

Parkes Bridge Club Committee Meeting

Thursday 9th February, at 11:30am
Lutheran Church Hall

Meeting opened 11:35 am Chair: Kevin Robinson

Present: Kevin Robinson, Rosemary Morris, Nancye Blatch, Jill Petersen,
Ingrid Stephenson, Susie McNamara

Apologies: Tim Baker, Lee McCabe

Minutes of last Committee Meeting - 20th October, 2022

Accepted with amendment Helen McQuie and **Greig Ball** attended the
Gwenda Garde 100th Birthday Swiss Pairs event

Business Arising :

1. Mini Congress subcommittee debriefing yet to be arranged. Kevin has it in hand.
2. Life Membership Criteria. As the committee members at the last meeting indicated they were not in favour of Life Membership Jill has not proceeded with compiling a criteria.
3. Contact List: Jill has updated the members details and it will be now given to Tim to add to the computer. The Secretary needs to have a copy.
4. Purchase of pencils. Ingrid has ordered labelled pencils at 33cents each. total cost with postage \$330
5. Purchase of tables & cloths Kevin had costed them Decision made at this meeting that 8 new larger tables and 8 cloths be purchased. Kevin to order.
6. Teaching courses: Kevin & Ingrid. Neither David Reddell or Jane North are available to teach. Other avenues to be looked at. An on-line course through ABF may be possible.

Correspondence: Distributed as appropriate

1. Agnes Hewett Teams Day flyer sent out to Clubs in in our region and NSWBA
2. Application to hold our Mini Congress Teams Day. Rosemary applied to Pauline Gumpy. She sent back the Application Form. Details discussed at this meeting. Rosemary to submit on-line.
3. ABF on-line Survey. Details discussed at this meeting. Rosemary to submit on-line

Treasurers Report: Jill Submitted October, November, December 2022 & January 2023 Reconciliations. Approved as read
Balance at 30/1/23 is \$12,087.67

Business on Notice:

1. Agnes Hewett Teams Day. Flyers gone out to clubs in Region. Flyer on notice board To look into getting someone to be in the kitchen to organise the food during the day. Will budget \$200 to cover cost of employing to do that. Will need 12+ tables for the day to be a viable financially. David Waddell's fee as Director \$350
2. NSWBA Mixed Pairs Day. Decision to be part of the competition. Date set to play 20th April, 2023.
3. Tuesday Bridge. Struggling at present to get 3 tables. Decision to continue even if only 2 and a half tables. To be reviewed over the coming months.

General Business:

1. Third Thursday drinks and nibbles after bridge to recommence next month. Peter Dearden to be approached to get a price for him to supply the wine if he has stock available. Jill to talk to Peter.
2. Monthly Medal to be presented at Thursday bridge this month.
3. Sympathy cards to go to Wendy Andrews on the death of her mother and Anita Metcalf on the death of her step daughter.

Meeting closed 12:33