

OCTOBER 17 2015

Present at the meeting were Linda Brammer, Barb Zipoy, Steve Gaynor, Sue Jackson, Diane Hensen and Liz Hughes.

Meeting called to order Linda Brammer.

Motion to approve the minutes from the last meeting seconded and carried.

Motion to approve the financial report seconded and carried.

Sectional: Kerry arranged with Mike Flader to visit venue and shore up the planning. There was a request for more flyers and Liz agreed to get them and distribute them. It was agreed to coordinate with I/N chair, Tom Nelson and to check with Carol Rynders on partnerships. Barb moved that there be rooms provided on site for Mike Flader, Tom Nelson, Liz and Kerry. Motion passed. Sue said she would check availability for the guest room in her building. Lots of good suggestions from the group to help things go smoothly.

Diane reported on the NAP. There is already a good number of people committed. It will be a four session play-through with a buffet lunch do Sunday.

Sue reported on the mentor week. \$627 raised from mentoring games plus a \$1000 gift. Good feedback from players on both sides of the table.

New Business: Steve reported that we may be able to get the USBF team trials in 2019. It would be a big boost for Minnesota bridge and there has been strong interest and offers to help. Steve has the requirements and will explore finding a suitable venue and report back.

Other: Steve is running a team game for the 299's on 10/25. Pizza and a lesson. Linda will print additional "Welcome to Duplicate" brochures and will ensure a stand-by pair for the game.

Next meeting will be 11/7 at 9:30 at the TCBC.

Meeting adjourned