**SCHH PICKLEBALL CLUB**

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES**

**NOVEMBER 20, 2015 AT 5 PM**

1. The meeting was called to order by President Rick Wright.
2. Nominations were asked from the floor for VP, Treasurer, and Member-at-Large. No nominations were received.
3. Ben Milbrandt, Treasurer, gave an update of the club’s finances. The treasury has $24,879.69 to date. Ben indicated that the current membership was 896.
4. Cathy Taylor reported on the activities of the Sunshine Committee and asked that she be contacted if anyone hears of any club member or family member who is ill, injured, dies, etc., so a card can be sent and the family contacted. Approximately 25 cards were sent in this past year.
5. Lottery – a discussion followed about the most recent lottery. The Board will meet in January to look at options to make the process flow more smoothly and accommodate the increasing interest in participating in the lottery drawing. Rick reminded everyone to cancel via Chelsea if your group won’t be using their assigned court on a particular day and contact him to cancel a group if they are no longer playing. Rick is working with Cherie Bronsky to get more courts during prime time hours.
6. Terri Wright discussed the events that the Social Committee is working on. Bowling at Station 300 is scheduled for 2/9/2016. She and her committee will be in charge of food for players and spectators for the Low Country Pickleball Classic tournament scheduled for April 15-17, 2016. The Pickleball Club dance is scheduled for 4/30/2016 at Pinckney Hall. The fall event hasn’t been determined yet.
7. Cindy Menegay discussed the results of the Fall League. Division winners were recognized and congratulated by all. Cindy Menegay also discussed the area of maintenance. Lights are

working well. She reminded everyone to return equipment to the proper court, i.e., brooms, rollers, etc., once you finish using it. She asked everyone to remember to close the gates so the wind doesn’t throw them off kilter!

1. Rick Wright discussed club updates—
	1. Property Planning Committee – Working on electricity and storage on the North side, drainage on the South side, gates between courts on the North side, and straps for the nets on the South side.
	2. Low Country Pickleball Classic was discussed. The tournament is scheduled for 4/15-17/2016. There is a possibility that clinics will be held if club members want to improve their skills. A small percentage of the profit from the tournament will be shared with the Association and the Club.
	3. Rick has a meeting with banquet facilities to discuss where we can store the Club’s ball machine. It is currently only being used for classes and is stored at Doug Findlay’s.
	4. Chelsea – We currently manage and want to continue to be able to. New people need to go to the Logo Building to register their CAM # in order to use the Chelsea system. If anyone is experiencing any problems with the Chelsea system, get in touch with Rick for help.
2. Voting results were announced--
	1. Ben Milbrandt will remain as Treasurer.
	2. Jean McNamara will remain as Member-at-Large.
	3. Reuben Oder is the new Vice President.
3. Rick Wright presented Cindy Menegay, who has completed her tenure as Vice President, with a gift certificate to thank her for her service to the Club.