

Minutes of Unit 206 Meeting September 24, 2024

In attendance – Richard Spangler, Margie Moses, Bruce Antman, Mary Robertson, Jan Alexander, Sharon Lewis, Jim LaFevor, Iris Abelson

Richard Spangler, President, called the meeting to order. The August 20, 2024 minutes were unanimously approved.

- Myra Tatum, Treasurer, reported that the CBC financial health is stable.
- Myra Reneau has made John Hubbard an administrator for the Facebook page and will add Mary Robertson as well so they will all be able to post. Myra will contact John regarding a Group for the page. Myra and Richard will meet to update the CBC calendar for special games and events for the remainder of 2024 and the first quarter of 2025. There will be a Thanksgiving party on November 23, 2024. STAC week is December 9-15 and a special STAC game on Sunday December 15, 2024.
- Richard Spangler reported the dates for the 2025 Spring Sectional will be February 12, 13 and 14. Currently there is no outside venue available and the CBC building will be used unless another option presents itself. Myra Reneau will contact East Ridge Community Center to check on current costs to see if that would be an option. In order to limit any financial loss, donations from CBC members will be encouraged.
- Richard Spangler sent notifications about the tournament and pre-ordering sandwiches to District 7 clubs in our area. A notice regarding pre-ordering will be emailed to the CBC membership within a few days.
- To maintain continuing education for all CBC members, there will be a Wednesday morning class beginning October 9 thru November 20. The class will begin promptly at 11:00. The topic will be defense.
- In an effort to encourage the participation of newer players in the Monday night game and the 199er Friday game, Mary Robertson made the following motion. Students of the LBIAD class who have never played in either the Monday night or the Friday 199er game will be given one Free Play for the game of their choice to use at their discretion. The motion was seconded by Iris Abelson and passed unanimously.
- Dan Chandler will hold Saturday classes for his recent LBIAD students until the end of 2024. Beginning in January, the 10:00-12:00 Saturday Bridge Tips classes by Janie Hunt and Margie Moses will re-commence. Dan has mentioned possibly

holding a Winter LBIAD class.

- Winnell Goodner will provide current Directory information to all the bridge clubs in Unit 206 for updating. She expects to have the new Directory available in December. It was decided to only print 200 directories for 2025 based on 115 memberships paid in 2024.
- The Fairyland Bridge Club has committed to continue holding their Thursday game through the end of 2024.
- Good and Welfare: Sandy Cervantes will be recognized for her many contributions to the CBC and for publication of the ALERT!! monthly newsletter.
- The next meeting will be October 22, 2024