

## **Clubs New Zealand North Island Snooker Pairs 2021 AGM**

**Held at Papatoetoe Cosmopolitan Club on 8 August 2021**

**MEETING OPENED:** 10.30am

Roly Reardon (CNZ Delegate for Greater Auckland) welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Roly thanked Papatoetoe Club for hosting the event and was pleased to see a good attendance at the meeting (36 attended).

**APOLOGIES:** Nil.

**PREVIOUS MINUTES:**

Minutes of AGM held at Papatoetoe Cosmopolitan Club on 11 August 2019 were accepted as true and correct.

Moved: Lance Ford (Howick Club)

Seconded: Martin Jones (Howick Club)

**MATTERS ARISING:** Nil.

**GENERAL BUSINESS:**

### **Quality of Tables, etc:**

KD Singh (Papatoetoe Club) queried why Clubs hosting National and North/South Island tournaments could not provide better quality tables and equipment, live streaming and a better environment similar to that provided by other NZBSA tournaments and the Worlds. Some discussion took place on this topic. Guy Burt (Howick Club) pointed out that the cost of providing new tables would be too prohibitive for most Clubs in the country. Most tables in Clubs throughout New Zealand are more than 100 years old, but are in pretty good condition. The tables are regularly re-clothed, cushions regularly replaced, and other equipment is maintained.

### **Hosting in 2022:**

It was pointed out that if this event is held at Papatoetoe next year, it would again clash with the Northern Area 8 Ball B Grade tournament which would also be held at Papatoetoe. Can this tournament be moved? Lance Ford (Howick Club) replied by stating that this event had previously been held in October which clashed with other tournaments and so in 2017 it was decided that it be held in August, which has worked well since then. If Papatoetoe is to host this event again in 2022, then it could be moved a week earlier or a week later to work around other tournaments.

### **Nationals 2021:**

Zac Papalii (Manurewa Club) reminded attendees of the upcoming National Snooker Pairs tournament to be held 10-12 September at Manurewa Club.

**IN CLOSING:**

Roly thanked those that had attended the meeting, and wished the players well for the remainder of the tournament.

**MEETING CLOSED:** 10.45am

**MINUTES TAKEN BY:** Tracey Paskell (Howick Club)