CAMBRIDGE BRIDGE CLUB (INC)

Minutes of Meeting held on 8 June at 4.45pm in the Club Rooms.

Present: Anne Blewden (President), Kevin Whyte, Ailsa Henderson, Liz Clayton, Allison Vince, Sue McKenzie, Helen Wallwork, Mary Casey, Gretchen Gavey, Kay Hanna, Michael Neels, Tony Davies (Committee)

Apologies: -

Confirmation of Minutes: (Allison/Kay)

Matters arising: Cupboard with broken glass fixed

Bob Fearn was sent a financial token of thanks from the Club during lock down

Awards Boards have been updated

Treasurer's Report: (Kevin/Tony)

Kevin reported that the Profit and Loss statement showed approx. \$10,000 less in income but also approx. \$10,000 less in expenses over the lock down period.

The May draft as circulated at the meeting is not entirely accurate. Some updating to come.

Affiliation fees are paid quarterly.

NZ Bridge offered assistance to clubs over the lockdown but we declined this assistance.

The Bank balance is much the same as it was this time last year.

One sub has been written off.

\$540 in sponsorship is outstanding. Mary to follow this up.

Insurance has been renewed and paid \$1532.89.

Correspondence:

Inwards: Some certificates received for distribution to members

Email from NZ Bridge advising clubs re Alert level 1

Outwards: Note of thanks to Ayako – cleaning of club rooms

Maintenance Report:

Tony reported that there is no longer a sign of any leak in the bathrooms.

The window catches are now complete.

General Business:

1. Restart days

After some discussion it was agreed to start all bridge play days from Monday, 15th June. If the start day falls in the middle of a competition, social nights will follow until the start of the next series.

2. Restart procedures

Ayako has cleaned the club rooms and surfaces in anticipation of the start up post Covid-19. Anne will email all members regarding the start-up dates and precautionary health procedures when returning to play. Kay to purchase hand sanitiser for the tables and other consumables (milk etc).

3. Directors

Anne to remind directors of their upcoming duties.

4. Dealing

Callum responsible for week 25. Anne to remind.

5. Tournaments

It was agreed that The Sixes tournament on 8th August should be cancelled for this year. Junior Restricted Fun afternoon on 26th July will continue as normal. Liz to organise.

Intermediate Competition on October 30th to continue as normal.

Michael agreed to email Alister (and others) re the cancellation of The Sixes for the bridge diary.

6. Lessons

To start on 14th July. The "newbies" start playing at the club on 30th September. Suggested that Kim contact all previously interested people. Advertising via Cambridge Facebook, Cambridge Grape Vine, Neighbourly, Rotary, Cambridge High and possibly ask the newer members of the club to tap a "friend" on the shoulder. A fee needs to be charged to cover the booklet and name badge. Possibly \$28 – to be confirmed.

7. Other

Anne acknowledged the work done by Michael and Eunice through BBO during lockdown. Michael advised that table money will be able to be processed through Compass. Morrinsville and Te Awamutu are currently trialling this.

Kevin advised that he is to move away from MYOB and to use ZERO soon. Bob will be paid for this addition now available to bridge clubs.

Michael suggested that a BBO competition continue (possibly once a week) for local players.

Meeting closed at 6 pm.

Next meeting: Thursday, 9th July 2020 at 4.45 pm.