

RCRL BOARD Meeting Minutes

June 8, 4:00 p.m., LTC

Call to Order: 4:04 pm by Mary Beth Meagher

Attendance (Board Members): Alison Scott, Mary Beth Meagher, Jen Wood, Jody Lorenz, Becca Hatch-Purnell, Jessica Murr, Cynthia Vogt, Amy Sheehan, Laura Brown, Jen Root, Carley Rutkowske, Jessica Scheiner, Diane Calvaruso, Toni Peterson, Julie Rose, Amy Scheiner

Reading of the Minutes (ACTION ITEM):

- May 2026 minutes approved – Julie Rose & Becca Hatch-Purnell made and seconded the motion to approve.

Financial Report - Jen Wood

- We were under budget for the End of Year event.
- We have \$3,000 in checking and ~\$40,000 in CDs.
- Raise a Racquet Grant request for \$3,000
 - Cynthia Vogt had a few questions regarding the demographics & outreach programs served by the grant.
 - Amy Sheehan & Amy Scheiner were able to answer questions.
 - Motion: Approve the \$3,000 Grant for Raise a Racquet that may take us \$40 over budget. Made by Becca Hatch-Purnell & Seconded by Carley Rutkowske. Motion Passed
- Jen Wood treasurer stipend: Jen Wood asked the board for a gift card to LIRC for her services.
 - Motion made & seconded by Laura Brown & Becca Hatch-Purnell. Motion Passed

Data Administrator Report - Jody Lorenz

- Update on LOI's received- 1 new team, 5 teams disbanded = 84 teams this year
- Jodi had been in communication with Anne Grove to understand what teams LIRC can accommodate at LIRC- mainly on Tuesdays.

Vice President's Report – Mary Beth Arnett Meagher

- End of Season Event had positive feedback. Next year we hope to have more attendees. Captains and Co-Captains of the Winning and Runners-Up teams will be invited as guests of the board to accept their awards.
- Board members were asked to submit feedback for next year.

President Elect/Secretary's Report – Mary Beth Arnett Meagher

- Meeting Dates for next year 8/10, 9/14, 10/12, 11/9, 12/14 (lunch), 02/08, 03/08, 04/12, 05/10, 06/14 (4:00 and dinner)
- Timeline
 - Estimated July 1: Registration opens for next season
 - Estimated July 15: Teams need 11 registered and paid players
 - Director Training mid to late July
 - Estimated August 1: Schedules released
 - Early August: Captains' meetings

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- Meeting Times: The question was asked if we could change the meeting times from 5:00. A Poll will be created in GroupMe once we have the Board finalized exploring other time options.

Past President's Report – Alison Scott

- Once Division placement is determined, the slate of Directors and Co-Directors will be finalized and emailed to the Board. Approval will be via GroupMe

President's Report – Katie Sullivan

- As of now Katie will not be continuing with the RCRL board as she is unable to play tennis.
- Next year we will operate without a Past President, but Alison Scott will be available should we have questions or issues.

Division Placement

- Waivers Granted
 - A2: Poling / Salmon moving from A1
 - A3: Root/ Kessler skipping B1 and moving to A3
 - A3: O'Brien / Tenzca allowed to stay in A3
- New Rule passed. The A2 Division has reached the maximum number of teams at 16. The motion was made by Julie Rose and seconded by Becca Hatch-Purnell to remove the exemption of movement into the Top A Division. The motion was passed.

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'26 - '27 Division	Team	'26 -'27 Club
A1	Cunningham/Friedman	Blairwood
A1	Dudas/Smith	Blairwood
A1	Hoffmann/Haller (First in Fun)	LIRC
A1	Hooker/Ricketts	LIRC

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A1	Jones/Goselin	LIRC
A1	Jordan/Powers (Different Strokes)	LTC
A1	Raymer/Noel	LIRC
A1	Roby/Clark	LIRC
A1	Schaller/Northup (Orange Crush)	LTC
A2	Andrews/Anvar	Blairwood
A2	Bean/Fowler	LTC
A2	Botts/Nettles (Sets in the City)	LIRC
A2	Dahlem/O'Connell (Ace Ace Baby)	LTC
A2	Daunhauer/Stough	LTC
A2	Faulkner/Bowling (Perfectly Matched)	LTC
A2	Lucchese/Sakaguchi	LIRC
A2	Mitchell/Lyons	Blairwood
A2	Moore/Dadds	LIRC
A2	Nicklies/Crush	Blairwood
A2	Poling/Salmon	LIRC
A2	Price/Ramsey	Springhurst
A2	Stack/Rechter	LTC
A2	Taylor/Rose	LTC
A2	Witherspoon/Horn	Springhurst
A2	Young/Hester	Blairwood
A3	Helfrich/Parrish (was Helfrich / Sullivan)	LIRC
A3	Novak/Goldstein (Overserved)	LTC
A3	O'Brien/Tencza (Serves You Right)	Springhurst
A3	Root/Kessler (Volley Girls)	LTC
A3	Rueff/Meadows (Rally Girls)	LIRC
A3	Schatz/Carpenter	LTC
A3	Scholtz/Smith	LTC
A3	Wilson/Montgomery	Springhurst
A3	Winebrenner/Steen (Volley Girls)	LTC
B1	Barnickle/Reynolds (High Strung)	LTC
B1	Burbridge/Gibson	LIRC
B1	Dawson-Crain/Milliken (Newman's Own)	LTC
B1	Fontaine / Kamber (was Laventis / Draper)	LIRC
B1	Hanley/Lash (Racqueteers)	Springhurst
B1	Kinslow/Lewis	Springhurst
B1	Paradis/Amin (Fresh Cans)	LTC
B1	Parker/Elpers (Serve Me Another) (was Bowlds / Elpers)	Springhurst
B1	Price/Spencer (was Sexton/Price)	LIRC
B1	Seymour/Mattingly	SITC
B1	Wallace/Shaver	Springhurst

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B2	Bright/Elder (Mood Swings)	Springhurst
B2	Bryant/Majors (Maestras)	LTC
B2	Hise/Latka (was Means/Latka)	LIRC
B2	Kramer/White	Blairwood
B2	Reardon/Deal (Slice Girls)	LIRC
B2	Todd/Cobb	LIRC
B2	Tucker/Stevens (was Tucker/Evans)	LIRC
B2	Wallace/Gilkey	LTC
B3	Bjork-Mayer/Katz	LIRC
B3	Bradow/Wright (Wildcards)	Springhurst
B3	Bruning/Bearden (Simply Smashing)	LTC
B3	Guess/Bird	LIRC
B3	Martin/Hill (Cougars)	Springhurst
B3	Scheiner/Schardein (High Strung)	LIRC
B3	Sullivan/Stevens	Blairwood
B3	Valentine	LIRC
M1	Calvaruso/Erena	Blairwood
M1	Goldstein/Arnold	LTC
M1	Jordan/Bray	Blairwood
M1	Khan/Fetz	LIRC
M1	Maguire/Dishman	LIRC
M1	Mitchell/Lyons (M)	LTC
M1	Schaefer/Walker (was Walker/Dadds)	LTC
M1	St Clair/Bean	LTC
M2	Cobourn/Farmer (Love All)	LIRC
M2	Draper/Laventis (Hot Flashers) (was Thornton/Shenk)	LIRC
M2	McGrew/Wendell	LTC
M2	Meagher/Kang (Get a Grip M2)	LTC
M2	Ward/Luber	LIRC
M2	Wheeler/Seymour (Valley Girls)	SITC
MM	Atwell/Anvar	LTC
MM	Dahlem/Owens	LIRC
MM	French/Stuedle (French Masters)	LIRC
MM	Keeling/Brice (Balls Out)	LTC
MM	Khan/Sakaguchi	LIRC
MM	Maguire / Cecil	Blairwood
MM	Voorhees/Riney (All Racket)	LIRC
MM	Winebrenner/Steen (Get a Grip MM)	LTC