

## **WPC Board Mtg. Minnutes – May 21th, 2025, 12:15, The Source**

**Attendance:** Jana Piering, Will Maupin, Gary North, DeeDee Ryen, Rolland Perry, Gary Floring, Ned Ahrens, Theresa Aubin Ahrens, Mark Whitson, Bonnie Stormer

**Approve April 16th, 2025, Minutes- Motion to approve, Gary F. Second, Mark, approved**

**Treasurer Report – Gary North** – members need to staple receipts to an 8.5 x 11 piece of paper with payout info and purchase info, submit to Gary North for reimbursement.

Balance: \$64017

BBB: \$2461 so far after registrations, minus expenses

Need inventory list of what we have and where it is at, Gary N. will be point.

Need point of purchase device for Stripe – Gary N. is point on that

### **Planning for Play next fall/winter:**

**Marvin Williams Center (MWC)** – Mark and Rolland: Chuck has resigned from the board, so we need a new lead on Marvin Williams. We have a service agreement with Marvin Williams for \$1600 per month, signed by Will, delivered to MW via Docusign. There are some community events (max of 3) that will be excluded.

**Play at Sheridan** – Mark – Very crowded now. Still trying to get a meeting to address additional hours of pickleball and/or a reduced fee for WPC members.

**Merchandise Update** -Hat/shirt inventory and future sales – Jana - Met with vendor, Tuna Graphics and looking at BBB tournament and WPC logo tie dye shirts for this year. Minimal quantities! Mark to put together macrame key chains.

**Website** - updates to the website: Membership info may be a little confusing still.

**Membership for Next Year** – Gary Floring – People can join now for \$50, as of June 1, current members can renew for \$30 until June 30<sup>th</sup>.

**To Do:** invite members to introduce themselves to new people and encourage them to become members. Need pickleball 101 course at least once per month on a Saturday.

**Lions Park Open Play:** DeeDee: need Court Host to talk to new folks. Encourage visitors to give a donation. Need a recreation court to bring back members, Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

**Armed Forces Day Parade May 17** – Theresa – We were a crowd favorite.

**Bremerton Blackberry Blast** – Theresa – Sponsors, we need more!!! Refs – we need more!!! Paddle reps to donate a paddle for silent auction.

### **Community Outreach – Jana**

Western Washington PB Meet and Greet 5/22/25: Jana is attending a Zoom meeting to share ideas and resources to run the clubs better.

Pickleball Kingdom to host WPC - Date possibly June 28, possibly a Saturday - 3:00-5:00, maybe use to help recruit in June.

### **Training - Barney**

Bangor, one more in July. In addition we need to have Pickleball 101 one Saturday per month. Jana will contact Barney regarding 101.

**End of Season Party** April 22 report – Sally Hass: cost was \$756, She has date confirmed in December 11, Thursday, at Clover Leaf for Annual meeting. Thanks to Jame Oas, Ned Ahrens, Lois Ireland, Paul for their contributions. Suggest a mid-July picnic.

**Ladder league** – have not heard for Tim when he wanted to start.

**New Business** – Chuck resigned – no need to fill as we have 13 board members.

**Next meeting** – June 18<sup>th</sup>, Sheridan Park conference room, same time.