

| THE VILLAGES DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB |
MINUTES JUNE 4, 2007 BOARD MEETING

MEMBERS PRESENT: NEIL TIMM, JACK FISHER, SHIRLEY WIGNER, TOM BUSH, BONNIE OVERSON, MARY SCANLAN, PAT FORD

The meeting was called to order by Neil Timm, President, at 5:30 P.M. at the Laurel Manor Recreation Center.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Pat Ford reported that, as of May 31, there is \$1461.10 in our checking account.

TELEPHONE AND E-MAIL DIRECTORY: Tom Bush reported that he has been able to include the phone numbers and e-mail addresses in the club directory. He has, also, reduced the number of names to only the people who have played in the last year. These 335 names will be put on our WEBSITE tomorrow. Neil suggested we purge all names of players who have not played since January and all entries with blank phone numbers. He will contact Earl when Earl returns in a few weeks to discuss this option. Earl has the database and all changes must go through him. We will ask our members to check their information and report any changes to Earl.

Pat Ford will make up 50 copies of the directory to have available for members who do not have computers.

REVIEW PROCEDURES FOR FREE GAMES: It was decided that our club would no longer subsidize a new resident's first visit. We are removing the sentence, "The first game at the Club shall be at no cost to a member." and the first word, "However", from the next sentence on page 3 of APPROVED PROCEDURES.

NAMETAGS: Neil will ask the directors to encourage the wearing of nametags. Members may purchase a THE VILLAGES DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB nametag for \$9.00 from Earl or wear any nametag they may have. Pat will purchase stick-on nametags and have them available at each of our meeting places.

Pat announced that our annual Christmas party will be held Monday, December 17. She will meet with Diane from Hacienda Catering to review menus and report back to us at our September meeting. At that time we will discuss cost.

LATE PLAYS FOR SLOW PLAYERS: Jack stated that most clubs use clocks with two minute warnings. We agreed that the directors should be involved in any decisions regarding penalizing slow play and, to this end, may schedule a meeting to discuss this topic.

Another subject was PASSED OUT HAND first time it is played. The Laws of Contract Bridge state that no boards will be re-done.

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The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 P.M. The next meeting will be held Monday, September 10 at 5:30 P.M. at the Laurel Manor Recreation Center.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Scanlan