## Minutes of Delegates Meeting (Clubs NZ South Island Euchre Tournament) held at the Hornby Club on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Chaired by Maurice Nutira of Clubs NZ Minutes Bev Bulmer Hornby

Maurice opened the meeting and welcomed all delegates, then called for a minute's silence for members deceased throughout the year. Thanked Hornby for hosting the tournament and their good communication.

Apologies: None

**Minutes** of previous meeting had been read and no matters arising. Passed Helen Banks, Seconded Lynley Green.

## **General Business:**

Richmond confirmed all good for 2025, date being 9<sup>th</sup> March.

Oxford expressed an interest in hosting tournament in 2026, asking for an indication of having the two days or just one, concerned whether people would travel out there twice as no close accommodation, general response was they would.

Hokitika asked if consideration could be given to going back to hosting the tournament on the first weekend of March as it clashed with the local Wild Food Festival.

Andrew Lawry (Timaru Town and Country) Issue of when new playing cards were needed could they be mixed up – shuffled to save time while a game is being played.

Steve Wastney (Nelson Suburban) asked after an incident at his club if a suit is turned down and then a player makes it the same suit can it be corrected to another suit, consensus was yes as the turned down suit can't be made.

Lorraine Cole (Hornby Club) asked about a rule for misdeals, was informed there is - Rule No 7. Cheryl Gianelly (Hornby Club) expressed her thanks to Helen Banks, Tony Smith, Lynley Green and Kate Smith (Clubs New Zealand) for their help in organizing the tournament. Cheryl conveyed that Hornby club would be happy to support other clubs with helpers if needed.

Present: Ashburton MSA-, Noeline Mackenzie & Elaine Lowe; Cashmere Club-Barbara Crump & Lynnette Young. Hornby Club- Cheryl Gianelly & Lorraine Cole Hokitika Club-Colleen Freitas & Lois Meldrum Kaiapoi Club-Jenny Ellenbroek & Lynley Green Nelson Suburban-Steve Wastney & Helen Banks New Brighton Club- Molly Brown & Judy Herd Oxford Club- Kath Knowler & Noeline Goodgame Papanui Club -Dot Johnson & Tony Smith Richmond Club-Robyn Spicer & Graham Taylo.r Temuka RSA-Bryan Lewis & Rex Baucke Timaru South Club- Lisa Stevenson & Colleen Hardacre Timaru Town and Country-Andrew Lawry & Maire DoolanWoolston Club -Diane Findlay & Suzie Hubbard