At the end of our meeting to finalize tournament details on September 6, 2022, Cheryl Manzone, Brad Caldwell, Betsey Merriken and Deb Richter met for about 10 minutes to discuss current pickleball items. Notes were sent to Bob Bennett and Karen Wolf for approval and comment.

* Karen Wolf’s term as a Committee member is coming to an end in December 2022. She is also our acting treasurer. We have started to approach members who we think would be a good fit for the role to gauge their interest. If you would be interested, please contact Cheryl Manzone at cherylmanzone59@gmail.com
* Cheryl will be sending Jim Whitmore an email shortly to ask about a timeframe for repavement of the social area which was not completed/included with the court replacement project as a cost saving measure via the POA Board.
* Cheryl will be working with the POA to order metal signs to use at the courts instead of some of the paper signs we currently have. We have decided to start by ordering court designation signs first. These let people know whether each court is reservable or walk on. Other signs with rules/policies will remain up, but may be relocated.
* The Pickleball Club Committee is currently working with Sandra Lippy to design and publish the off-season schedule. This change will be made mid-October as sunrise and sunset hours begin to effect playing times. The schedule will be shared with all members at the beginning of October. It will be very close to the current schedule but incorporate different times.
* Cheryl asked Deb Richter if she would like to once again facilitate our annual Share the Season fundraiser in the fall. She will get back to me.
* Cheryl asked Deb Richter how things are going with offering paid lessons. She is VERY busy and it is going well. No advertising currently needed.
* Ball machine training continues. Once trained, players will receive an email link to a new Sign Up Genius spot. This can be used to make reservations to use the ball machine if desired for a one-hour period on a specific date. The email will also include the shed code. Please do not share the link or shed code with others! Only those with proper training are allowed access to these things.
* Once we are past the tournament, the Pickleball Club Committee needs to work on plans for inviting Cummings Cove, Sapphire Valley and Keowee Key for intraclub events since we have attended something at all of these venues in the last few years.
* The new weatherproof message center that we ordered in July to replace our current bulletin board is still on back order with no known arrival date. We have decided to continue to wait for it instead of changing to something else.
* Brad Caldwell is in the process of setting up the fall cleaning crew. If you are interested in volunteering to clear courts of leaves and debris, contact him at bradcaldwell56@outlook.com All help is appreciated!!
* Deb Richter reminded us of the bootcamp currently scheduled with pickleball pro Helle Sparre that will take place on October 24 & 25 from 9am-4pm. On those days, Courts 1 & 2 will not be available for reservations.

If you have questions or comments regarding any of these items, please send them to Cheryl Manzone at cherylmanzone59@gmail.com