

Minutes of Mt Maunganui Bridge Club

Committee Meeting held on 8 July 2025 at 10 a.m.

Present: Michele Larnder, Dianne Stevens, Teri Logie, Julie Sheridan, Bernie Robinson, Barbara Stimson,

Apologies : Isobel McIntyre, Jane Dekker, Kay Burnie, Joanne McLean

Minutes from the last Meeting: Moved: Michele, Seconded: Barbara

Matters arising from the minutes:

Fairway Lodge have kindly given us permission to put our rubbish in their bins.

Treasurer's Report:

No report as Jane is on vacation

General Business:

Doors. We have been given two fobs which enable us to open and lock the doors out of hours.

Building Manager. Michele to ask Ian Glover to arrange for us to meet with the new building manager.

Programme for 2026

- 'Street', 'Avenue' etc. to be removed from competition names
- Monday teams to move to March
- Wednesday teams to move to May
- Holiday bridge to also be held on Thursdays
- A Thursday teams event to be run alongside a pairs event
- Extra sessions to be held in December
- AGM on 4th February 2026
- Christmas party on 28th November

Carpets need to be cleaned in the December holiday

Kitchen Blinds. Our very grateful thanks to the club member who financed the installation of our new kitchen blinds. They look really good and will make a huge difference.

Servery Doors. A quote from Securidor for a motorised aluminium door came in at \$7000, a good deal cheaper than other quotes. We are to look at colour samples.

Fire Extinguisher is out of date and we need a tag on the fire blanket. Teri to organise

Learner Bridge lessons on Wednesdays. Bernie needs help with slower learners. Teri will create a sign-up list for volunteers

Skills Night. 32 people attended and it seems to be working well with 2 sessions running.

Lessons . Facebook did not really attract new people to lessons. We will provide extra signs and also encourage by word of mouth. Michele was thanked with a card and flowers for her dedicated teaching of the classes, with thanks also to Graham Stern.

Tournament. The upcoming tournament so far has 28 pairs booked, the majority being intermediate.

Bridgemates. An application for funding has been lodged with TECT and the bridge masters are in the country.

Book and Jigsaw Library. Dianne has offered to start and manage a library for members to share books and jigsaw puzzles.

Health and Safety: Nothing to report.

Other Business: No other business

Meeting closed at : 11.20 am

Next meeting to be held Tuesday 12 August 2025 at 10am