

Caloundra Contract Bridge Club

MINUTES

Meeting Opened : Tuesday 14th January 2025 8.30 am

Present : Bob Davies, Siobhán Davies, Kerry Thorp, Angie Robinson, Joanne Scott, Steve Hughes, Bev O'Hara

Apologies : Greg Dobson

Approval of Minutes from last meeting :

"It was moved that the minutes of the last meeting were a true and accurate record."

Moved: KerryThorp

Seconded: Siobhán Davies

CARRIED

Business arising from Meeting 10th December 2024 :

- Electricity charges – any better rate available – under review.

Correspondence :

Inward :

- Email from Members with thanks for Christmas Party
- Email from Shirley Wilson thanks for visitors and good wishes during her hospital stay
- Several emails regarding Membership and questions regarding MyABF
- Correspondence with members who are not renewing regarding refund of bridge credits

Outward :

- Replied to all queries regarding MyABF
- Emails to members who haven't played recently regarding renewals
- Minimum delivery for The Senior newspaper is 50 per month and majority get thrown in the bin. Delivery cancelled
- Entry Flyer for February Congress to Brisbane and local clubs
- Entry Flyer for April GNOT Heat to Zone clubs

"It was moved that the inward correspondence be accepted, and the outward endorsed".

Moved: Siobhán Davies

Seconded: Kerry Thorp

CARRIED

Members :

Home 221 Away 36 Life 2 **TOTAL 257**

New Members Proposed: 9 New Members from Lessons

Out-standing membership fees x 7

"It was moved that the above members be approved for membership".

Moved: Angie Robinson

Seconded: Kerry Thorp

CARRIED

Treasurer's Report :

- Spreadsheet of all Financial transactions presented to the Meeting.
- Balance in the Current Account is \$18,145 and balance in the Investment Account is \$59,291.

"It was moved that the Treasurer's Report be approved".

Moved: Steve Hughes

Seconded: Siobhán Davies

CARRIED

General Business :

- Update - MyABF Membership and Renewals – all renewals processed easily and efficiently. Only 5 were unsuccessful. Good response from members for ease of payment.
- Membership cancellation analysis – as normal each year some Members do not renew. Moved Away x 8. Not well/not playing x 13. Deceased x 4. Transfer Home to Caloundra x 9. Transfer Home to SSCB x 2. Several members from recent lessons stopped playing, a Member Coordinator will be appointed to liaise with new members and encourage them to play
- Team of 3 March – Convenor required. A volunteer will be requested from out-side the committee.
- Sponsorship – Up-Date. Propel has sponsored \$1,100 and will present Trophy for new Under 50mp's Congress in July. TBIB will be followed up regarding their sponsorship.
- Beginner Lessons – Advertising. 5 players received from My Times ad. Radio ad to start.
- AOB

Siobhán Davies
Secretary

Meeting closed at 9.00 am

Next Meeting 11th FEBRUARY 2025 at 8.30am