

La Jolla Bridge, Unit 526
Board Meeting
Minutes for May 8, 2011

The meeting was called to order by president Ron Ignelzi at 11:43 at the Soledad Club.

Members present: Ron Ignelzi, Billie Green, Gary Mollenkopf, Bill Grant, Matthew Kidd, Janet Ansfield, Chuck Wilson, and Randy Fadem

Member absent: Cass Donovan

Minutes from the April meeting were approved after a change of date.

The treasurer's report was approved. Chuck indicated that reports reflect transactions that occur between the first and last days of each month. Therefore, items that are paid ahead of a particular due date might not necessarily be reflected within the report of any given month. He will also keep entries pertaining to games and sectionals separated.

Bill and Matthew reported that things are set for the upcoming Memorial Weekend Sectional. If we are using Bridgemates, there will be no need for a caddy on Friday. One caddy will be needed for the compact knockouts on Saturday. Two will be needed for the team game on Sunday. Discussion regarding awards, free-plays, and prizes followed. Bill and Matthew will make final decisions prior to the sectional.

The membership report showed that we have two new members and three that have transferred in.

Randy gave an education report. Bridge will be starting at La Jolla High School on May 16th and will run for three full weeks with a tournament on the Monday and Tuesday of the fourth week. There will be five periods of bridge this year involving the students of three different teachers. Randy will be seeking volunteers to help with the program.

The search for a new director for our unit games continues. The tentative pay rate is \$5.00 per table with a \$75.00 minimum. The director will also be responsible for duplicating boards and hand records at a cost not to exceed \$42.00. Gary moved that we approach a specific candidate about directing the game. The motion carried; Gary will follow through.

Ron presented a proposal of the obtaining of insurance for the unit. Gary moved that we ask Ron to proceed with the purchase of that insurance. The motion carried; Ron will follow through.

Billie suggested going with award certificates this year for those members who achieve new ranks in the ACBL. (She herself is a new Gold Life Master! She didn't point that out, but it's certainly worth a round of applause!) She also suggested that we consider an "appreciation day" for the future.

At 12:31 p.m. Gary moved that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary Mollenkopf, Secretary