

Pickleball Canada 2025 Annual General Meeting June 26, 2025 Election of Directors - Nominee Information Package

## Nominee Name: Joey Stephen (Ontario)

## **Executive Bio:**

I am the CEO of Polinsys Ltd., a Canadian immigration firm, and a licensed Immigration Practitioner with over 30 years of leadership experience. I hold a Bachelor of Science in Zoology and a Business Administration degree. As a board-level strategist, I have led multiple organizations and served on the Catholic School Advisory Council (CSAC) and CPIC for the Waterloo Catholic District School Board, contributing to educational governance and strategic planning. A former state-level Junior table tennis player at school, I've played recreational tennis for over 15 years and have been passionately engaged in pickleball for the past two years as an athlete and advocate for the sport's growth. My professional background in regulatory compliance and organizational development, combined with hands-on community involvement and a lifelong dedication to racquet sports, equips me to bring value, insight, and energy to the Board of Pickleball Canada.