

Minutes from the May 12th Unit 241 Board Meeting

Attending : Scott McIntyre, Rick Ackermann, Kathy Lippold, Cookie Hoberman, Larry Kronick, Carol Miller

Treasurer report.

Rick Ackermann reported that the unit is spending money to promote the NLM tournament in June and the Fall sectional in August. Our monies are a little low but expecting some income from our sectionals. The Unit purchased a Dealer 4 for House of Cards for \$4400.00.

Cookie was recognized for her work on the Regional that adds to our bottom line.

Rick recently purchased 200 pale green tablecloths to replace the old ones used at the Regional and the Sectionals.

Appreciation Game.

It was noted that the day was enjoyed by many. It was decided that the Ace of Clubs winners should be more celebrated. In the future there will be some effort in that direction.

Cookie recognized how much work Scott and Teresa put into the day and they should be appreciated.

Appreciation day should be a day we take to appreciate people who volunteer their time to improve the unit, directors also. Newer players need to know more about the event. Board members should speak up about events.

District Board Meeting.

Deana Liddy will attend the district board meeting as our representative in Minneapolis. Minna Lou Mercer is also authorized to attend.

Newer Players:

Rod Anderson's report on how to better connect with newer players was read and very much appreciated. He felt that some newer players could be encouraged to go to tournaments if they knew what to expect regarding the venue, format, etc.

Cookie recommended having an over/under game and will pursue asking Jo Ann for space in her game. Carol Miller volunteered to help Cookie with this plan.

Cookie recommended asking Rod to help implement some of his ideas.

Longest Day. It was decided to pass on a Longest Day event this year.

Regional: Fliers have gone out to 100,000 people via email.

Next meeting Saturday August 18th, 2018

Meeting adjourned 11:00.