

Tustin Pickleball BOD Meeting
May 23, 2025
11:15 a.m.
Bar Louie Restaurant, Tustin CA

- 1. The President called the meeting to order at 11:20 a.m. Board members in attendance were Terry Wong, President, Chiko Wong, Vice President, Gerry Rowland, Treasurer, Julie Cho, Membership, Jimmy Ogata, Facilities, Bonnie Goodman, Communications, Barbara Gerovac, Secretary, Greg Goodman, Member at Large, and JoAnn Spiegel, Member at Large. Carl Cheng, Events, was absent.
- 2. The minutes for April were approved via email.
- 3. President's Report. See 6a. Court Closure.
- 4. VP's Report. The three-weekend Team Challenge was a success. Next year we'll do the challenge over a Saturday and Sunday, to compress the time commitment.
- 5. Treasurer's Report. TPA is well positioned to cover expenses. Additional expenses for 2025 may be incurred to pay for new windscreens and other facilities improvements as part of the resurfacing project. Some of our excess cash will be placed into a short-term CD to earn interest.
- 6. Items for Discussion
 - a. Court Closure. Resurfacing may take more than two weeks and will begin the week of June 2 (actual start date will be communicated to TUSD during the week of May 26). The planned June 15 Mens' Ladder Tournament will move to September 14 and will replace the Mixed Ladder Tournament. Los Cab will offer TPA members a temporary pickleball only membership for \$120 good from June 2 to June 13. An email will go out to all members with details about the closure as soon as the start date is confirmed. No drills will be scheduled from now through the courts reopening.
 - b. Court Grand Re-opening. The Grand Re-opening will be held on the first Saturday after resurfacing is completed, to allow all members the chance to attend. The Board will have give-away items as members check-in.
 - c. Storage locker on Court 8. To get rid of the heavy steel cart used for check-in furniture, a storage locker will be moved from Court 9 to Court 8. It will hold the table, chairs, and sundry items needed for check in duties. We will no longer set up a merchandise display.

- d. Members Appreciation Lunch is scheduled for Saturday, August 9, contingent upon availability of picnic area (Terry Wong to confirm). Jersey Mike's lunchboxes will be served, same as last year.
- e. Other Events.
 - i. Ice Cream Social Fri, July 4
 - ii. Halloween Costume Contest Fri, Oct 31
 - iii. Veteran's Day Tue, Nov 11
 - iv. Friendsgiving Potluck Sat, Nov 22
- f. Election for 2026 BOD. The annual General Membership meeting will be held in November to elect the 2026 Board of Directors (date TBD). The Facilities Director, Membership Director, and Secretary are willing to run for re-election. The Board will begin recruiting members to run for the other Directors' positions.

7. Directors' Updates

- a. The Communications Director will update Facebook with court closure dates/information as soon as start date is confirmed by TUSD.
- b. Events. See 4. VP's Report.
- c. Facilities.
 - i. New umbrellas with stands and new nets are on hand and will be installed after the court resurfacing.
 - ii. Will get a quote to replace and install new windscreens on all courts and plastic sun shades on courts 7, 8, 9 and 10.
 - iii. Many thanks to everyone who helped move the shed. There are some items that still need to be disposed of; that will happen in the next few weeks.
- d. Membership is now at 1,015 members. Recently, non-members have attempted to bypass the check-in desk. Will remind all desk volunteers to check names of all persons entering the courts, even people who are known to them.
- 8. Next Meeting is Friday, July 11th, 11:15 a.m. at Bar Louie, Tustin.