken.

Open

- Gerry has requested an additional white board from the POA; no decision has been made yet.

New:

- Several of the trainers from our first Billiards 101 Training reported very positive results. We are adding a 3rd session on May 1st to accommodate more students. It has not been decided if we will have any additional 101 classes or more advanced training classes.
- [Action] Kay will contact Dick Randals and George Rivera to see if they are available on May 1st. All the other trainers are available.
- [Action] Kay will request to change our May meeting room from the 16th to the 23rd. Gerry or Mary will take minutes on the 16th if the 23rd is not viable.
- [Action] Kay will make a mockup of a sign for the table covers: No Food; No Drinks without a secure lid.
- A member asked if they could arrange a tournament with cash prizes. The Board voted no.

Group Updates

- Away Tournaments – They have played the last of the tournaments until fall. They have had additional requests from other communities to join this group.

- In-house Tournaments – Next tournament is 10-Ball, scheduled for Saturday May 3rd. Winner of the April 9-Ball tournament was Manny.
- The M-W-F group continues to have a very good turnout.

Tabled Business:

- Restart a Women's play group.

The next meeting will be at, May ____ at 1:00 pm MST in the Kino Center.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:05pm

Minutes respectfully submitted on April 18, 2025.

Kay Mertes, QCBC Secretary