## BOCCE CLUB BOARD MEETING SEPTEMBER 5, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Don Bollard. Members present were Don Bollard, VP Bob Cornfield, Treasurer Debbie Meyer, and (via teleconference) League Coordinator Micki Brown.

Minutes of the previous meeting on May 3rd were reviewed and approved.

Debbie Meyer distributed copies of the current financial report as of August 31st.

Checking account balance: \$4260.45 Money Market account: \$14,135.28

Debbie reported that eight new sets of bocce balls and bags, along with two extra pallinas have been ordered, shipped, and received by her. Bob Cornfield is arranging for the donation of several sets of old balls to the Sun City Bocce Club Deaf Leagues. Don and Bob will arrange with volunteers from the SCG Bocce Club to place eight sets of Club practice balls in the locker outside the Sports Building for community use, put the eight sets of bocce balls currently used for league play only in the league practice balls that are stored in the bocce storage room, and place the newly acquired bocce balls in the "for league play only" white carts after the carts have been inspected, cleaned, and any repairs done.

Micki Brown reported that she has completed the update of the Captain's Books and they will be ready for distribution when league play begins in October and November. She has created a matrix that helps identify when and where there are open courts available during the League season so that she can readily respond to requests from members looking for a court to play on or new leagues wishing to form.

Micki also discovered a discrepancy in our '18 - '19 schedule that was printed on April 15th. The discrepancy pertains to the completion dates for the three groups of leagues. She will revise and distribute the corrected schedule and place it in each captain's book.

Micki is in communication with Wilf Kraft, organizer of a group of Canadian residents who want to hold a tournament, to find a compatible time for them to play.

Bob Cornfield is attempting to help coordinate plans for the second Bocce Fun Charity Tournament to be hosted and held in Pebble Creek in the spring of 2019. He will continue to update us.

Bob was very pleased with the positive response that came from participants in the events named Drop - In Bocce during the months of May and June. Members of the club along with invited community members would join together for social bocce on Tuesday mornings and Wednesday evenings. The size of the groups varied from twelve to more than thirty. It's been proposed and approved that we try to continue

offering this Drop - In program beginning in October and during the league play season where open courts are available. This will help to provide playing opportunities for new members who have not yet joined a league as well as augment the training sessions for members who are in the process of learning our rules.

All members of the board also discussed the need to try to reach out to more established members of the club for assistance in serving as hosts for Drop - In Bocce, the training sessions in October and November, and the Club Tournament in February.

Our next board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 3rd @ 7:00 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted Don Bollard, (serving in the abscense of a Secretary)