

## Minutes of the Tournament Committee Zoom Meeting 6th October 2.00pm

Present: Christine Byrne (CB) , Lesley Agar (LA) Tom McKeever (TM) Patricia McCorkell (PM) Paddy Hamill (PH)  
Apologies: Elbha Walmsley  
Chaired by Heather Hill (HH)

The main discussion concerned the upcoming Senior/InterB pairs. The final 'no fear' system was agreed as detailed here

## SENIOR/INTERMEDIATE B 20 OCTOBER 2021 NO FEAR BASIC SYSTEM

Acol 4 Card Majors

12-14 opening 1NT

Stayman

Transfers to Majors

Helvic (not extended)

15-17 Overcall 1NT

10-14 Protective NT

Weak Twos or Strong Twos

Benji is ok - not Multi

Doubles

Take out

Negative

Penalty

4<sup>th</sup> Suit Forcing

Unusual NT

Blackwood / Gerber ask for Aces

Defence to 1NT opener.

Natural

Discards

Natural

Suit Preference

It was the consensus of the meeting that allowing strong and 5 created problems for InterB's unused to coping with opponents opening short club or better minor. LA said that many InterB's were reluctant to enter as they felt they would be intimidated by their Senior partner.

It was agreed to allow an InterB to play with an InterA

The committee did not wish Junior Camrose players, although eligible on their points, to play as InterB's. HH said she would enquire from Michael McFaul what had been agreed in the past . Subsequent to this meeting Michael confirmed that they had been allowed to play.

CB felt that it should be Seniors approaching InterB's rather than the other way round.

HH said she would ask Helen Hall to post the system on the website along with the cost of \$5BBO. LA said she would get it posted on the Kelvin website

TDs for future competitions was discussed with HH saying it was easier online with no revokes etc. PM said she was willing to do a competition with Alan Hill to help with any adjustments necessary.

The meeting ended at 2.40