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**District 7 General Meeting Minutes-January 13, 2018—SDSE Southeast**

**BOARD AND EX COMMITTEE PRESENT:** George Hayes, Tootie Chittenden, Janet Langemeier, Harlan Mathews, Jeannie Gregory, Dennis Iszler, Carol Anderson, Suzanne Shapiro & Lynda Goggin

**CALL TO ORDER, FLAG SALUTE & ROLL CALL:** Suzanne Shapiro, President, called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m. with the Flag Salute. Clubs Absent: Heritage Ranch, Mountain Shadows & Sun City.

**Minutes of September 9, 2017,** were approved as submitted.

**3. Reports:**

**A. Treasurer’s Report:** Harlan Mathews stated he had compared District 7’s income with the previous year. There was an excess of \$900 at the end of 2017. He thought the excess came in large part from raising the dues from \$5 to \$7 a player. The income received in 2017 was \$1,500 including \$481 from the picnic. League awards is the big expense at the end of weekly team play totaling around \$1,400. The balance as of Dec. 31, 2017, was \$4,288. Motion to accept written report. Second. Passed.

**B. Club Reports:**

COLONIAL COUNTRY CLUB: No Report.

EL GRANDE: No Report

FOOTHILLS OF HEMET: Our courts are now on a maintenance program.

GOLDEN VILLAGE PALMS: Helen was pleased to announce Sharyn Dichiro was inducted into the Hall of Fame. Other nominee applications are kept up to seven years. A new trophy for Hall of Fame is being purchased.

HEATHER ESTATES: No Report

HEMET MUNI: Jim Hutson reported that the Hemet Muni Shuffleboard Building had been broken into. The big item that was taken was the buffer which has been replaced. The Auction that took place in November was very successful. We’re hoping to recruit more players for next year.

HEMET WEST: Election of officers and installation has taken place. We have 5 teams this year. We also have a maintenance program with Mitch. He comes 3 times a year and charges \$600 to redo board and a yearly fee of \$1,000 for maintenance contract.

HERITAGE RANCH: No Report

MOUNTAIN SHADOWS: No Report

SEVEN HILLS: Shuffleboard started 25 years ago at Seven Hills. We have 4 new people on our green team. White Team Players, Ron & Phil, played in the Championship at GVP. Sat., Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> at 10 am a

memorial will be held for Charles Morley. All Shufflers are invited. Our Coyote Team will again be playing in the Classic. We will be hosting the Emmet Allen Tournament in May.

SIERRA DAWN SOUTH: No Report. SDSE: 2017 Winners Championship was a success. 44 Winners played. 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> places were awarded. Robert Brooks was the first place winner and received a traveling trophy. Rookie Tournament forms were passed out.

VILLA DEL MONTE: No Report.

**C. Head Referee-George Hayner**

George reminded all in attendance that at the beginning of league play the captain of each team must provide the rotation being used that day to each other.

**D. League Supervisor-Jack Anderson**

No Report.

**E. Head Scorekeeper-Carol Anderson**

The group is doing well and is a work in progress.

**F. Webmasters-Carol Blasingame/Harlan Mathews**

District 7 Web page is coming along. The web site is district-7-shufflers.com. Carol thanked Harlan for stepping up and helping. They have been discussing starting a memorial page and would post a picture and information about a shuffler that has passed away with the approval of family. Also, it was mentioned that they would like to have a photo of each team to post on the website.

**G, Tournament Director-Lynda Goggin/Helen Noltner**

\*The Tournament Director is an appointed position. Lynda is the Tournament Director with Helen being her assistant. Duties: Supply Charts to ATM; the Director does not have to be ATM at each tournament. If anyone wants to be a ATM please contact Lynda or Suzanne. The following Dist. 7 Shufflers have ATM card: Lynda Goggin, Carol Anderson, Jeannie Gregory, Helen Noltner, George Hayes, Carol Blasingame. ATM's make sure all tournament forms are completed.

\*Lynda explained how the District 7 vs. District 5 tournament participants are asked: 1<sup>st</sup>: CSA Officers; 2nd Executive Committee; open up to District. If there are more that want to play than space, a spare list to call at the last minute is kept.

\*After tournament schedule is planned for the year a letter would be sent to Bank of Hemet for sponsorships for the various tournament sites. Each club that is hosting a tournament will receive a letter with amount of money they will receive from Bank of Hemet.

**H. Head ATM-Lynda Goggin**

District 7 does not have a Head ATM

**I. Hall of Fame-Larry Bell/Helen Bell**

Helen covered the Hall of Fame in her earlier report. Sharyn DiChiro has received her pin and certificate.

**J. CSA-Jay Davidson**

Carol Blasingame, (CSA 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President) gave the report in Jay's absence: There are 13 Districts in California with only two active. There are some districts in Los Angeles area but do not belong to CSA. CSA Committee is responsible for keeping tournament paperwork that is turned in. CSA has dwindled down to 2 Districts, 5 & 7. Suzanne was asked to send out information about what we get for belonging to CSA.

**BREAK**

**4. Unfinished Business**

**A. Classic Report-George Hayes/Mike Garrett/Suzanne Shapiro**

George Hayes stated that there are 15 teams playing in the Classic this year. The 4 venues this year are: Golden Village Palms, Hemet Muni, Sierra Dawn South East & Hemet West. Team rosters and money needs to be turned in no later than February 1<sup>st</sup>. Soboba is sponsoring the Classic and are giving out free coupons again. Only 1 game will be played on Friday. The luncheon will be at Valley Vista Valleywide on Friday. Helen Bell is still looking for players. The any doubles tournament will be held the week before the Classic and will be held at two venues: Hemet West & Sierra Dawn Southeast.

## **5. New Business**

### **A. Rule 19-Jack Anderson**

Copies were handed out with the changes the Rules Committee & Executive Committee were recommending.

Question: How do you get a sub if your team needs one? The Team Captain makes contact with other teams to find out who would be able to sub. Rule 19 stands as amended. See attached.

### **B. Nominating Committee**

George Hayes is in charge of nominations for the May 2018 election. Please let him know at least 2 weeks ahead of the May Election Mtg if you would like to be placed on the ballot. Any District 7 Shuffler can run.

### **C. Full team participation in scorekeeping/referee**

Please make yourself and encourage your team members to be available to referee and scorekeep at tournaments.

## **6. Discussion from the Floor**

A. Helen Bell spoke in favor of the Memorial page on the web site. She also thanked Nelda for being head scorekeeper at the GVP tournament.

B. If anyone is interested in being an ATM you may make arrangements to watch the work the ATM does at an upcoming tournament.

C. Lynda Goggin spoke on 3 day vs. 4 day tournaments. She tries to do what the host club wants. Players need to be on time. If a player is missing at the tournament start time and the other players are seated the missing player has 10 minutes to show up before a pusher is assigned.

## **7. Upcoming Dates & Tournaments**

- Feb. 17-18: Rookie Tournament (SDSE)
- March 6: Ex. Committee Bd of Directors
- March 10: General Meeting (SDSE)
- March 21-24: National Any Doubles (SDSE/HW)
- March 26-30: Classic (HM, HW, SDSE, GVP)
- April 7: End of League Awards (SDS)
- April 16-19: John McDonough Doubles (SDS)

Motion to adjourn at 11:31 a.m.

Minutes submitted by District 7 Secretary, Janet Langemeier