SPSA Member Meeting – October 11, 2026 **Corrected Approved Minutes**

In attendance: 5 members plus 5 Board members.

Meeting was called to order by President Denise Schneider at 11:06 am.

Minutes: were reviewed by Denise from the previous September 13, 2026, meeting. The motion to accept the minutes was made by Flip Folds and seconded by Wayne Bristol. Motion carried.

Financials: were reviewed by Denise. September showed a net income of $20,012.74. Denise noted that the Wounded Warrior donation (from the Wild Game dinner) had not been cashed yet. The motion was made to accept the financials by Don Schneinder and seconded by Burt Cowan. Motion carried.

Bell Jar Report: was given by Denise. The monthly September net increase was $12,536. The following checks were written this month:

- SPSA Bell Jar Administration -- $736.00
- Loan Payment (September) -- $1345.53
- Steve Fayette for pavilion roof repairs -- $1,200.00
- Ralston Supply Company for tickets -- $1,365.65
- Ralston Supply Company for tickets -- $2,321.87
- School Taxes – $43.71
- School Taxes – $1,373.42
- Eagle Scout Car Show -- $150.00

For a total of $8,536.18
The end of the month checking balance for September was $67,944.23. The motion to accept the report was made by Flip Folds and seconded by Wayne Bristol. Motion carried.

Queen of Hearts Report: was given by Denise. The current game is up to week 39 with a pot of $17,606. The pot is growing each week, with 12 cards left on the board.

Membership: Denise read the names of 12 new members and five lifetime members approved by the Board at its meeting that morning (see attached list). Welcome to all!

Building report: was given by Denise.

- Pavilion Roof – has been repaired. It was noted that the installation of the insulation of the original roof may be incorrect and any additional leaking will not be due to work done at this time. If the roof continues to leak, it will be addressed.
- Electrical upgrade – It has been an ongoing problem, that when numerous roasters, crockpots, etc. are plugged in upstairs that circuits are popping. Flip asked Jim Soule from Scriba Electrical, for his opinion about upgrading. There is an opportunity to upgrade.

Events: Denise updated on events that occurred since our last meeting.

- September 19th, Wild Game Dinner, to benefit the Wounded Warriors was a success, $3,700 raised. Thanks to the help of volunteers. A special thank-you to Vicky Gregory and Sherry Folds.
- September 26th, Witches and Warlock Ball was a night of fun.
- October 3rd, Annual Turkey Shoot, was like always a good time and lots of participation. However, the price of 33 turkeys was very high ($1,100) this year, compared to previous years.

Upcoming Events:

- October 17th, **changed from October 10th**, Chicken & Biscuits 5-7 pm. Hosted by Steve and Abby Colvin. 6-9 pm in the downstairs bar, will be entertainment – Dave Domicolo
- October 25th, Children's Halloween Party.
- October 31st, Adult Halloween Party, 6:30-9:30 pm – upstairs, with the Tough Luck Band.
- Need to determine a date for Fall Clean-up.
- Boat Storage – Don Schneider and Wayne Bristol in charge.

Bar Manager: Denise reported that winter hours start on November 1st – opening time will be 3 pm every day. When there is an early game on, the bar will open early. Also, if there is a late game on, the bar will remain open after closing time until the end of the game, unless there is no one in the bar. Denise introduced Michelle, a new bartender on Sundays.

Wellness: Denise reported that she did not have a wellness update but did update the group on the Celebration of Life for Clarence "Clary which was held Friday afternoon upstairs. The club donated the space, which is typical for families of members who wish to have their services at the club. The family did generously make a donation to the club. Thank-you.

Old Business:

- Snow plowing bid was accepted at this morning's Board Meeting – Guile and Son. Only one bid was submitted.
- Calendar for 2027 is being worked on. Let Denise know if there is an event you would like to sponsor or have any suggestions for. Thinking of not having events that takes members hours of work, but the income from the event is very low.
- We did receive another bid for the patio extension but will review it at next Board meeting as this will be a spring project.

New Business:

- The Department of Health inspected the club on September 24th, everything was good, no violations.

Suggestion Box:

- A member asked about having Blue Light back on draft. It had been out for two weeks due to a supplier problem. It will be on as draft, as long as it is available for us to get.
- A member asked to have Slim Jims as a snack at the bar. Slim Jims are one of the snacks available.

Open Business:

- A member asked about having pavilion table storage racks. Denise is looking at the racks available. She explained they are ones with table storage in the bottom and chairs are stored above the tables and can be wheeled out to set up / take down tables and chairs.

Flip Folds moved to adjourn, seconded by Keith Slauson. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 11:31am.

Next meeting: November 8, 2026 at 11 am

Respectfully submitted by:

Darlene Upcraft

Membership applicants accepted at the October 11, 2026 Board Meeting

Lifetime Members

David Reese

Mary Reese

Nathan Hammond

Steve Fayette

Tammy Fayette

New Members

Thomas Dagett

Chad Hammond

Joseph Kelley

Jennifer King

Robert Langouer

Kathleen Melia

Martin Quarella

Edwin Skotniski III

Craig Stoney

Scott Walrath

Charlene Wratten

James Wratten