

Tustin Pickleball BOD Meeting August 15, 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
Bonnie Goodman, Communications
Julie Cho, Membership
Jimmy Ogata, Facilities

Carl Cheng, Events Barbara Gerovac, Secretary Greg Goodman, Member at Large JoAnn Spiegel, Member at Large

Gerry Rowland, Treasurer, was absent.

- 2. The minutes for July were reviewed via email. A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes, vote to approve was 5 yeas, 1 abstention.
- 3. President's Report. Permanent nets are now in place on all courts and court reassignment signage is complete.
- 4. VP's Report. Permits are up to date through the end of 2025.
- 5. Treasurer's Report. Per last meeting's vote, Gerry placed a strategic reserve equal to one year's operating expenses in a Certificate of Deposit.
- 6. Items for Discussion.
- a. A member suggested moving paddle racks on courts 2, 3, 4, and 5. Terry explained the racks were deliberately placed on the bench side of each court. This way, there's a clear path from the rack to the bench without disrupting play. The board voted to keep the racks in their current location.
- b. The 3rd Annual Members Lunch is set for Saturday, August 16th. All arrangements are in place, including restroom access, and play is extended through 1:30 p.m. The check-in desk will have

three people all day.

- c. Timer survey results are in, with nearly 200 responses. Greg will analyze the data and recommend next steps including any changes to our Policy of Play.
- d. Terry drafted skill level guidelines to provide an objective, observable skill set to help make sure everyone plays on the correct level court. Once the criteria for skill levels is complete, the board will communicate the guidelines via signage on courts, social media, handouts, and email. Board members will form a team of court monitors to redirect players as needed.
- e. Additional court signs will be ordered for the recent court reassignments and skill level guidelines a blue Intermediate court sign, an orange Adv Intermediate / Advanced court sign, and skill level guidelines signs to display at the check-in desk, and on each court next to the paddle racks.
- f. The bylaws revision is complete and ready for Docusign.
- g. The 2026 Board of Director's election is in November. All directors except Events are willing to run for their positions again.
- h. The board decided not to proceed with the proposed app to replace the binder at the check in desk. We will continue with the current process.
- i. Terry is working with the Tustin Unified School District on a proposal to install a permanent fence between courts 7 and 9.
- 7. Directors' Updates
- a. Communications. Bonnie will create a quarterly post about parking, where and when is allowable.
- b. Events. There are 200 members in this year's drill group. Next event is Men's Fixed Ladder on September 14th, and a Fixed Partner Round Robin on November 9th.
- c. Facilities. The shed clean up and reorganization is now complete. Jimmy found a supplier for lower cost umbrellas and will add one on Court 9.
- d. Membership is now at 1,079. A motion was made and seconded, and the board voted unanimously to discontinue the New Member Incentive Program (offering 15 month memberships starting Oct 1) in 2026.
- 8. Next Meeting will be on Friday, September 19th, 11:15 a.m. at Bar Louie, Tustin.