

## ADBC BOARD ZOOM MEETING SEPTEMBER 11, 2020

### **OLD BUSINESS**

President Steve Kornegay called the meeting to order via Zoom at 5:05. George Morey, Dorothy Moore, Melody Gann, Theresa Brantley, Helen Nelson and Tracy Stanley were present. Mary Ellen Stanton, Club Manager, also was present.

George discussed the financial report and table count he had sent via email. He noted the table count was down, and this was probably due to participation in the online tournament. The insurance has been paid.

Dorothy discussed the use of robots in filling in. In limited games, 0-1000 can get credit if 0-20 games is concurrent.

Theresa continues sending email blasts. Steve wants list so email addresses can be checked.

Kim Newman sent request for party suggestions so she can start planning.

Steve updated on his ongoing discussions with our landlord. He has been sympathetic with our problems—both in not being able to hold games and in new lease agreements.

Steve reports some clubs have reopened. Abilene has reopened because several of their members were either not comfortable with online or were unable to participate online. Consequently, we will lose some participation of Abilene players in our online games.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

ACBL is offering free introductory memberships for 120 days to new players only (up to 20 pts) with online access.

Convention cards are required for online play in ACBL games. There is a process to report suspicious player activity. Accusations are not allowed during play in person or online.

Club Appreciation games will be held 9-21 through 9-27 in online games, The \$5 fee will be increased to \$6 for these games will have extra masterpoint awards and the possibility of some gold.

The meeting adjourned at 5:48.

Respectfully submitted,

Melody Gann, ADBC Secretary

