

#### PAPATOETOE CONTRACT BRIDGE COMMITTEE

## Meeting 19 September 2019

## **MINUTES**

Meeting opened: 7:02

**PRESENT** – Ian McGarvey, Brian Spendelow, Linda Thorne, Susan Thorne, Lance Bowden, and Garth Pussell.

APOLOGIES - John Weijermars, Angela Guptill, Angela Signal

## **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING - August 15th 2019**

Moved that Minutes be accepted as a true and accurate record: Moved Ian/Susan. Passed

#### **Matters arising from the August Minutes**

## 1. Progress with Auditor.

- Susan, Linda, Ian met with JDW (Auditors) on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Pradeep Singh (Audit Manager is new contact.
- Quote received for \$1,800 + GST. Ian will contact Mr Singh and confirm details.
- Accounts will need to go online (\$25/month).
- The committee agreed to move forward with this process..

## 2. Dates for next year.

Garth has confirmed details with Nikki.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE IN**

#### Neil

Board Minutes 23rd July.

Board Minutes 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

Director's Exam Flyer. - discuss in AOB

Babich Pairs Announcement Flyer. - discuss in AOB

Chairman's message #6.

Link to Health and Safety and Child Protection Policy. - further consideration required.

AGM Manual announcement.

Message on numbers of Boards at Tournaments.

Announcement of Director Graduates.

Letter from Jane Stearns with reports attached.

## **Pradeep Singh**

Letter from Pradeep Singh, JDW Chartered Accountants.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE OUT**

Certificates sent to Colin and Marcy.

Moved that Correspondence in to be received, outward approved: Moved Susan/Lance, passed.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORT - Treasurer**

## 1. Review July and Xmas Dinner Accounts

Resubmitted by Linda

Moved that resubmitted accounts be accepted: Moved Linda/Brian, passed.

# 2. August Accounts

Presented by Linda

Moved that Accounts be reviewed and amended by Linda to resolve differences with Xmas Dinner accounts,

Moved that accounts be accepted: Moved Linda/lan, passed.

## 3. Accounts for payment:

Bills awaiting payment:

Neil (Office Manager) \$81.25 Spark \$5.95 NZ Bridge Master Points \$461.84

Moved that these accounts be approved for payment: Moved Linda/Garth, passed.

# **GENERAL BUSINESS**

# 1. Club Captain – Report

 Regular attendance at tournaments and interclub. Rob Davies and Aaron Starr prominently successful.

## 2. Komar Report - Garth

Main doors are dangerous, looking for funding for automatic sliding doors.

## 3. Babich Pairs

- Tournament Date isFriday November 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Howick are going to hold their own session this year.
- After discussion, committee decided Papatoetoe will run a session this year. Also decided to charge \$15 (\$10 to NZ Bridge, \$5 nibbles).
- Ian to follow up with Neil.

# 4. Parking Issues

- Complaints regarding parking should be forwarded through the committee.
- Request Members to note make, model and registration of incorrectly parked vehicles and keep a record.

# 5. Health and Safety Policy

- We will need to have a health and safety policy in place.
- Ian will look at this, and can hopefully fit under Kolmar's policy.

## 6. Club documents and records

• Ian has scanned and saved the club documents in the cloud.

#### AOB

## 1. Director's exams and courses

- Ask Auckland/Northland about courses and exams.
- People have expressed an interest but we have received little information.
- Ian will ask Neil about courses.

#### 2. Review of Club Rules

 May need to look at the rules regarding payments – specifies payments by cheque etc.

## 3. Recompense for expenses for attending meetings

- Linda raised this issue, regarding the rise in petrol price.
- Possible basis for payment Tier one Public Service Rate 79c/km.

## 4. Recompense for Partnership Officers

Angela S raised this issue. Discussion set aside for next meeting.

## 5. Tournament entry subsidies

• The committee discussed subsidizing Congress entries and decided it is not appropriate to pay for club members to enter this tournament.

# Meeting closed 8:30 pm

Apologies for next meeting:

Next meeting 17th October.