

**Texas Capital Bridge Association
ACBL Unit 207**

Monthly Minutes: June 11, 2014

The meeting was called to order by President Pam LaShelle at 2:45.

Members Present: Pam LaShelle, Hutch Hutchison, Nell Dale, Joyce Cooper, Pat Rutledge, George Watkins, Ken MacMorran, and Blair Lapwing.

Old Business: Secretary Joyce Cooper read the minutes for May, and corrections were recommended.

Hutch Hutchison gave a brief report on the Club lecture series which has been well received. Suggestions for topics of interest are solicited from the Board and members.

Larry Davis, the Chairperson for the 2014 July Regional gave a presentation on the ongoing organization of the event. It was agreed that in keeping with past tradition each daily speaker would receive 2 free plays. Robert Donathan will be the official photographer for the event and Ken MacMorran volunteered to coordinate any photography sessions that Robert might not be available for.

Blair Lapwing reported that 21 name identification tags had been ordered for the Board members and Regional tournament assistants. The badges should be in next week. Two additional badges will be made by Pat Rutledge.

New Business: Laurene Jacob made a request that the Unit pay the entry cost for the Milestone honorees each month. It was moved and approved to do so, but the decision will be reviewed in the upcoming months to assess the effectiveness of the endeavor.

Ed Rawlinson, from San Antonio, made a request through Pam LaShelle that all Clubs in our Unit be asked to participate in the STAC games that he plans to run in the future. While recognizing that individual Club managers can choose to participate, the Board make no recommendation to join this series of games

Nell Dale proposed to print tickets for each tournament's free play recipients. It was moved and approved that she be in charge of the program and give each eligible participant the free play tickets before each tournament.

The meeting ended at 3:45.