# **OREWA BRIDGE CLUB (INC)**

Minutes of the Committee meeting held at the Club Rooms 13 March 2023

**Present:** Judith Hollyer, Cherrie England, Sandra Cooper, Bridget Gorinski, Nicola Timms, Caroline Goodall, Paul Baldwin, Jo Willis, Steve Timmins, Amanda Richards, Cath Boughtwood

Apologies: Alison Beer, Gil Jury

**Minutes:** The minutes of the previous meeting were circulated and will be brought to the next meeting to be signed off.

**Matters arising:** Following the previous discussion on changing the mobility car parks it was decided that the park directly in front of the main doors to the club will be kept free for emergencies.

#### **Correspondence:**

A letter from Mike Neels re Bob Fearn to be held until the Treasurer present.

### Membership:

Two resignations

## Financial:

Bridget presented the January and February financials on Alison's behalf.

## General:

1 Bridget reported on preparations for the lessons starting in March, including a larger TV being bought. All is going to plan, there are 16 positive pupils.

2 General Building and garden maintenance was discussed. Bridget to get quotes for window cleaning, water blasting etc. Discussion was held on maintaining a garden with help from a part time gardener or putting all the landscaping back into lawn. It was decided that to continue with the garden upgraded and to make a decision at year end. Steve will look at an upgrade for the squawky microphone.

3 Sunday tournaments. Judith confirmed March all in hand. The new format as already discussed will be used.

4 Amanda suggested the Sunday April tournament could be a good opportunity to fund raises for the Hawkes Bay floods. This was agreed unanimously.

5 Paul has offered to present an explanation of the new X Club Handicaps. The plan being to add the handicaps to the website.

6 Sandra has offered to re-establish the recording and displaying of C Points and Best Scores on the notice board.

7 Sandra has designed a envelope system for "Visitors information and table money" to simplify the processing of visitors.

8 Paul showed everyone some ideas for a new look website. This is in progress.

9 Amanda suggested Improvers lessons be recommenced this year. This was agreed unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting was declared closed at 5.10 PM.

Judith Hollyer President