

Saskatoon Bridge Club

A meeting as recorded below was held at the Saskatoon Bridge club at 7:15 p.m. on January 13, 2003.

Those present were as follows:

Ron Hemeon	President
Linda Connell	Past President
John Pulles	Vice President
Liz Warren	Treasurer
Pamala Kays	Social
Larry Custead	Member at Large (Web site)
Maureen Scott	Member at Large
Louise Barnett	
James Romanow	Member at Large (bar)
Shela Rogers	Branch Representative
Kay Mogus	Membership
Emma Henrikson	New Horizons

The meeting commenced at 7:30

It was agreed that all future meetings would commence at 7:15 p.m.

The agenda for the meeting was reviewed and no additional items were suggested.

A question arose on the monies that were in the teaching fund and if it had been transferred to the main account. Linda Connell stated that she had contacted John Pond concerning the matter however the monies had not been transferred to date. Ron Hemeon stated that he would contact John to get the monies transferred.

Liz Warren gave the details of the financial statements for the months of November and December. Ron Hemeon requested that the bank balance for the first of the month be shown in addition to the end of the month so that any errors could be spotted right away. Liz made a motion that the financial statement be accepted. Seconded by Louise Barnett. Carried.

Pamela Kays reported that the Xmas party had worked out OK and asked if there had been any problems with the caterers that anyone noticed. Everyone thought that the caterer had done a good job and that they should be used for the next time.

James Romanow agreed to look after the bar at the various functions. It was

agreed that he would contact the unit chairperson for the next tournament to determine if he could be of assistance for the Thursday night bar. It was agreed that the unit should run the bar for the total tournament as it was an unnecessary duplication of effort for the club to run the Thursday bar and then the unit for Friday and Saturday. John Pulles suggested that it might be necessary to run the bar from the kitchen if the number of tables at the February tournament was such that the club was crowded.

Kay Mogus reported that 228 memberships had been sold to date.

Larry Custead gave Liz Warren a cheque for \$100 that being the rebate on the computer.

Larry Custead reported that the calendar for the bridge club was now on the web site. It had been reported that it was on the web last month however this was incorrect.

Ron Hemeon broached the subject of amalgamating the three executives into one group. Considerable discussion arose on the topic and Ron agreed to draft a letter for the purpose of sending it to the other two executives concerning amalgamation. The letter would be presented at the next meeting so that the executive could present comments before it was sent out.

Some discussion arose on the topic of expanding the bridge club but it was thought that this topic would better be handled if there were an amalgamation of the executives.

Maurine Scott wondered if there could be a separated game on Tuesday night for those players over 200 points. Considerable discussion took place on the topic however it was felt that no change was necessary and that there were other nights that those players with more than 200 points could attend. It was stated that the parking lot was extremely slippery and could the area be sanded. Ron Hemeon agreed that he would get this done. The sidewalk is also very slippery and must be remedied.

The next meeting will be held at Ron Hemeon's on February 10 commencing 7:15

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00