

55+ TENPIN BOWLING ASSOCIATION OF NEW ZEALAND

A G M SATURDAY 25TH FEBRUARY 2017 AT STRIKE PETONE

MINUTES

OPENING

Preston welcomed everyone to the meeting which he opened at 4.23pm

PRESENT

35 members including delegates and executive.

APOLOGIES

Rosemary and Walter Benseman, Elaine Oldfield, Alan Jupp and Shorty Madeley

Moved Chris Clare seconded Dave Hercus that the apologies be accepted. CARRIED

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

That the minutes of the previous meeting be taken as read as they are on the web site.

Moved Chris Clare seconded Marie Whittaker that the minutes be accepted CARRIED

Moved Barry Hutton seconded Shirley Wilson that the minutes be accepted as accurate CARRIED

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING Nil

TREASURER'S REPORT

This was circulated to those present and was accepted as per the balance sheet. (Attached)

Moved Judith O'Rourke that this report be accepted seconded Paul Watts CARRIED

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Preston read his report. (Attached)

Moved Preston Epplett seconded Chris Clare that this report be accepted CARRIED

CORRESPONDENCE Nil

GENERAL BUSINESS Nil

There being no further business the meeting closed at 4.50pm

PRESIDENTS REPORT TO AGM FEBRUARY 2017

Another year has passed and 3 more successful tournaments have been held. 55+ is in great heart and continues to be a very special organisation where we can enjoy bowling, long term friendships and fellowship.

This really came home to Me when I could not attend the Porirua tournament. It meant a lot to me to receive your messages and a get well card from New Plymouth.

We owe a special thanks to our Tournament director Lorraine who does a great job, sometimes in trying conditions. Also thanks to our Secretary Judy and Shirley and Benny for their work at tournaments.

Communication is an important part of any organisation and our delegates are charged with that responsibility so a big thanks to them as well.

Also thanks to Dave Hercus for the great job he does with the newsletter

As an organisation we face a number of challenges

- Escalating costs

- Finding centres who are prepared to hold our tournaments at reasonable game rates

- Maintaining our membership numbers

You cannot do much about the first two but I leave you all with a challenge re the last one.

To recruit at least one new 55+ member in the next year

If we do that the first two will take care of themselves.

So good bowling everyone

Preston Epplett