MINUTES OF MEETING OF OAMARU BRIDGE CLUB INCORPORATED HELD AT CLUBROOMS STEWARD STREET OAMARU 12 July 2023 at 7pm

PRESENT:

Liz Drew ¹	Junelle Edmonds	Alison Brown	Theo Jordens		
Lyn Dunlop	Julia Knight	Peter Simpson	Derick	van	Louise
			Basten		Whitelock

1. Apologies

Peter McLellan and Graham Mills.

Moved: TJ Seconded: JE- carried.

2. Minutes

Minutes of the meeting of 14 June 2023 were circulated.

Moved: LynD Seconded: PS- carried.

3. Matters Arising

XClub

This item was deferred to the discussion in General Business regarding scoring systems for the Club.

Rob Halcrow Funeral

The President thanked JE for attending and speaking at Rob's funeral.

4. Correspondence

Moved: LW Seconded: JE-carried.

5. Treasurer's Report

Spark

In the absence of the Treasurer, and after discussion, AB presented the following payments to be authorised or ratified for June:

\$45.78

Automatic Payments/Payment to be Ratified June

	\$68.91	
	\$729.81	
\$144		
New World		
	\$103.14	
	\$85.10	
	\$198.00	
	\$96.59	
	\$97.75	
Ian Williams Rubbish		
	\$42.90	
	\$144	

¹ Liz Drew abbreviated to LD; Lyn Dunlop to LynD

Mary Bear Catering \$56.95 Entry Fees for Mid SI Teams \$144

Travel Money for Mid SI Teams $$50 \times 3 + $25 \text{ to Brian Papps}$

Derek Mitre 10 \$71.36
Julia Bar \$581.77
Lindsay Directing \$270

The accounts/invoices above for ratification and authorisation were approved.

Moved: TJ Seconded: PS - carried.

AB raised the issue of the mounting electricity bill. It was noted that the heat pump in the Committee room is often left on. It was agreed that TJ would contact Darrell Sidon to discuss lowering the temperature of the floor heaters and/or turning them off outside of playing hours. AB to include a note in the Newsletter asking that the last person out check the lights and heaters.

6. Learners, Continuing Education and Directors

The learners have now joined the main room.

The next improvers lesson is 19 Jul 2023.

AB noted that Peter Mountain and herself are taking the NZB directors course with support from TJ.

7. Life Membership Criteria

LD/JE talked to the paper which had previously been emailed to the Committee. After discussion it was agreed that JE/AB would tidy up the paper and recirculate it for approval of the Committee via email.

LD/JE would bring any nominations to the next Committee meeting.

8. Maintenance

DvanB noted that all requested maintenance had been completed.

General Business

- The Club would recognise Frances Sheehy's achievement of Silver Grandmaster with a framed photo with text
- A subcommittee of JE/TJ/DvanB would look at appropriate scoring systems for the Club and come back with recommendations
- The possibility of combining Silver and Bronze nights was discussed. Pros and cons could be seen and it was agreed that wider consultation needed to take place before any action would be taken
- LD noted that the pizza night had raised \$80 and thanked the Mountain family for their efforts
- LynD is to look at replenishing the first aid kits

Next meeting -9 Aug 2023 at 7pm Signed as true and correct:

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Liz Drew President

Dated: 9 Aug 2023