DISTRICT 5 SHUFFLEBOARD ASSOCIATION

Fall Meeting Minutes | November 5, 2026

Location: Bell Meeting Room **Time:** 7:00 p.m.

Meeting type: Fall Meeting

1. Call to Order and Opening

President Tim Lantz called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Tim Lantz.

2. Roll Call

Roll call of officers was conducted. Three executive board members and eight members were present.

3. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were presented for approval. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Art Scheffler and seconded by Clint Gienger. The motion carried.

4. Treasurer’s Report

Cheri Zine presented the Treasurer’s Report. The current balance is $2,655.09, representing an increase of $453.59 over the balance reported at this time last year. The report was accepted as read, and copies were placed on file.

5. League Schedule

A motion was made by Mike Kangas and seconded by Art Scheffler to continue the six-week league schedule used in recent years. The proposed schedule will include four teams playing on Mondays and four teams playing on Tuesdays. At this time, Happy Trails has four teams, Bell has two teams, and Sunflower will make an effort to field two teams. Larry will finalize the schedules upon his return. Bell Recreation has requested that Larry adjust the schedule to accommodate the dates when the Bell courts will be undergoing repairs.

6. ASA, League, and Tournament Dues

The ASA increased its dues from $2.00 to $4.00, effective with the 2026–2027 season. Mike Kangas made a motion to set league and tournament dues at $8.00. Members joining the league or entering their first tournament will also pay a one-time ASA fee of $4.00. Mark Stewart seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

7. Hall of Fame

Members who believe they may qualify for the Hall of Fame should contact Tim Lantz and ensure that their required paperwork is completed by January 2027.

8. Nominating Committee

Tim Lantz made a motion to postpone appointing a member to the Nominating Committee until he determines whether an appointment is necessary. Cheri Zine seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

9. Traveling Trophy

The Traveling Trophy has no remaining space for additional nameplates. Members discussed several options for its future and possible replacement. After Mike Kangas presented a plaque he had made for the Hall of Fame, members reached a consensus that he would create a similar plaque for the league championship. Work on the new plaque will not begin until summer 2027.

10. Tournament Director Responsibilities

Members agreed to divide the responsibilities traditionally handled by the Tournament Director. Mike Kangas volunteered to prepare the brackets and complete the necessary planning before each tournament. Each club will be responsible for conducting the tournament hosted at its own facility.

11. Spring Banquet

Members present expressed consensus in favor of holding a spring banquet. Mike Kangas made a motion that a representative from each club work with Tim Lantz to organize the event and reach a decision by January 1, 2027.

12. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m. A motion to adjourn was made by Art Scheffler and seconded by Dave Ritchie.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Kangas
Secretary, District 5 Shuffleboard Association