

**Dallas Bridge Association Board of Directors  
Minutes of Meeting 03/12/26**

Attendees: Bob Holliday, Bill Higgins, Jackie Brown, Cheryl Rider, Cheryl Brunson, Paul Taylor, Mary Chaffin and Judy Wood were present. Truett Cates, was absent. The March meeting was held at Disciples of Christ Church, after the Friendly Bridge Club Thursday game.

**The February minutes were approved.**

**Ed Yetter provided the financial reports, which were approved.**

As of February 28, 2026 the unit has total cash assets of \$73,013.81. There is \$24,357.47 in the checking account and \$48,656.34 in the Fidelity investment account. This includes all income and expenses from the Winter Sectional.

**Bill Higgins presented the membership report for February.**

The unit had no new members in February, 5 members were reinstated and 4 members transferred into our unit. Four members became unpaid and 21 became inactive. The unit membership is now 1165.00, a drop of 20 from January.

**Bob Holliday provided the member communications report via email.**

Date	Reads	Percent Read	Clicks on Links	Unsubs	Spam	Bounces
02/08/26	608	59.70%	28	1	0	3
02/15/26	504	49.80%	66	0	0	86
02/22/26	593	57.70%	26	1	0	3
03/01/26	544	53.00%	65	0	0	3
03/09/26	535	52.30%	30	0	0	6

Future emails will focus on the Spring Sectional, upcoming Unit Games and club activities.

**Paul Taylor reported on the Spring Sectional.**

The tournament planning is complete. There has been a minor change to the photographer. Randy Eads has a conflict on Wednesday so Bob Holliday will be the photographer on Wednesday. Randy Eads will be the photographer for the rest of the week.

**Jackie Brown presented a Unit Game report.**

The March Unit Game was held March 8 and there were 21 tables in play, all in the open section. The 499er section did not make. The April Unit Game will be held on April 19 at King of Glory and will be sponsored by Friendly Bridge Club.

**The Board discussed the Mentor/Mentee program.**

Ruth Nelson continues to work on the Mentor/Mentee program and will be re-launching it soon.

**Old Business**

**Directory Update** – The online directory has been updated and it can now be updated monthly. Mary Chaffin will update the Directory file and forward to Ed Yetter for posting as needed.

**New Business**

**The April meeting will be Wednesday, April 15 at King of Glory Church, at 10:30 AM prior to the Wednesday noon game. (NOTE: Subsequently, the April board meeting was moved to April 22 at 10:30 AM.)**