

*Unit 201 Board Meeting
Monday October 13, 2014*

President Carolyn Worsham called the meeting to order at 12:00 p.m. with all board members present except for Dave Becker. Also in attendance was club member Beverly Broussard. The minutes from the August meeting were approved. John Smalley gave the monthly and 499'er tournament financial reports. They will be filed for audit.

Martha Oliver reported that the Orange club is doing well especially with their 2nd Friday party game. Carolyn reported that the Luffkin club is also doing well. The Gift of Life donation in Mary Jane Garth's name was \$2800. Several club members participated in the run for the Gift of Life charity. E.W. Sweeney reported that the October Sectional Tournament this week is ready to go. Thanks to E.W. for all his hard work in planning and organizing the tournament. Linda Briggs reported that her committee has decided on the names for the Texas Star and Goodwill Awards. The names will be announced at a later time.

In Old Business, E.W. reported that the floors were cleaned on Saturday. In New Business, the board decided on chairs for the next three tournaments. Dolores Belton and Liz Mackenzie will chair the 60th Beaumont Spindletop Sectional Tournament scheduled for March 5-8, 2015. The 499'er Sectional Tournament scheduled for August 21-23, 2015 will be chaired by E.W. Sweeney. Carolyn Worsham and Linda Briggs will chair the October 19-25 Beaumont Regional Tournament. The Regional will be held at the Elegante.

In the year 2016 our sectional tournaments will be Mar. 3-6 and Oct. 13-16. In the year 2017 our sectional tournaments will be Mar. 2-5 and Oct. 12-15. The sectional tournament for the year 2018 is scheduled for Mar. 8-11.

Ed Rasmussen's Gold Life Master Party will be January 10. Hostesses will be Nancy Smalley, Betty Poindexter, and Connor Smith.

In other new business the board discussed the bridge webs and the need for recording leads. The board discussed changing out floor tiles and reconfiguring the building. There was a discussion about an ice machine and a new calendar format. No action was taken on any of these items. The board encourages everyone to use the germ-x or hand-wipes in an effort to keep the playing cards clean and people healthy.

Thanks to Tim Stelly for replacing the weathering strips at the doors.

The meeting was adjourned.

*Respectfully submitted,
Kris Cherry, Secretary*