

Greater Portland City League  
Summary of Captains Minutes  
April 19, 2007

President Corinne Mitchell called the meeting to order at 9:15 a.m. Board members present were: Corinne Mitchell, Betsy Mosser, Jenn Heinrich, Nancy Kuntzmann, Judith Lazo, Marianne Conroy, Ruth Kilroy, Roberta Kanter, Barbara Keller, Rosie Hamilton and League Coordinator Cheryl Rathbun.

**Recording Secretary:** The minutes of the last meeting were approved as submitted.

**Treasurer's Report:** Betsy reminded us that the gifts and prizes for the Captains Brunch are out of this year's budget. The budget report was approved as presented.

**Coordinator's Report:** Cheryl Rathbun reported she received a final check from a team. All scores are in.

**Division Reps Report:** Betsy Mosser, J Division Rep., reported she still needs some division rosters. She said that the average size roster is about 17 members. There was a request from a City League member at Portland Athletic Club to reduce the number of doubles from 5 to 4. The Board discussed this issue and decided that since filling a team is a club's responsibility, the club needs to recruit more team members. Betsy will respond to PAC saying we will retain having 5 doubles. The issue of having 2 singles verses 1 singles will be revisited in 2008. Roberta Kanter, E Division Rep., brought up an issue of having court coaching during a Match. There was a discussion. The Boards feeling is not to allow coaching. **Motion: Not to allow coaching at City League matches. Motion carried.** Jenn Heinrich brought up a point of not keeping score during a match, just go and play with another club and enjoy the game and have City League as a non-competitive league. Corinne Mitchell read the Mission Statement to address this issue: **Article 1: Organization and Purpose. The Association was formed for the following purposes: 1. To promote, advance and encourage the sport of women's competitive team tennis within the greater Portland-Metropolitan area. 2. To develop friendships, sportsmanship and fellowship among players; and 3. To increase the popularity of tennis in the greater Portland-Metropolitan area, and to better utilize the courts for the mutual benefit and enjoyment of both club players and management.** It was suggested that a survey go with the captain's packet to address 1. Keep the City League competitive. 2. Compete only the first half of the year, and non-competitive the second half of the year.

**Corresponding Secretary:** There was no report.

**Website Committee:** The committee had a conference call with Rocky Mountain about a website. Questions to the company centered on the fees for the domain name, having the captains report the scores, a drop down menu for teams, the ability to track subs and number of times played, masking the scores, just showing the outcome of the match and not individual scores. **Motion: We allow Jenn Heinrich and Corinne Mitchell to**

**contract with Rocky Mountain for the purpose of designing and the development of the new Greater Portland City League Tennis website. Motion carried.**

**New Business:** The banners presented to last years winners will need to be returned to the Board so they may be presented to this years winners. The decoration committee will have 11 tables to decorate this year. The budget for the centerpieces is about \$80.00.

**The Captains Brunch is August 8, 2007 at 9:30 .am. It will be held at the MAC club.** Corinne Mitchell will contact the MAC club to reserve the site for the brunch. **Team captains remember that the commitment team fee is \$20.00 and is due by May 31, 2007. This fee is non-refundable and is now sent to the treasurer: Betsy Mosser 13690 NW Lariat Court, Portland Oregon 97229. All Division Reps. are to contact their team captains and remind them of the commitment fees.** Rosie Hamilton asked when the team results would be posted and Cheryl Rathbun said by the beginning of June. There are currently 5 teams on the waiting list.

With no other business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 10:56 a.m.

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