

QUAIL CREEK BILLIARDS CLUB

MINUTES

February 20, 2026

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 Director
Skip Jones, Tournament Director
Gerry Bates, Facilities Director
Mary Smith, Communications and Publicity Director

Minutes of the January 16th meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report

- No report for February

Closed

- 2026 Budget was approved.
- Setmore Scheduling system has been approved. Still some items to tweak, but it is being utilized and functions well.
- Jim emailed a "dues reminder" email before Jan. 31st.
- Jim worked with Mary to prepare a notice in "What's Happening" about the new scheduling program and how to access same.
- Jim has update the QCBC webpage with the information about Setmore.
- Jim has updated the TV with Setmore calendar.
- Table #3 was recovered on Tues. Jan. 20th.
- Gerry purchased new "cue weight" signage.
- Jerry sent out a survey to current women members to determine if there was interest in restarting a Women's group.
- Jerry sent out an email regarding the marking of tables reminding them that only Gerry has permission to do this.

New/Open

- Six women responded positively to having a women's group. [Action] Mary will contact all women members about starting this group.
- [Action] Bob will organize signage and volunteers to man a table on March 26th in the ballroom. This event will highlight participating clubs in Quail Creek.
- [Action] Kay will send out a listing of paid and unpaid members to the Board. With this information, board members are encouraged to speak to anyone they recognize about paying their dues.
- There is interest in starting a Scotch Doubles Tournament. [Action] Skip and Dennis will discuss the venue and report back to the board in March with their recommendations.

Group Updates

- Away Tournaments –February tournament was won by Casa Grande. Dennis did indicate that some tournaments are being canceled because teams do not have enough players.

- In-house Tournaments – The February 8-Ball tournament was won by Terry Haggart. Skip said that the rules have been changed for tournament play to “all-ball fouls”. He said that this was not a problem during the February tournament.
- The M-W-F group has adequate attendance.
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Tabled Business:

- Open House plans
- Next level training classes
- Ideas for Lessons and Materials
 - Peer-to-Peer Coaching
 - Pool Basics clinics
 - Game-Specific Workshops
 - Training Drills library
 - On-Line Resource list
 - Drill of the Week
 - Try-It Out Night
 - Game Night Mixer

The next meeting is scheduled for March 20, 2026 at 1:00 pm MST in the Kino Center.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:55pm

Minutes respectfully submitted on Feb. 22, 2026.

Kay Mertes