



**Wellington Regional Bridge Committee**  
**MINUTES FOR THE MEETING HELD**  
**TUESDAY OCTOBER 5 2010**

- Time & Location:** 2.00pm. Victoria Bridge Club, 112 Tinakori Rd. Thorndon
- Present:** Dinnie Hall (Chair); Tony Sutich; Heather Jared (Treasurer); Joan Waldvogel; Allan Joseph; Paula Jenner (Secretary)
- Minutes:** The minutes of August 10 2010 were read & moved correct by Tony Sutich / seconded by Heather Jared. Passed.
- Welcome:** Dinnie Hall welcomed Allan Joseph to the team on behalf of the committee.
- Finance:** Heather Jared reported that the cheque account balance was \$6029.99 (with some cheques not yet presented) & the savings account \$11,251.43. Heather moved that the report be accepted / seconded by Allan Joseph. Passed.
- Business**
- Tournaments:** Main Centre Pairs 10A October 15/16 hosted by Wellington BC. Volunteers have been requested by Jenny Delaney  
Christmas Cheer 3A November 20 hosted by Wellington BC. A budget is needed for approval. Match Committee: Jenny Delaney, Dinnie Hall & Allan Joseph. Jenny Delaney has requested that the flyer be approved by her before circulation.
- IP's 2011:** (May 7/8) After some discussion it was agreed to hold the trials in a pair's format over 3 or 4 sessions to allow more boards to be played. It was recommended that the director will be assisted by a scorer. Early March has been set to begin preparations for the trials.
- Dan Gifford:** Tony Sutich has agreed to convene the 2011 Rubber draw & knock out rounds. He proposes to get a notice out shortly & has suggested that a public draw be made during the Christmas Cheer on November 20 to allow for competitors to get started over the Christmas / summer holiday break.  
Allan Joseph expressed support for Tony's efforts with the Dan Gifford which was warmly endorsed by the committee.

**Director's Seminar  
2011:**

Dinnie Hall had spoken to Arie Guersen at Hamilton Congress 2010 to discuss the possibility of Arie visiting the Wellington region to hold a seminar for directors. This will be held in conjunction with the bi-monthly directors meetings which are presently being held and which will continue during 2011. Funding for this event is to be requested from the coaching Grant fund

**Bridgemate:**

Allan Joseph is proposing to arrange the training of club directors to manage Bridgemate, as several clubs in the region are now using this programme & club directors will need to be familiar with both Bridgemate & Bridgepad scoring systems.

**Television/Projector:**

Allan Joseph is to look into costs & alternatives to replace the old overhead projector & report back to the Committee.

**Correspondence:**

Waikanae BC proposes to run a mid-week "Ladies Only" 3A tournament starting next year. This initiative was supported by the Committee. A formal application to include this event is to be made to NZBridge.

**Meeting closed at 4pm**

**Next Meeting:**

to be arranged & notified to committee