

Annual General Meeting

April 25, 2024



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General Welcome Address

As an executive we would like to thank all of the members who have come to the AGM. As you know, it is a requirement that we have these meetings and that a minimum number of members (16) attend.

We appreciate you taking the time to voice your concerns and follow through with your attendance this evening.

Thank you for being a part of the 2023-2024 PCVC season!

2024 AGM Topics

- Overall Membership for 2024-2025
- New exec for next year?
- Year End Party
- May 4th Tournament
- Playoff format

Do you wanna
talk about it?

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Executive Positions for 2024-2026

We have three Executive positions that are up for election this year. Vice President, Treasurer, Membership Secretary. Two positions only have 1 candidate running so unless anyone else wants to announce their interest currently ??? I'd like to announce our returning Treasurer and Membership Secretary and hold a vote for Vice President

your

Executive Members for 2024-2026 Season

Treasurer: returning, Ross Jopling

Membership Secretary: returning, Vernonn Mostacho

Vice President: vote Simon Kwan or Meaghan Hartwell

(By Show of hands!)

Exec with remaining 1 year term:

President: Matt Hartwell

Tournament Director: Rachel Clinton

Secretary: Fei Guo

Convenor: Al Zizek

Please consider running for the EXEC at next years AGM, especially if you've never served on the EXEC before. Remember, if there's no EXEC, there's no PCVC!

Feedback VS Criticism



REMINDER

- While criticizing the EXEC may be easy, we are much happier hearing constructive suggestions that could improve the league. Members are also always welcome to email exec@pcvc.ca
- The Exec is made up of volunteers that come together and run this non-for-profit organization.

Overall Membership



For a variety of reasons there is always turnover in the membership from season to season.

We are going to need to RECRUIT! If you know anyone who is interested in playing in the league and you think that they would be a good fit, please email exec@pcvc.ca. We are especially always in need of setters!!!

We will also be sending out a survey to our active members to see who is returning in the fall so that we can figure out how many spots we need to fill for the upcoming season. Please complete the form honestly and in a timely manner.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL DATE: June 15th. Fee's will be held at \$300. Like last year, a deposit of \$100 will hold your spot for the Fall/Winter season. A September date will be set to pay the remaining \$200 balance.

Year End Party

- Date: VOTE!!! May 25th, June 8th, June 15th
- Time: 7pm-we SHUT 'ER DOWN
- Location: Crooked Cue in Port Credit
 - Family Style Appetizers, resembling that of our Incentive Nights
 - Each member will *ALSO* get a drink ticket
- We will have Raffle Prizes and Awards to hand out to members at this time
- This is a great way to celebrate the end of another GREAT year of volleyball!
- There will be a sign up going out soon to finalize numbers.
- Have a Plus One? They can join us for \$30. Please make this clear in the sign up!

May The 4th be with you Tournament

- It's *COMING UP*, it's Star Wars themed, there will be pizza
- Sign up is almost full, only a handful of Male spots remaining, We're in need of setters!
- We will be having a 50/50 draw
- We will be hoping to have some raffle prizes in addition to our regular "if you didn't win a tier you can win a prize" so we are looking for donations.
- Pizza is on the menu, we'll be ordering a variety of choices
- Price of this tournament is a bit higher than the others to offset the food cost, thanks for your understanding.



Topics of Concern Attendance/ "Subs"

Attendance continues to be a recurring challenge facing our league (which is to be expected in an adult league comprised of individuals.) We've been very lenient in regards to the attendance policy the last 2 seasons. Do we want to consider changing the policy? Does anyone have any suggestions or comments. Our sub-list for "top players" has dwindled this season as we've been plagued by multiple injuries. While we try our best to ensure subs abilities are close to the equivalent of the player they are replacing, this is extremely difficult to guarantee. Sideline subs are always a possibility as long as a team can field a team of 3 men & 1 woman. Do we want to shift towards more of a reliance on sideline subs? Do we want to return to 8 members per team?

Prior to Covid we had an attendance policy in our constitution :

A player must maintain an attendance of 65% for weeks in which they are expected to play.

- Failure to maintain that attendance will disqualify a member from playoffs and in severe cases will lead to a termination of membership at the end of the season.
- A player will receive a warning notification via email after they reach 2 absences and will receive a second warning notification via email after 3 absences.
- If a player suffers a long-term injury, medical condition, or justifiable cause as permitted in the PCVC constitution, a member may request a "leave-of-absence" from play. That period they are absent will be exempt from attendance calculation, provided:
 - That they have notified the executive by email in advance of their absence and the reasons. The executive will source a replacement player for the period.
 - The period they are absent is three weeks or more.

3 PLAYERS AND SUBSTITUTIONS

- 3.1 A Legal Team consist of a minimum of four players, at least one of which must be a woman. The maximum number of men on a team is four. The ratio of men to women should not exceed 3:1.
- 3.2 Players are rotated into games (i.e.: not substituted)
- 3.3 A team which has expected to be absent for three or more consecutive weeks is required to notify the executive. If a team cannot field a Legal Team, it is required to notify the executive That team has the option be provided a replacement player.
- 3.4 League members are not allowed to arrange their own replacement. In the event of no substitution regular league rules will apply.
- 3.5 In the event a team has less than 6 players present, it is permitted to use substitute players from the team lining and scoring on that court. The substitute player must be of equal or lower skill to that of the absent player as determined by the executive present at that gym.

Proposals

Playoff Format “NBA STYLE” seeded playoffs

First Round: So the idea would be the #1 and #2 seeds get a first-round bye (reffering) with seed #3 vs. #6 and seed #4 vs. #5 in a one game up to 25 points knockout.

Second Round: The 2nd round would be seed #1 vs. winner of #3 vs. #6 and seed #2 #vs. winner of #4 vs. #5 in a best of 3 up to 20 points each (i.e., start each game at 5-5). Losers of round 1 would ref.

Final Round: The 3rd and final round would be the winners of round 2 in a best of 3 up to 25 points each. Losers of round 2 would ref.

Alternatively could move to a seeded 2 court playoff where top team per court advances to final. This would more closely reflect our “normal night of volleyball, 3 teams per court, play each team twice. 1, 3, 5 on one court, 2,4,6 on the other. These would be 25 point games, hard cap at 25.

BANQUET 2025

For next season are people happy with last year's Crooked Cue, apps and drinks and game style format?

Would people like to switch to a sit-down dinner and dancing kinda banquet?

Are members will to pay for this style of sit-down banquet? League would subsidize with our banquet budget but ultimately it'd likely be an additional \$25-\$35 per member

“Reffing”

Reffing- Following the feedback at last years AGM to “DO SOMETHING ABOUT REFFING” We hosted two reffing clinics that the vast majority of members were able to attend. Overall we hope the majority of members found these clinics helpful and helped reduce the number of disagreements/incidents surrounding how games were officiated this season.

