

MINUTES OF THE ACBL UNIT 547 BOARD MEETING

March 21, 2013, 11:04 A.M.

Present: Gary Morgan, Judy Kupperman, Dagmar Ragnow, Jim Rupp and Evelyn Fox

Invited Guest: Tom Ciacio, Club Manager

1. President Gary Morgan called the meeting to order at 11:04 A.M.
2. The minutes of the board meeting of February 24, 2013 were approved as read (moved by Jim and seconded by Dagmar).
3. Dagmar gave the financial report and noted that the table count is down. The report was approved as read (moved by Evelyn and seconded by Judy).
4. Gary gave a report on the Basic Bridge class taught by Peter Klopp. There are 5½ tables at present. We also discussed the possibility of having a novice game on Saturdays at the Camarillo Senior Center. Jim Rupp will attend a meeting of the Pleasant Valley Recreation and Parks Department to discuss the extra rent issue for the beginners' class.
5. Judy gave a report on the upcoming Sectional Tournament. She noted help was needed in the kitchen during the games. Also, we will have more potato salad and coleslaw than we did at last year's Sectional. We will have strawberries every day. Judy will make vegetarian wrap sandwiches or check to see if they can be purchased readymade. There will also be chips and grapes. The cost of lunch will be \$5.00.¹ Dennis Charles (and Floyd Richards) will pick up and deliver the tables. They will also return them to the storage facility after the tournament. JoAnn Bowen will be the Caddy Master. The Unit will supply pencils in different colors with 3 lines printed on them:

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6. Discussion regarding a Non-life Master Sectional was tabled.
7. Tom reported that attendance has dropped at Wednesday's game. We talked about various ways to attract players to the game.
8. The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 P.M. The next board meeting will held on April 18, 2013 at 11:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Evelyn Fox, Secretary

¹ Higher than anticipated costs led to a price of \$6 at the Tournament.