

Metro Pool League
GENERAL MEETING
Fairview Legion, Halifax
September 7, 2017

Attendance - All teams in attendance except Doolys Bedford B, Doolys Kempt, Locas, and Railbirds B.

Call to Order - Meeting called to order at 7:35pm by President Dale Brimicombe.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Minutes - Minutes of the previous meeting of Aug.24/17 were read and approved.

2. P.R. – The Billiard Shop will once again be sponsoring the league as in previous seasons.

3. Stats – No report.

4. Treasurer's Report – Don Matheson tabled the financial statement from the 2016-17 season. After some light discussion it was generally accepted as submitted.

NEW BUSINESS

5. Teams – All teams are returning from last year as well as a new team, Buddys B, leaving us with 23 teams for the coming season.

6. Schedule – With 23 teams the round robin will be 23 weeks with a bye each week. The divisions will then split to 5-6-6-6 for another five weeks, then three weeks of playoffs to finish the first week of May.

7. Awards – It was generally agreed that individual player averages would continue throughout round robin AND divisional play. Qualifying for major awards will terminate at the end of round robin play.

8. Divisional Play / Playoffs – All teams will begin at zero points for divisional play. Teams will be ranked according to their win/loss record with ties being broken by actual points, the same as in round robin play. Final divisional play standings will determine playoff placements for each division. For first round of playoffs, the top team in A gets a bye, top two teams in BCD get a bye.

9. Practice Table – There was lots of discussion regarding visiting teams and their use of a game table versus practice table prior to league play. In the end it was determined to let common sense and courtesy dictate the practice, as it has always been.

10. Forum Rental Contract – It was noted that some of the problems arising at the banquet could have been avoided if a copy of the contract had been available on banquet night. The issues will be addressed with the forum management and a copy of the contract kept with the executive on banquet night for reference if needed.

11. Paperwork – All pertinent paperwork that teams will need – score pads, schedule, rules, etc – will be handed out to teams at the next league meeting.

12. Next Meeting - The next league meeting will be Thursday, September 14th, 730pm at Fairview Legion..

13. Adjournment - Motion to adjourn by Brian Smart. Meeting adjourned 8:25pm.

Dale Brimicombe
Secretary, M.P.L.