

## **MINUTES OF JULY MEETING OF CBSA**

Association rooms 7pm

### **APOLOGIES**

Peter de Groot, Gary Olliver, Chris Anderson, John Gower, On Cue (Daryl)

### **PRESENT**

Alan Parris, Barry Ede, Rob Marychurch, Geoff Humm, Gary Gillard, Guy Noble

### **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Taken as true and correct record with no amendments - passed, with no matters arising

### **CORRESPONDENCE**

INWARDS: Meridian, power bill \$163.65  
Locksmith, two new locks plus 8 keys \$218.94  
OUTWARDS: Various emails from AP

### **FINANCE**

With Gary Olliver away at National Billiards, there was no formal financial report

AP tendered following cheques for payment

Rental to ChCh City Council

Papanui Club

State Insurance \$695

Tournament refunds

NZBSA South Island snooker & billiards levies + GST \$380.25

Gary Olliver \$200

Gary Gillard \$300 = both as support to nationals for regional champ winners

Under 21 World Champs \$500

Passed

### **TOURNAMENTS**

AP - congratulations to Gary Gillard for Senior Snooker Player of the Year 2009

- commiserations to Gary Gillard on being runner-up at NZ Snooker Champs 2010
- congratulations to Keith Knight for winning National B Grade Billiards Champs 2010
- flyers sent for Intermediate Snooker, 18th Sept.

- Garden City Snooker Tournament (new event) to be hosted by Woolston, Labour weekend 23+24 Oct.

This to be a ranking tournament (to be confirmed)

- City of Christchurch Billiards, 25+26 Sept., G. Olliver tournament organiser
- Junior Snooker at Richmond, 21 Aug, Chris Anderson controller, to be confirmed
- Presidents Snooker, 14th August, Alan Parris controller
- Champion of Champions, Woolston Sept 1st. Reigning club champions to participate, with runners up to play if current champion unavailable.
- Canterbury Open Snooker, 14+15 August, G. Nobbs organiser.

### **REPORT ON HOLIDAY JUNIOR SNOOKER COACHING**

Gary Gillard has run a 2 week training course, (tues, thurs, sat), Association rooms at Cuthberts, with support from Geoff Humm, Graeme Nobbs, John Gower and Alan Parris. Up to 8 juniors attended with varying degrees of success. Gary stated that this year has been a bit rushed, thus not achieving best results, but next year should be more organised. Getting around the schools would be very time consuming to promote via personal visits, and BE offered to assist. BE said he would also seek possible storage facilities at Woolston for tables etc.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

AP - An email for help at Assoc Rooms generated quite a few replies, which resulted in the gutters being cleaned, and some electrical repairs been done, with other repairs in pipeline, as well as cleaning of rooms scheduled. BE said he would talk to one of his team mates for paint to refurbish kitchen.

RM - Log of Wood @ National Snooker be queried re format, and Ap replied this was on agenda for next NZBSA meeting.

AP - mentioned the possibility of a National 6 red tourney in conjunction with NZ Champs

GN - enquired if Commerce Club owed any money for veterans

RM - raised issue of not being informed of match committee meetings (no email access), AP said that these dates were on the calender and entry forms

GG - said that we were extremely fortunate to have the services of Peter de Groot to do the interclub draws etc.

AP - said there was a double check done on teams for interclub this year to eliminate last years problems

GG - asked if anyone knew of a possible sponsor for interclub, and AP said that he had just sent out an email for same.

GG - Mentioned his concern over organising of World Billiard Champs.

AP - replied that there is a plan B underway, with Garry Moore (ex Mayor of ChCh) on board to assist. And was waiting to hear from IBSF re sponsorship.

GG - will be meeting with members of IBSF in 2 weeks and was prepared to assist in getting answers, and AP will email GG list of questions that need answering.

AP - also was confident that the tournament will succeed even if he is not able to be main driving force.

GG - suggested that we have a membership card for Association members, and provided example that can be either sponsored or produced very cheaply.

GH - supported this idea

GG - reported that he will hold a 3 day course at his place for those travelling to Under 21 World Champs to help them get used to the tables they will be playing on. GG has been appointed team manager.

BE - Postpone "Cue Sports Day" until February, and had met with Keith Ballantyne as Chartered Clubs Sports Council representative.

GG - Mentioned the possibility of a grant for coaching costs (\$7000 from own pocket), to obtain certification and AP replied there was a few items needing clarification and that this would also be on agenda for next NZBSA meeting. Gary replied any assistance would be gratefully received.

GG - said that 3 Associations were keen on coaching but were still working through funding for this.

**MEETING CLOSED 8.50PM**