

CLUBS NEW ZEALAND 2026 NATIONAL SNOOKER PAIRS TOURNAMENT

MANUREWA COSMOPOLITAN CLUB – 13TH SEPTEMBER 2026

MINUTES OF THE DELEGATES MEETING

Meeting Start 8.45am

Welcome

The Meeting Opened with a Welcome to Mike Cassidy CNZ Area Board Delegate (Chairman).

Apologies -;Nil

Previous Minutes

The Minutes of the AGM held at Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club on 28th September 2025 were accepted.

Moved by Jon Davis MCC Club

Second: Jim Anderson Howick Club

Correspondence

Petone Club withdrew it's application to Host the National Snooker Pairs Tournament into 2027.
Richmond Club submitted an application to Host tournament into 2028.

General Business

Promotion of Tournaments

Antonio Tupuola asked Mike Cassidy whether CNZ had considered doing more to promote tournaments such as the National Snooker Pairs and North Island Snooker Pairs through social media platforms, including Facebook and other online platforms. Antonio Tupuola also recommended that CNZ consider increasing the sponsorship contribution to Host Clubs from the current \$400. dollars, to provide greater support for Clubs hosting this tournaments.

Player Pairing Rules

Vince Tate raised a question regarding the current pairing rules. He suggested that players from two different clubs should be permitted to form a pair, particularly given the low number of players currently participating in tournaments.

Future Host Club Selection

Jim Anderson raised the process for selecting future Host Clubs and how applications should be considered and voted on at the delegate meeting.

The Richmond Club Application to Host 2028 tournament was declined by the meeting.

Zac Papalii commended that Clubs apply to Host future tournaments should also have their members and players participate in and support the current Host Club and tournaments as well as support their own hosting application. Jon Davis recommended that Clubs wishing to Host in the future should, at least two years prior to their proposed hosting year, send members to participate and support the tournament and Host Club. He also suggested that a Club applying to Host should provide \$1000. dollars in sponsorship towards the tournament being hosted. Another option discussed was for CNZ members to contribute \$250. dollars each year, with the funds going towards supporting the Host Club, this would allow Clubs to apply to Host without necessary having to send members to support the tournament beforehand.

2027 Host Club

The proposal for Manurewa Cosmopolitan Club to host the 2027 National Snooker Pairs was put to the meeting and passed by the members.

Moved: Antonio Tupuola

Second: Moneer Dankha

Meeting Closure

Meeting closed at 9.15 am.