

PARKES BRIDGE CLUB

MEETING TYPE: GENERAL

DATE: 8 November 2018

TIME: 11:30

VENUE: Parkes Leagues Club

CHAIR: Rosemary Morris, President

Present:

Bev Laing, Keith Fiedler, Rosemary Morris, Isabel Orange, Dawn Phipps, Joan Reilly, Margaret Hawken, Jan Freeman, Greig Ball, Jenny Freeman, Suzie McNamara, Peter Quin, Fay Shaw, Val Worthington, Kevin Robinson

Apologies:

Robyn Sheridan, Stephen Morris, Beryl Twardy, Ingrid Stephenson, Warren Blatch, Nancye Blatch, Gai Baker, Tim Baker

Minutes of Previous Meeting: Read by Bev Laing

3 Review Action List

ACTION	BY WHOM	OUTCOME
Donation of \$500 to be sent to Cancer Care West	Robyn Sheridan Dawn Phipps	Completed
Consider Elvis Bridge session venue with appropriate tables	Rosemary Morris	Session to occur at Astro Dish on Thursday 10 January. Cost \$10 per person. Astro Dish charging \$60 for session plus \$1 per person for afternoon tea. Cost of advertising in Elvis Schedule was \$50.
Re-send flyer for Muriel Waddell Day to Narromine	Robyn Sheridan	Completed. Muriel Waddell day was won by a team from Dubbo.
Obtain quote for Xmas party from PLC	Dawn Phipps	Completed. No nibbles allowed to be brought in by Club. Club has quoted on this as well as dinner. See General Business.
Give suggested criteria for life memberships to secretary	All members	No responses received from any members. Committee agreed not to proceed with Life Memberships
Contact Library regarding Bridge demonstration days	Robyn Sheridan	Completed. Successful first day of demonstration play occurred yesterday with 4 people in

		attendance. Another play session scheduled for next Wednesday.
Raise Bridge lessons/club with other organisations e.g. Rotary, View etc	Any members of PBC and other organisations	No responses.
Organise GNOT sessions for August	Keith Fiedler	Completed. Finalists that represented Parkes were Suzie McNamara and Louise Payne and Greig Ball and Keith Fiedler. Congratulations on reaching the regional finals.
Action the allocation of partners/mentors for new members	Val Worthington Rosemary Morris	Jill Peterson, Jill Crisp and Lee McCabe to be mentored by Val Worthington. Robyn Morrissey to be mentored by Suzie McNamara

4 Treasurers Report – tabled by Dawn Phipps – attached to minutes

5 Presidents Report

Restricted Pairs won by Beryl Twardy and Dawn Phipps.

Great day was had by all who attended the Bridge Day at Condobolin.

Library days to continue next week.

6 General Business:

6.1 Xmas Party 2018

Quote for dinner is \$20 per person plus \$60 each for a platter of nibbles which will cater for approximately 20 people per platter. Cost of members dinner will be covered by the Club. Cost for guests to be \$20 per head. Bev Laing to organise entertainment. Instead of Secret Santa members to place \$5 in an envelope which will be given between Anglicare and St Vincent de Paul for underprivileged children.

6.2 Elvis Festival Bridge Session

See action list above. Astro Dish will provide a \$100 voucher to the winning pair on the day.

6.3 Gill Ross Day

The day was cancelled this year as we could not attract enough players to play a full day of Bridge. Suggestions of how to run this day next year tabled by Committee including proposal of having 2 to 4 afternoons labelled as Parkes Pairs Championship. To be tabled at the Annual General Meeting in July for a final decision.

7 Business without notice

Nil

Meeting Closed: 12:30 **Next Meeting:** February – date to be advised.

ACTION	BY WHOM	BY WHEN
Review progress of mentorship	Val Worthington	February meeting
Review outcome of Elvis Bridge Day	Rosemary Morris	February meeting
Place Gill Ross day on agenda of AGM	Robyn Sheridan	July 2019