

## The Middlebury College Pool Club Constitution

- I. The name of this organization shall be The Middlebury College Pool Club.
- II. The purpose of this organization is to encourage, promote, and organize events pertaining to the activity of playing pool. The club will organize and host tournaments for interested players. It will aim to cement the bond between current pool players and encourage new students to participate as well. The Pool Club will not engage in any activities that involve gambling. While the Pool Club will organize tournaments it will not reward its members with any prizes, services, or property as this is against Vermont gambling laws.
- III. Membership is open to all interested Middlebury College students and will be determined by currently enrolled Middlebury College students on the Pool Club mailing list.
- IV. Officers: There shall be a president who will preside over this organization. His/Her function will be to get involved in the day-to-day activities of the Pool Club. He/she will preside over the Pool Club meetings and keep the membership and the administration in touch with Pool Club events throughout the year. There will be two vice-presidents who will assist the president logistically. One of the vice presidents will preside over the meeting when the president is not available. A treasurer will be elected who will act as liaison between the organization and the SGA Finance committee. A secretary will also be elected whose role shall include (but not limited to) taking notes during meetings and fostering communication between the leadership, the membership, and the SGA.
- V. Elections: All positions, President, 2 Vice Presidents, Treasurer, and Secretary shall be elected by the current membership by March 15 for the following year. Candidates will nominate themselves. A quorum of at least  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the membership must attend to have an election. A simple majority vote is required to elect these officers to duty.
- VI. There will be weekly meetings to discuss upcoming events and activities.
- VII. There are no committees at this point in time but the president reserves the right to form temporary committees in case the need arises.
- VIII. The membership recommends a member of the faculty/staff to advise the organization.advisor.
- IX. The Middlebury College Pool Club has no affiliation with any local, state, or national organization.
- X. Ratification:
  - A. The constitution must be ratified by a two-thirds majority of the membership.
  - B. The constitution must be approved by the Student Government Constitution Committee.
- XI. Amendment:
  - A. The constitution must be ratified by a two-thirds majority of the membership.
  - B. The constitution must be approved by the Student Government Constitution Committee.

Approved as to form: May 8, 2002