

Greater Portland City League Tennis
Summary of Captains Minutes
January 21st, 2010
Multnomah Athletic Club

Call to Order: President Beth Burczak called the meeting to order at 9:15 am. Board members attending: Beth Burczak, Becky Edwards, Mary Davis, Kazzie Young, Donna Hanlon, Debbie Johnson, Sue Stone, Betsy Ouchida, Elaine Sibley and Julie Hanson. Absent were Leslie Ballard and Jean Davidson.

Approval of Agenda: The agenda of the November 19th, 2009 board meeting was approved with a few additional items.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the October 15th, 2009 board meeting were approved with a few corrections. A motion was made to approve the minutes by Betsy Ouchida, seconded by Elaine Sibley.

Website coordinator report: Some website enhancements have been incorporated. Captains will be receiving a notice of changes via email.

The mid-season registration went smoothly except for a few minor website problems

It was reported that player's names cannot be changed at the mid-season registration. The current website allows name changes only during the June registration period. The board agreed that this limitation is acceptable.

A technical error was found in the website sub list. The problem has been corrected by Rocky Mountain Register.

A captain contacted Rocky Mountain Register (**R.M.**) directly by clicking their logo on the Team Registration page. The board agreed that captains and R.M. should not be communicating directly. This item was tabled until February meeting for a further discussion.

In assessing two penalty points against a J-Division team, it was confirmed that the penalty rule is applied even though their match score becomes a negative number.

Corresponding Secretary Report: A B-Division match was cancelled approximately two hours before the match time then both captains agreed to reinstate it an hour and a half later. As a result of rescheduling, the singles match was defaulted due to a shortage of visiting team players. The board made a decision to allow the teams to complete the singles match by extending the rematch deadline.

A complaint of unsportsmanlike conduct by a F-Division player was filed by the opposing team captain. The board found the behavior of the player in question prior to and during the match to be without proper respect to her opponents and egregiously unsportsmanlike. Therefore, two points were granted to the offended doubles team. It was also decided that the player be suspended from the next match against the same opposing team.

Division Rep Reports:

- LONG (Longview) E-Division captain requested their E and J Division home matches to be relocated to Mint Valley starting 2010-2011 season. Currently, their home matches are played at CGM. This item was tabled.

- An A-Division captain's request to add a player after the registration deadline was denied.
- An E-Division captain's request to add a player after the registration deadline based on player's relocation was denied.

Captain's email list on website: A C-Division captain lost her email address list of the C-Division captains. She inquired if there is anyway to retrieve the list from the website. This feature currently does not exist, however it will be considered as a possible future enhancement.

Next Meeting: February 18th, 2010 at 9:15 am at MAC.

Adjourned: at 11:10 am.

Kazzie Young - Recording Secretary