Pickleball Lincoln Inc.

Annual Board Meeting Minutes

November 24, 2020

Due to the Covid-19 virus this Board meeting was conducted as a virtual meeting.

Board members present remotely were:  Mark Nelson, Bill Roehrs, Jane Cech,

Joel Houston, Mike Magnuson and Rosalie Duffy.

  President Mark Nelson called the meeting to order.

 As of November 23, 2020 there are 484 active members

 The Board decided that regarding opening Speedway in the current Covid-19 virus environment, PLI will consider local designated guidelines.  Specifically, when the county risk dial is in red PLI will not open play at Speedway.

It was voted to increase membership dues for 2021 to $20 per year.

 Looking to the future, long-range planning for new courts was discussed.  Roberts Park is a strong contender to be the next location to expand play area.  Eden Park would be second.  We will reach out to the City to initiate discussions.

 Facilitating communication among Board members was discussed so that everyone is aware of what is taking place within Lincoln Pickleball.  Specifically, when a significant project is underway, all Board members will be kept current with the progress of the project and the project manager and one other person will need to “sign off” on any invoice at completion before approval for payment is sent to the treasurer.

 Satellite court nets will not be removed from the job boxes for the winter as of now.

 Improving the Henry Park fencing and possibly the backboard will be considered.

It was suggested that on our website we publish a Pickleball Tip of the month or other such information.

 As of now OLLI pickleball classes are scheduled for May 3-6 with a rain date of May 7 at Peterson Park. These classes will be for only one hour, 1:00 to 2:00 pm. It is expected that there will be 24 to 40 players using up to 10 courts.

 Current board members are encouraged to always be looking for additional members to replace positions and/or serve on the board.

Mark Nelson adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Rosalie Duffy

Assistant Secretary