

Minutes of Tennis

Committee Meeting, 22 July 2010

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Ed O'Connor at 7:30 pm. In attendance were Leslie O'Connor Treasurer, Carolyn Passic, Secretary, Bob Grimm, member -at-large, Chrystal Daulton, HOA, Clay Worley, BOT liaison, Brian Bedell, Ann Pucci and John Lovejoy.

Clay Worley began by explaining he would attend committee meetings as a non-voting member, and a liaison between the Board of Trustees and the Tennis Committee. He stated that the Tennis Committee need not attend each Board of Trustees meeting.

Mr. O'Connor said current guidelines, which or from 1990 and 1992 need to be reviewed and modified.

Court conditions were discussed, to include the resurfacing of courts 1, missing straps on nets and the repair of the cut fence around the lock at Court 2.

Lights on Courts 2 were brought up, and it was agreed to check into how many neighbors around the courts would need to approve lighting.

Repositioning and possible addition of a second board of the backboard of Courts 2 was brought up, as balls hitting the backboard will roll back on the court. Brian Bedell said the BOT finance committee would like to know by September what monies would be needed for tennis.

The current tennis teams in LRR are men's, captained by Doug Rice and the women's NVTL, captained by Leslie O'Connor and Terry Hicks.

A Fall Tennis Social was brought up, to be held at Courts 1, the first week in October.

Lessons for both youth and adults were brought up, and it was decided to survey other neighborhoods as to how they bring in summer pros. Burke is the only facility which has a set policy. Brian Bedell asked why non-residents are allowed to use the courts and it was stated that there are too few residents taking the lessons, and that the non-residents help to bring down costs. It was suggested that there should be a different scale for residents, versus non-residents. It was noted that all vendors who use LLR facilities have to pay a 20% fee, and even with that fee, RJTennis has kept prices the same for this summer.

The Committee will talk to other communities and develop equitable parameters for all future pros. It was mentioned that some pros have students during the year, and that those students would like to continue lessons during the summer, and therefore the pro would have to pay 20% to the HOA.

Use of the courts by the Centreville High School team was discussed and explained that

both boys' and girls' team seasons are at the same time, and there are not enough courts at the high school, so the girls' team coaches, LLR residents reserve the courts for specific times.

Brian Bedell, Ann Pucci, and John Lovejoy expresses interest in being on the Tennis Committee Mr. O'Connor brought forth a motion that they be added, Bob Grimm seconded, and the motion was passed.

The next Tennis Committee meeting will be held, Wednesday 25 August at 7:00pm.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25.