

# OREWA BRIDGE CLUB (INC)

Minutes of the Committee meeting held at the Club Rooms 09 October 2023

**Present:** Caroline Goodall, Cherrie England, Sandra Cooper, Cath Boughtwood, Nicola Timms, Bridget Gorinski, Amanda Richards, Joanna Willis,

**Apologies:** Paul, Mary, Bronwyn

**Minutes:** Minutes of the meeting 18 September having been circulated were taken as read. Moved Bridget, seconded Amanda that they be approved.

## **Matters arising:**

For an extra \$75 we are having the pass cards for the bidding boxes laminated.

Cath reported on the Auckland Northland Regional Committee Hui that was held at our club rooms over the weekend. Those that attended were very impressed with what was discussed and have come back with many ideas.

## **Lessons**

Jenny attended the meeting to discuss the running of the lessons next year. She suggested and it was agreed, that there would be 11 lessons starting 27 February, three weeks practice sessions, followed by a competition series for the rest of the year, paying \$4 table money and earning C points or half C points if playing under 20 boards. There was discussion on running a buddy system.

It was agreed that the lessons next year would cost \$100 including 2024 subscription to be paid before the second lesson. Moved Joanna, seconded Amanda.

## **Correspondence**

None

## **Financial**

Bridget reported on September 2023 her first month as Treasurer. There were no unusual expenses. Moved Bridget, seconded Cath that they be approved.

## **Membership**

Nicola has resigned those that were in the system on a temporary basis. They can then pay a sub next year or play as nonmembers.

## **General Business**

- 1 Cath agreed a sponsorship package with Campbell Cave, including dinner vouchers.
- 2 Coffee Club has new owners who will be carrying on with vouchers as prizes for tournaments.
- 3 Caroline has offered to run the Melbourne Cup Sweepstake, with assistance from Amanda.
- 4 Kevin Day asked for explanations of 3A, 3B etc. tournaments. This will be included in the next newsletter.
- 5 Cath presented a draft of the programme book for final consideration. Everyone was happy with the way she had put it together, after final adjustments were discussed. It will be proofread by Sandra and will go to the printers next week.
- 6 Cath to put out the next newsletter this week.

Meeting closed at 5.50 pm

Caroline Goodall  
Vice President

