

# **Club Manager**

## **Annual Report 2022**

The Club has been back in Face-to-Face (F2F) operation since March 15, 2022. Since then, we have been building the number of tables gradually to today where we have on average 7-8 tables on Tuesday and 5-6 tables for Friday. As a result, we are booking only Auditorium A for the new fiscal year.

Since March 15, 2022 to the end of September, the Club has a total of 334 tables with an overall average of 6 tables per game.

We had to close the Club for 4 days due to Unit Tournaments and Holidays.

We are challenged with our cadre of directors. We have now only three directors (Chandi, Heather & Violi) with Claude and Muriel as a backup. We have approached three other directors to supplement our game directing without success.

All our boards are made by Vern Chant which made things a bit easier for the director who had to do the boards prior to Covid.

This year our Club ran 19 weeks of either Club Appreciation, Club Championship or Upgraded Club Championship as well as 5 weeks of Club Charity for our members without any extra fee. Several of these special games were free for the club thanks to ACBL's support to encourage players to return to F2F playing.

Next fiscal year we may benefit of the training of new players who are currently practicing their duplicate lessons at our games. At the present times there are 5 tables of new players joining us on Friday.

We intend to continue looking for additional directors. There are a few new directors who took the director course during Covid but they have not started directing yet.

**Claude Tremblay**