

# **ACBL UNIT 239 ANNUAL MEETING**

JAMESON'S – SUN CITY, HUNTLEY

APRIL 6, 2019

Marilyn Croft opened the meeting at 10:30am. She introduced all the Board members. She also introduced all the tournament chairpersons with comments on their service to the Unit. Linda Jacobson, our Pair Fare Editor and photographer, was introduced. Karen Miller who handles various mailing for our Unit was introduced. Neil Whittle, our departing Treasurer, was praised for his service to the Unit.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by Kay Korte, secretary. There were no corrections.

Janet Brandt presented the Treasurer's Report. (There was also a copy on every table.) Someone questioned the membership drop.

Marilyn brought up the Regional, reiterating the dates. She also told everyone to note that we are having a 0 to 49 event on Monday afternoon, and a bracketed Swiss was added on Wednesday.

District 8 received \$30,000 in charity funds (from ACBL) to distribute. District 8 distributed the \$30,000 to the 4 Units in the district. Our Unit received \$7500. Marilyn had 2 days to decide where to send the money. \$3750 was sent to the Rockford Salvation Army and \$3750 was sent to Salvation Army in the western suburbs.

Doug St. John, who chaired the nominating committee, announced the nominees for the Board of Directors. The nominees were Marilyn Croft, John Pree, Lu Jenkins, and Karl Anderson. As no one else was running, the nominees were considered elected to fill a two year term commencing on July 1, 2019.

The "Ace of Clubs" awards were presented by Lu Jenkins. Van Stone presented the "Mini McKinney" awards.

The nonagenarians were honored. We have 13 of them. 4 attended.

Marilyn then presented the Goodwill Award to Linda Jacobson. Linda is the editor of our section of the Pair Fare. She, also, cochairs our spring sectional. Her selfless service is definitely appreciated.

The meeting was adjourned at 11am. It was followed by a luncheon and bridge game. 160 members attended.

Kay Korte, Unit 239 Secretary