

Unit 201 Board Minutes

June 17, 2024

Ruth Hancock called the meeting to order. In attendance were: Dean and Michele Domec, Ruth Hancock, Paulette Schwiart, Val Townley-Smith, and Janis Williams.

Board officer elections were held. Val Townley-Smith was nominated by Janis Williams. The second was made by Paulette Schwiart. There being no further nominations, Val Townley-Smith was accepted as president by acclamation.

Val Townley-Smith assumed the role of president.

Officers accepted by acclamation were Paulette Schwiart, vice-president; and Theresa Cooper, secretary.

Ruth Hancock announced she would be returning to work full time and stepping down from the board. A discussion was held concerning chairmanship of the 499'er Tournament in August. Michele and Dean were encouraged to assume chairmanship. Michele will give Val a definitive answer on Wednesday when they come to play.

Longest Day games will be held Wednesday, June 19, at 9:30 and 1:30. You can rent a player for \$25. Donations will go to the Alzheimer's Association. Lunch is \$5.

Val explained her ideas for future growth of the club.

- Visit Senior Center to distribute Free Play certificates for those who play bridge there.
- Go to 55 and over housing areas and distribute Free Play certificates.
- Teach bridge lessons late on Sunday afternoons in September.
- Attend Lamar University Orientation and distribute information about our club.
- Hold 499'er Mentor Games on Monday afternoons one time a month in the small room so that hands can be discussed.

Michele Domec reported that an audit of the books had been completed and found to be in order. She gave Val a copy of her findings for her records.

Next meeting will be August 5, 2024.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.