2025 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP



The monthly general membership meeting of the Electric Boat Athletic Club was held on Thursday, September 4, 2025 by conference call and in person at the Waterford VFW.

Those unable to attend in person were invited to our *Microsoft Teams* meeting.

President Jon Carr called the meeting to order at 07:04 PM

Moment of silence for all deceased EBAC members.

<u>Secretary's Report</u> – August report was distributed and available online.

- ➤ Accept reported motion by Ron Kadlecik; seconded by Harry Martinez
- ➤ No questions or corrections
- ➤ All in favor? yes So carried. (gavel bangs)

Financial Secretary's Report – Pam read the Financial Secretary's report for the month of August 2025.

Treasurer's Report – Brandon McCool read the Treasurer's reports for the month of July 2025 & August 2025.

- Accept (Financial Secretary's & Treasurer's Reports) reported motion by Ron Kadlecik seconded by – Anthony Mikelonis
- No questions or corrections
- o All in favor? N/A So carried. (gavel bangs)

Communications

1. none

Committee Reports

EBAC Varsity Running/Running Club by Dave Goodrich

Nine racers from EBAC took on the 2025 New Haven Road Races on Labor Day. Andrew LePage led the 20k team with a 1:15:27 (6:04/mile), followed by Sean Du in 1:22:49, Matt Sweeney in 1:23:08, Mike Fleming in 1:25:14, Bob Chlum in 1:27:12 and Amanda Jenkins Setzer in 1:58:26. The Half Marathon crew was led by Mike Valentine with 1:25:49 (6:33/mile), followed by Phil Mee in 1:30:42 and Kendra Miller in 2:22:52. Great job by the whole team!

Coming up we have the penultimate corporate race of the year for the varsity team. I'll send the team password and signup link in a separate email, be sure to sign up with team Electric Boat Athletic Club (EBAC). Any non-varsity runners interested shoot me an email, we may have a spot for you to race and get paid for by the club.

EBAC Fall Challenge:

Registration is OPEN, starting price is \$20 plus small fee for EBAC members who sign up with promo code from emailing the office. Info at

https://runsignup.com/Race/CT/NewLondon/ElectricBoatAthleticClubEBACFallChallenge



EBAC Varsity Tennis Spring/Summer Report by Stanley Niezricki (via email)

The Varsity Tennis team completed it's Spring/Summer season after competing in the regional Thames Valley Tennis League. The league is comprised of some of the best tennis players in the Southeastern CT and Westerly, RI area. Each team match included one court of singles and three courts of doubles. The team ended the regular season in 3rd place with a 31-17 record. In the playoff semifinals the team tied in matches and sets against their Conn College team opponents. To determine which team advanced to the finals a sudden death tiebreak was required. After a nearly 3 hour singles match won by EB's Ryan Teixeira, he unfortunately lost the tiebreak that was played in nearly complete darkness.

EBAC Cycling Club Report by Miles Whitford

The road cycling club is continuing weekly rides with 15-20 riders each week. With fall weather incoming, the Tour de Donuts will be starting up where rides will be making a stop at apple cider donut establishments each week for a mid-ride carb boost. In the coming weeks, the ride start will be moved up from 4:30 pm to 4:00 pm to account for the earlier sunsets. The mountain bike club is conducting business as usual along with dusting off and charging up their headlights for the darker rides of fall and winter.

EBAC Archery Club Report by David Hatlee (via email)

The Archery club continues to meet Every Wednesday night from 630 until around 830 pm at Pachaug Outdoor Club (POC), who is hosting an open to the public shooting time. There is a \$10 per shooter range fee, but many good times are had, with new and old friends. There is coaching for those new to the sport, with equipment provided to help people learn. We are finishing the outdoor shooting, as winter is getting ready to set in. We will be moving indoors to keep the fun going. We are looking at a few shooting options for the indoor season IE: archery Tic Tac Toe, Darts, and cards...

As a reminder to all Hunting season starts in s few DAYS, so please be aware of where you are and to wear Bright Orange in the woods for your safety. Also remember that bothering (blowing air horns...) hunters in the woods is illegal.

EBAC Ski and Snowboard Club Report by Bryce Knight

The club is finalizing plans for the 2025/2026 ski season. The week-long trip will be to Banff / Lake Louise, Alberta Canada from January 31 through February 7 2026. This trip is currently full. Please contact Andy Stoddard or Bryce Knight if you would like to be added to the waiting list for openings.

Our trip to Jay Peak will be on Martin Luther King weekend, January 16 – 19 2026. We have also made reservations for our trip to Smuggler's Notch February 27 – March 1 and are finalizing the details for trips to Burke VT March 6-8 and Lake Placid NY April 3 - 5. The club plans to have all of the details available in the next two weeks. Please check out the club website for information on these trips and to sign-up.

The first club meeting will be held at 5:00 Thursday 9/18/2026 at Outer Light Brewing in Groton CT. Please stop by to meet the club, sign-up for membership and/or trips and a chance to win a door prize.



EBAC Billiards League Report by Brandon McCool

The new 8-ball 7-footer league started August 6th and is planned to run for 10 weeks. We meet every week at Gold Crown Billiards in New London and there are two sessions, a 4:30pm and a 6:00pm. Each session has six participants.

EBAC Disc Golf League Report by Aaron Logue (via email)

EBAC Disc Golf is currently playing the 8th out of 10 weeks of our Summer and Fall season. Everyone has been enjoying the best-shot doubles format, and we're all looking forward to the concluding two weeks of playoffs immediately following the 10th week. Andrew Crouch, the former EBAC Disc Golf League commissioner, is organizing our banquet this year. We'll be doing something different than previous years. This time around, we'll be having attendees participate in a glow in the dark "ace race" where each player will try to ace (hole in one) as many holes as possible on a short 9-hole course. We're always looking for new members, so if you know anyone looking to get into disc golf in a casual or competitive setting, let me know!

Old Business

President Jon Carr still needs to schedule a meeting with Alex Hatem, our company liaison, to discuss future EB financial support. They provided \$64K in 2025, we have a burn rate of \$100K per year.

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Good of the Club

- 1. We are increasing the yearly dues from \$2.00 to \$5.00 to help offset the company's financial support.
- 2. The Fall Challenge registration is now open @ \$22.80. Please email the office with your badge number for the discount code. We had approximately 80 runners last year. Runners can look forward to T-Shirts, chowder and beer
- 3. The office has Big E discount flyers in the office. Email the office with your badge number to receive the flyer with the QR code. To use this discount, you must order your tickets online but off company property.



Regular monthly meeting - A quorum shall consist of at least five members of the Board of Directors, of which at least two must be officer. A quorum was reached

OFFICERS				
President	Jon Carr	Present		
Vice President	Christine Elliot	Present		
Secretary	Chris Green	Present		
Treasurer	Brandon McCool	Present		
Financial Secretary	Pam Gonski	Present		

BOARD of DIRECTORS					
Steve Karavolis	Absent	Greg King	Absent		
Matthew Casey	Present	Anthony Mikelonis	Present		
Matthew Aven	Absent	Andrew Crouch	Absent		
Bryce Knight	Present	David Goodrich	Present		
Miles Whitford	Present	Taylor Allen	Present		
Brentt Smith Sr	Absent				
RETIREES					
Judi Page */#		Harry Martinez */#	Present		
		Lynn Gaul *			
(*) Past President		(#) Retiree			

- ➤ Motion to adjourn @ -- 07:37 PM

 There was a motion to adjourn by Harry Martinez; seconded by Anthony Mikelonis So carried. (gavel bangs)
- ➤ Minutes submitted by Secretary Chris Green

Others in attendance

<u>Name</u>	Badge	Club
Bill Thayer		Retired
Frank Ross		Retired
Gary Ceil		Retired
Paul Cavanagh		Retired
Ron Kadlecik		Retired
Matt Noll	146047	Racquetball