ACBL UNIT 160

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
MARCH 29, 2026

Tri City Leisure Center – West Columbia, SC

Call to Order:

The Unit 160 Annual Meeting was called to order by President Lee Webb at 1:23 PM. A quorum was met as the meeting was held during the lunch break.

Board members in attendance were:
President: Lee Webb, Vice President: Bernetha Henry, Secretary: Kathy Kimmerling, Treasurer: Blondelle Grant, Scott Dunn, Martin Johnson, Susan McFadden, Dan Osburn, Dana Osburn, Tom Musso, Betsy Stanton, and Christopher Webb.

Unit 160 membership in attendance were:
Carol Bennett, Michael Bitonti, Laura Bro, Carolyn Cromer, Allen Furgiuele, Brenda Gantt, Sandra Gies, Brent Holcomb, Bruce Kenner, Shelby King, Jane Quick, Elaine Simmons, Jill Stirgwolt, Mary Townhill, Beth Watson and Paul Wright, Jr.

Secretary Report: Kathy Kimmerling www.bridgewebs/unit160 - Minutes archive

Treasurer's Report: Blondelle Grant

Establish Date for next annual meeting: The next Annual Membership meeting will take place during the Columbia Sectional on Sunday in the spring of 2027

Old Business:
There was no old business to be discussed.

New Business:

Election of Officers and Board Members for 2026-27
Nomination Chair, Betsy Stanton, presented the slate of officers and board members for the upcoming year to the membership for approval.
Motion to accept – Dunn Second – Watson
The new board was elected unanimously. See Attachment

2025 Mini-McKenney and Ace of Club Winners
The Unit was referred to the wall hangings for the 2025 lists of winners in the various categories.

Summary from President Lee Webb:
Year in review See attachment

Items from the Floor:
There were no items from the floor.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 1:25 PM.
Motion to accept – Stanton Second – Dunn Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully Submitted –

Kathy Kimmerling

Unit 160 Secretary

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Agenda

Verification of Quorum

Establishment of Adjournment Time:

Secretary's Report: Kathy Kimmerling www.bridgewebs/unit160 - Minutes archive

Treasurer's Report: Blondelle Grant

Establish Next Meeting: 2027 Spring Sectional – Date TBD

Old Business

There was no old business to be discussed.

New Business

a) Welcome.

b) Election of Officers and Board Members for 2026-7
Board member introduction and election: Betsy Stanton

c) 2025 Unit 160 Masterpoint Races Winners

Summary from President Lee Webb 2025

a) The Unit insured sectional tournaments against loses.

b) Provide funds for coffee at Regionals that take place in Unit 160

c) We continue to recognize Change of Rank with a $10.00 voucher to play in a sectional in a Unit 160 sectional.

d) We offer reimbursement of $6.00 per table to any club who will run a GNT qualifying event.

e) We offer matching funds to any club who applies to District 7 for educational programs.

f) Working to offer more Sectional tournaments for our members – Columbia and Charleston in 2025, and Greenville and Aiken, so far in 2026

g) Many thanks to all who continue to attend tournaments and volunteer in our unit and district.

Items from the Floor:

Adjournment:

Proposed UNIT 160 OFFICERS and BOARD MEMBERS 2026-27

OFFICE	NAME	
President/Goodwill/Nominations	Betsy Stanton	Hartsville
Vice President	Bernetha Henry	Hopkins
Past President/Goodwill	Lee Webb	Columbia
Secretary/Hospitality	Kathryn Kimmerling	Blythewood
Treasurer/Finance	Blondelle Grant	Georgetown
Director in Residence	Dan Osburn	Summerville
PIEDMONT		
	Richard Brown	Easley
	Nancy Russell	Spartanburg
	George Russell	Spartanburg
	Terri Smith	Greenville
	Ron Cowen	Greenville
SOUTHERN		
	Audrey Cadwallader	Mount Pleasant
	Stacia Hylton	Daniel Island
	Martin Johnson	Folly Beach
	Tom Musso	Charleston
	Dana Osburn	Summerville
CENTRAL		
Recorder	Scott Dunn	Columbia
	Bernetha Henry	Hopkins
Finance	Susan McFadden	Columbia
Finance	Christopher Webb	Columbia
EASTERN		
	Karen Galleher	Pawleys Island
	Jack Gurley	Florence
	Bobbie Stricklin	Florence