



Shuttlecock

March 2007

Manhattan Beach Badminton Club

Presidentially Speaking...

We have some special events coming up in March.

Saturday's workday is March 3rd, instead of March 10th

The Senior National Tournament is March 6th to March 11th.

Come out and enjoy some great Badminton games—we might learn something from all of the different players in the field.

Several of our members will be playing. Let's show them some support and cheer for them.

The MBBC Board Meeting is March 13th, instead of March 6th.

The Wine Tasting and Silent Auction will be held Friday, March 16th.

The Rummage Sale is on Saturday, March 17th. These fund raisers help support our junior program.

We had all the tiles cleaned in both locker rooms and hallway on February 26. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Have a fun St. Patrick's Day.

See you around,

Wayne

President@MBBadmintonClub.com

Wayne Buelte



Membership News

Bob Steinberg

Membership Status:

Associate Membership:	82
Intermediate Associate Membership:	33
Regular Members:	248
Provisional Members:	18
Legacy Members:	2
Playing Members:	34
Honorary Members:	11
Jr. Playing Members:	38

Resignations: Don and Barbara LeBlanc

No new applications

I have had the workday report updated on the website. It is still not complete, since I'm waiting for a couple of additional submissions to be made. I'll be updating the list again sometime in March.

Please try to keep track of your workdays in the event we need to do reconcile at the end of the club year. Remember to get all your workdays completed by the end of May (The club year is June-May).

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2007

- Sat. Mar. 3 Club Workday: 8am-12pm*
- Mar. 6—11 Senior National Tournament*
- Tue. Mar. 13 MBBC Board Meeting 7pm*
- Fri. Mar. 16 Wine Tasting Party / White Elephant Sale 7pm*
- Sat. Mar. 17 Rummage Sale 8am-12pm*
- Tue. Apr. 3 MBBC Board Meeting 7pm*
- Sat. Apr. 14 Club Workday: 8am-12pm*

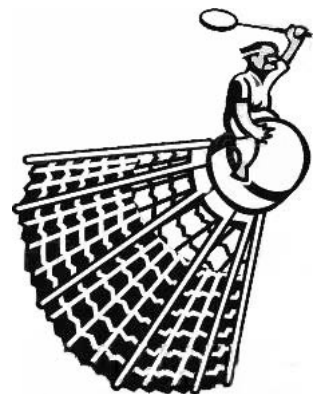
Calendar

Our Valentine's Day Tournament was hosted by Gary and Bonnie Brockman, who always do a great job. The perfect number attended, as none of us had to sit out one game! I REALLY liked it 'cause I won it! Of course it helps when you have Dean Schoppe and Chuck Linden as partners.

We've had two Friday Night Tournaments so far this year, and Ping Hao is #1 with 180 points, followed by Dean Schoppe with 174 and Chuck Linden, in third with 173. For your ranking in the tournament this year, check the bulletin board by Court One.

The Senior National Tournament starts Wednesday, March 7th and continues through Saturday, March 10. Depending on the number of participants and how much time is needed to complete the day's games, the courts should be open for adults to play each night, other than Wednesday.

AdultBadminton@MBBadmintonClub.com



I hope you are enjoying the beautiful new court floors and the great weather. The club finances are slowly climbing back up to their normal level. Thank you for your attention to keeping your dues current and supporting the workdays.

We are still working on the transition of the club accounting to QuickBooks. Please let me know if you are interested in workday credits for helping our bookkeeper, Gail Rico, get all of the accounts completely into QuickBooks. We are interested in tailoring the accounting process and records to better serve the needs of the MBBC.

Treasurer@MBBadmintonClub.com / 310.812.4331

Correction

It was brought to my attention that the Miami Lakes Sr. Intl. tournament report in last month's Shuttlecock included some information from 2004, which I did not intend to include. This proves that a few people are reading this material - so thank you and accept my apology. The 2007 Canadian Masters will be held in April in Toronto.

Lee Calvert

Around the House

Tom Irvin

We had a busy workday this month with 15 members participating. The big project was the installation of the new lockers. Thanks to Marianne and Dennis Fraher for their generosity in donating the lockers to the Club. Thanks to John Dzus, Rick Fiore, Paul James and Mike Revell for all of their hard work in removing the old lockers and installing the new ones.

We've also had the tile floors and showers professionally cleaned and sealed. The results look great; please come by and check out the new look. The next scheduled workdays are March 3 and April 14.

HouseChairman@MBBadmintonClub.com / 310.545.1973

New Construction

Peter Steinbroner

Spring is around the corner, which means time's running out to gather workday credits.

What better way to earn them by doing a special project. *Own a scanner?* Looking for a member who can scan old pictures. *Own a video camera?* How about interviewing a few veteran members for our oral history project?

Let me know...

NewConstruction@MBBadmintonClub.com

Greetings MBBC Members!
I have had great response to my request for help regarding the Senior National Tournament / Kitchen help. Thank you so much!

I still need someone to chair our House of Blues Party on April 14th. This is a great party and a fun one to work. Just let me know asap, if you are interested.

Please attend the Rummage Sale and Wine Tasting/Silent Auction this month. The dates and times are listed in the calendar section of the shuttlecock. Also, if you still need to get some credits in, give Karen Davis or Donna Gibbs a call. I'm sure they can use the help.

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

Entertainment@MBBadmintonClub.com

HELP WANTED

Julia Tedesco needs a "scrapbook" person to help with the 70th anniversary album. One workday credit. The photos are in the album - it just needs sprucing up. Please call Julia at 310 545-4905



You are invited to the annual
Manhattan Beach Badminton Club's
Wine Tasting Party
White Elephant, Silent Auction
(A Junior Program Fund Raising Event)

Open to non-member friends 7:00 p.m.

Friday, March 16, 2006

Incredible appetizers and soft drinks provided

Rummage Pre-Sale

Admission: \$10 per couple & a bottle of fine wine
Or \$5 for one person & a bottle of fine wine



Wine Contest

Winners of the "best" bottles of wine will get a special prize.

Reservations Call:

Evelyn Rollins (310) 545-1007 Karren Davis (310) 374-7217

Join the Fun

*Remember –
park west of the club*

MBBC ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE

Sat March 17 8AM to Noon

Remember – We need your treasures and maybe Karren will select them for the White Elephant sale.... How much will people bid for them????? Call Donna Gibbs 310-374-0873

