

Brunton Bridge Club AGM held on 27th May 2019

The meeting was quorate and opened by The Chairman at 6.33pm.

1. Apologies for absence were received from - John Murray, Dorothy James, Eunice & John Ferguson, Susan Green.

2. The minutes of the 2018 AGM were taken as read and approved - proposed Gill Gold, seconded Irene Sharff,

3. The matters arising from the 2018 AGM concerning movements and not using plastic cups are now in operation.

4. Chairman's Report -

Pete Avery gave his report on a reasonable year for the club -

In the interclub leagues the A team were 3rd but the B and c teams both won their leagues and are promoted.

Brunton were 2nd in the club teams and 3rd in the club pairs. Unfortunately we finished 2nd in the John Clark Salver just behind Hurworth.

A Brunton team of Peter & Guy, Brian & Frank reached the Neicko final but lost a close match.

Peter thanked our Treasurer and Secretary, the committee and Frank for all their hard work.

5. Treasure's Report -

Ann Caygill gave a written report and provided audited accounts for the year which show a profit of £186 as against a loss of £200 last year. However this year we had not bought any equipment unlike 2017/18.

Membership was 94 down from 100 and our average number of tables was constant at 13.5.

the Treasurer proposes to keep table money at £2.50 for members and £3.50 for visitors.

Our thanks go to Norman Gray for auditing the accounts this year.

6. 2019/20 Committee

In the absence of many nominations the following were elected -

Chairman - Peter Avery

Vice Chairman - Chris Benneworth

Secretary - Eunice Ferguson
Treasurer - Susan Green
Committee - Dorothy James
 - Georgia Ray
Captain - Steve Ray
Auditor - Brian Pacey
Partner arranger - Mary Page

7. Any Other Business

A letter from Mike Craig and Janet Angel asking that a future AGM is not held on a Bank Holiday was discussed. The Chairman pointed out that may was difficult with 2 Bank Holidays and the Summer Pairs to fit in but agreed to try to avoid it in the future.

There being no other business the meeting closed at 6.45pm for bridge.