

Skating Club of Northern Virginia Annual Meeting

Meeting Minutes

Sunday, May 22, 2022

Meeting started: 7:07 pm

In attendance: 12 adult full members, 1 skater, 0 non-members

Meeting adjourned: 7:20 pm

Meeting Discussions:

- **Quorum**

With 12 full adult members in attendance, a quorum was not achieved. As multiple notifications had been sent out prior to the meeting, the president elected to move forward with the annual meeting.

- **Board member election**

Cheryl Litman, Melissa Mahle, and Charles Park were nominated to serve a three-year term. The majority of participants voted to approve the slate.

Verbal Reports:

- **Treasurer - Karen**

A written report will be available following the meeting. Karen summarized the report for attendees. The club has rebounded from a slight hit during COVID-19 closures and decreased membership last year. This year, revenue has returned to pre-COVID amounts in all main revenue areas (membership, competitions, testing, club ice/sponsored programming). Our net profit for the year was \$12,500, which came primarily from competitions, membership, and testing. Club ice subscriptions increased this year, and several skaters participated on Sunday and Monday evenings.

- **Competitions - Melissa**

We had fabulous membership initiative to step up to an over-crowded competition year. Just 10 years ago we had hosted zero competitions, so we have gained a lot of expertise. Cardinal Classic 2021 was delayed, so we held 2 Cardinal Classic competitions plus the Championship Series and Blue Ridge Classic this year. Through lots of volunteer hours and difficult conditions, we hosted competitions that received lots of positive feedback and made a profit, which will go back into club activities. Thank you to everyone who supported the competitions! Cardinal Classic 2023 will be held on first weekend of June. The board decided to hold the competition later in the season so that TOI and qualifying skaters will have more time to get their programs ready. This should also provide a bump in registrations.

Questions from Membership

- **Learn to Skate Events**

Q: Other clubs in the area have programs that are run through a USFS Learn to Skate program

(camps, etc.). Would it be possible for SCNV to host events like this?

A: Fairfax Ice Arena runs the Learn to Skate programs, independently of SCNV. They opted to use ISI instead of Learn to Skate USA and are not interested in switching. Because we cannot control the rink's Learn to Skate program, and we cannot set up a competing Learn to Skate program through USFS, this is not an option at this time.

Written reports for all committees were emailed to membership ahead of the meeting and will be uploaded to the SCNV website following the meeting.