ARIZONA SHUFFLEBOARD ASSOCIATION, INC.
ASA Spring Meeting - Saturday, March 7, 2026
9846 W. Cedar Drive, Sun City, AZ 85351
SUNSCAPE RV RESORT, CASA GRANDE, AZ
9:30 AM District Presidents & Hall of Fame Committee - General Meeting 10:00 AM

Call to Order by President Ruth Hugen at 10:00 am
Invocation by Vicki Burr, District I. Melva Murphy, District II, led the International Pledge of Allegiance. Secretary Debbie Meise took attendance. After taking attendance, the Secretary confirmed a quorum. No Additions to the Agenda.

INTRODUCTIONS:

Executive Board in attendance - Introductions by Ruth Hugen, ASA President.

Melva Murphy, District II, 1st Vice President
Kate Lof, District II, 2nd Vice President
Debbie Meise, District I, Secretary
Judy Maddox, District IV, Treasurer
Clint Gienger, District V, Executive Director
Bill Storck District I, Parliamentarian
Dale Crouch District III, Webmaster

Introductions of District members in attendance by District Presidents.

SECRETARIES REPORT:

Minutes From Last Meeting/Correspondence
No correspondence has been received. The Fall minutes have been posted on the ASA website and emailed to all District Directors.

MOTION: Vicki Burr, District I, moved to accept the Fall 2025 Minutes as presented and posted via the ASA Website. Second by Mick McNeely, District IV. Motion passes.

TREASURERS REPORT: Full Report on File

Treasurer's report was presented by Judy Maddox, District IV.

ASA PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Full Report on File

Ruth Hugen presented this report.

WESTERN STATES REGIONAL DIRECTOR: Full Report on File

Ruth Hugen presented this report.

DISTRICT PRESIDENT'S REPORTS: Full Reports on File

District I - President's Report by Elmer Lang.
District II - President's Report by Kate Lof.
District III - President's Report by Dale Crouch.
District IV - President's Report by Debra Besaw.
District V - President's Report by Tim Lantz.

HOF REPORT

Brad Sawchuk reports that three (3) individuals have now reached the required minimum points for induction into the Arizona Shuffleboard Hall of Fame in the Player category. Following his report, instructions were provided, and ballots were distributed for voting and tabulation.

Brad also announced that this meeting marked his final session as chair. After years of dedicated service, he is stepping down from the role, and a new chair will be needed this fall.

Break

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

STATE SUPPLIES:

Lynn Freeman, District III, has plenty of supplies, so if you need anything, please reach out to Lynn.

WEBMASTER: Dale Crouch – Full Report on File Dale Crouch presented this report.

HOF ANNOUNCEMENT:

Congratulations to Bill Stoneburner, District III, Dolores Elliott, District III, and Gloria Toutloff, District IV, on their induction into the Arizona Hall of Fame in the Player category. This honor reflects their exceptional skill, dedication, and lasting contributions to the sport.

MOTION: Barb Murphy, District IV, moved to destroy the Votes. Second by Debra Besaw, District IV. Motion carried.

NOMINATING

Nothing to report

RULES:

Chair of the Rules Committee – Mick McNeely, District IV
Nothing to report.

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Ambassador Award is District IV

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

No unfinished/old business

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NEW BUSINESS:

Motion - ASA Dues Increase presented by Clint Gienger, District V.

MOTION: Clint Gienger, District V, moved to increase the ASA dues from $2 to $4 effective 2026/2027. Second by Donn Weber, District IV.

Open Discussion. Motion carries.

Motion - ASA Tournament Dates presented by Bill Storck, District I.

MOTION: Bill Storck moved to change the tournament dates in ASA State Mixed Doubles Procedure Article A to the first Monday and Tuesday of March commencing in 2027.
Second by Jim Heier, District IV.

Open Discussion. Motion carries.
MOTION: Bill Storck moved to change the tournament dates for the ASA State league playoffs to be held on the second Monday and Tuesday of March commencing in 2027. Second by Tim Beadell, District I.
No Discussion. Motion Carries.

Motion - HOF Special Procedures presented by Tim Beadell, District I

MOTION: Tim Beadell moved that all current ASA players placing in the Bud Walrath National Tournament will be allowed to accumulate the District Tournament point structure for their total points. Second by Jim Heier, District IV.

Open Discussion. Motion as amended carries
Amended motion: Mick McNeely, District IV, moved to be effective March 7, 2026, forward. Second by Clint Geinger.
Open Discussion. Motion carries

Motion - State Split Singles Tournament Dates presented by Brenda Forbes, District I.

MOTION: Brenda Forbes, District I, moves that the State Split Singles Special Procedures Article A be changed to the third (3rd) Monday and Tuesday of February each year commencing in 2027. Second by Elmer Lang, District I.

Open Discussion. Motion carries

MOTION: Brenda Forbes, District I, moves that Article H. Order of play shall be on a set specified repetitive pattern be changed to start with Year 2027 and end with Year 2036. Second by Cheryl McNeely, District IV.

Open Discussion. Motion carries

Western Tournament Announcement
Jim Heier is the new Western Tournament Director. The Western will be held in District IV at Rock Shadows, the Reserve at Lost Dutchman, and Superstition Sunrise.
Time limits on Tournaments – Tim Beadell, District I
Should there be time limits on how long a game can be played? Open Discussion. No resolution.

Charting – Ruth Hugen, District I
Online tournament entries are effective with the Shamrock Shuffle.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

Bill Storck, District I, led the nominations.

President – Kate Lof, District II
1st Vice President – Melva Murphy, District II
2nd Vice President – Jay Morrison, District II
Secretary – Debbie Meise, District I
Treasurer – Cheryl McNeely, District IV

Unanimous votes were cast for each nomination.

NEXT MEETING:
December 5, 2026 - 10:00 am (9:30 am - Hall of Fame & District Presidents Meeting)
Location TBD
District IV (Refreshments)