



Midwest Curling Association: Meeting Minutes

January 15, 2018 @ Chicago Curling Club

David Jamros called the meeting to order at 6:35 PM. Attending were Dave Jamros, Jeff Wright, Mark Striblen, Russ Brown, Jim Wilson, Sara Gaum, Peiyao Chen, Everett Wilson, Walter Burns, and Lon Peper. A motion to accept the meeting minutes as presented was made by Sara Gaum, seconded by Jeff Wright.

Treasurer's Report by Mark Striblen

Transactions that have occurred since the last meeting were presented. A review of each club's numbers was discussed. A motion to accept the report was done by Russ Brown, seconded by Jeff Wright.

USCA Report by Russ Brown

The USCA announced a new major corporate sponsor in Cheetos. There is a new Men's Canadian Tour beginning in November 2019, and the next USCA meeting will be in Colorado Springs in April.

MCA Event/Club Report

Exmoor CC's Wednesday night interclub league is in progress. Northwestern curling has entered a team into the interleague competition and has a new president and treasurer. Wilmette CC has figured out their ice time, received new members, and continues to make progress on the Cherry Tree event. Windy City CC has partnered with Chicago CC and Exmoor CC for the Wrigley Learn2Curl.

Old Business

Phase 1 of the website has been completed and is now in service. Clubs will continue to add items to the website as it is now live. The Dar Curtis trophy is still in progress, and the secretary position is still open and needs to be filled. All playdown events are set and good to go. With no new information regarding St. Louis CC, this item has been tabled until further notice. The Prairie State pins have arrived, and a motion was made to order new pins by David Jamros and seconded by Peiyao Chen. The discussion regarding ICA renaming has been tabled.

New Business

A decision was made to share information regarding the Denver CC Rocky Mountain Spiel and to allow clubs to determine interest. It was noted that the organizers would like one team from the ICA to attend. A discussion was had about how to do sign-ups and the need for volunteers at the Wrigley Learn2Curl Event. A suggestion was made to have pins/patches available for sale. The event is two separate weeks, Monday through Wednesday (3-9 PM each day). Sean Rosales from Digitologie was on-hand to give the Board a quick introduction to the website and answer any questions.

With there being no more business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:51 PM. Next meeting will be on March 19, 2018.