# CHELMSFORD BRIDGE CLUB COMMITTEE MEETING

6<sup>th</sup> November 2023 6.15pm via Zoom

#### **MINUTES**

#### **Present**

Denis Anderson, June Brown, Cath Fox, Julie Payne, Colin Peden, Valdie Poter

# 1. Apologies

**Ted Cockle** 

### 2. Previous minutes to be agreed

The minutes for the previous Committee Meeting are available on the website. The minutes were agreed.

# 3. Matters arising

None

#### 4. Dealing Machine Fund

Prior to the meeting, Valdie had distributed to the committee a document that Alan Rodger had sent describing the fund and its history.

Following discussion, it was agreed that the document represented the current position, but further clarification of how the fund was going to be managed in the future, which is primary concern of the committee, would be helpful.

Colin agreed to try to summarise the view of the committee and will distribute the comments to committee members separately from these minutes for further discussion.

## 5. Christmas Event

The event will be held on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December in the big hall of the Millennium Centre, Great Baddow. Proceeds will go to charity, and there will not be a separate charity event on the 8<sup>th</sup> December.

The event will take the form of a normal bridge evening, but with several spot prizes being awarded on the evening. Cath and June will make suggestions for the spot prizes. Following last year's success, the Club will again provide vouchers for drinks at the bar. Cath and June will discuss and suggest options for food for the evening.

# 6. Ladder Competitions

The winners of the competitions will be announced at the Christmas party.

Next year, the ladder will start in January, and last 11 months, completing in time for next year's Christmas party.

## **7.** AOB

None

# 8. Date of next meeting

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2024 @ 6.15pm via Zoom

Colin Peden