

Minutes for the June 2016 board meeting for unit 507 of the ACBL

Attending : Ray Yuenger, Stu Goodgold, Erin Gove, Jeff Hack, Mich Ravera, Doug Hong, Judy Fisher

Secretary's Report – Accepted as amended
Treasurer's Report – Total assets \$14,493.

District news – There was \$3600 profit from the Monterey tournament. \$387,000 are the total assets. Good Will awards were awarded. Jenny Wales will chair the Good Will awards. The new president will work to bring peace and good will to the unit. Fall 2019 nationals will be held in San Francisco. Dirty cards are an issue. \$3000 will be the cost to change the cards to plastic cards. The Reno nationals ran 28,000 dollars under the budget for D21 hosting expenses. The Sacramento tournament lost 100 tables from 2015. District 17 threatened to drop out of the Western Conference if STAC table fees are raised \$1 per table. Richard Meffley is the new tournament coordinator after Charles Smith stepped down. Nov 1 is the deadline for Good Will nominations. Jeff Hack will continue as charity chair for the district. He will drop out as District Rep if someone wishes to take over. Doug Hong has a new position as the new quartermaster for the district.

Membership committee – 3 new members, 701 is the current total membership.

Premises – Some small repairs are needed for the unit facilities.

Mary Steele resigned from the board as of May 30. She felt that her ideas about youth bridge were not heard at unit meetings due to lack of time. A motion is made that she be permitted to present her ideas at the beginning of the next meeting. Motion carries.

There are two different versions of the sectional flyer. The board will make a decision on which flyer to select.

Membership Dinner – This will be held July 10 at the Campbell Community center in the Roosevelt room. A postcard is needed. We will amend article 4 of By-laws by adding section F and state “ ‘mail’ ” shall include electronic notice.” Motion carries.

The purpose of the Silicon Valley Bridge Unit yahoo email group is to promote unit 507 activities and other bridge activities in our unit and not sectionals of other units.