

Minutes of the Clubs NZ 2017 National 8 Ball Tournament

DELEGATES MEETING

Held at the UPPER HUTT COSMOPOLITAN CLUB INC

Friday 06th October 2017 at 8.45am

PRESENT:

Dave Dalton, Clubs NZ Board - Meeting Chair
Larry Graham, Clubs NZ CEO
Terry Ray, Clubs NZ Board

DELEGATES (22)

Steve Rerekura – Castlecliff Club
James Burnett – Geraldine Town and Country Club
Danny Bowen – Hornby Club
Lance Ford – Howick Club
Rod Buck – Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club
Jane Wood – Nelson Suburban Club
Kelvin Dunlop – New Plymouth Cosmopolitan Club
Sheryl Willis – Ohakune Club
Darran Parden – Papanui Club
Daz McKay – Papatoetoe Club
Mirrium McKone – Petone Workingmans Club
Chris Ford – Richmond Club
Gary Simpson – South Canterbury RSA
Crystalee Jane – South Taranaki Club
Mike Towgood – South Wairarapa Club
Greg Inglis – St Albans Club
Greg Mathews – Stratford Club
Mike Ryan – Tauranga Citizens Club
Wendy Cook – Tokoroa Cosmopolitan Club
Charlie Leaf – Tokoroa Cosmopolitan Club
Anthony Burns – Upper Hutt Cosmopolitan Club Inc.
Phil Brazier – Wairarapa Club

WELCOME: Dave Dalton welcomed Delegates to the meeting.
CEO of Clubs NZ Larry Graham also welcomed all competitors. He asked the meeting to stand for a minutes silence for those who had passed over the last 12 months.

APOLOGIES: Murray Davison - Cashmere Club
Karen Edwards

MOTION: Moved by Dave Dalton and seconded by Gary Simpson that apologies are accepted. **CARRIED**

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES: Moved by Gary Simpson and Seconded Gary Appleton that the pervious minutes be accepted. **CARRIED**

MATTERS ARISING:

Rod Buck, Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club queried the calculation of the payouts.

Wendy Cook, Tokoroa Club explained that the Committee had met three times this year and at this event five of the committee members calculated the payouts as follows:

- 80% Main
- 12% Flight
- 8% Trophy

Also discussed was the suggestion that Rankings go back to basics with results for the last 5 years.

- North Island
- South Island
- National

The suggestion from the committee was that the Host Club decided.

Barry Appleton requested clarification on some of the rules.

If you give someone a free ball he would like to see a penalty given of a multi combo.

Also a wording change on the Black Ball Snooker to: you must be able to strike the player's ball edge.

Brian Ward, New Plymouth Club would like the timing rule to be readdressed. There is an inconsistency to how the rule is applied.

He feels that the 10 second limit is too short and would like to suggest making it 15 seconds.

Also the qualify byes (both) need to be looked at.

Where a ball leaves a table (not on a break) and hits the floor he would like to see this as combo.

Tony Van Wick, Henderson RSA asked if the Hosting Clubs look for sponsorship for running the tournaments and that this money then could go into the prize pool, also if local advertising was done for the tournaments.

Larry Graham, Clubs NZ addressed this. All the Clubs look for sponsorship for the tournaments to help with the running costs.

Anthony Burns, Upper Hutt Cosmopolitan Club, commented on how there was no help or reference/examples on how to set up the tournament. Larry Graham, Clubs NZ that this was raised at the last meeting and that Club NZ was looking at setting up guideline and templates for the clubs to access.

Gary Simpson, Timaru Town & Country Club, suggested that Clubs New Zealand include himself and Karen Edwards this process.

ADDRESS BY NEXT YEAR'S HOST

Apologies Murray Davidson, Cashmere Club.

Gary Simpson spoke on Murray's behalf. Arrangements for next year's tournament is all on track.

ENTRY FEES

Graeme Carr, Cashmere Club suggested that entry fees be raised to \$75 - the last increase was 2005. Larry Graham, Clubs NZ commented that this ultimately is up to the host club to decide.

TOURNAMENT HOST 2019 APPLICATIONS

Moved by Garry Simpson seconded by Barry Appleton that Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club, pending sign off by the Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club committee will host the National 8 Ball Tournament 2019 be accepted.

CARRIED

Wendy thanked Anthony and his team for organising this year's tournament.

Meeting Closed at 9.20am

Confirmed

Date