

Northern California Nisei Bowling Federation (NCNBF)

4th Street Bowl, San Jose, CA

Sunday, December 4, 2011

President Mark Yoshinaka called meeting to order at 9:47 am.

MEETING ATTENDEES

Mark Yoshinaka–President

Christine Kawashima–Secretary

James Mars–Treasurer

Vince Itatani–San Jose

Nancy Yoshimoto–Peninsula

Del Corral–Gilroy

Karen Jeung–San Jose

MEETING MINUTES

Minutes from August 20, 2011 were reviewed and it was suggested that the Introductions section be removed since the attendees are already listed in the minutes. Also Dar Masamori's acceptance as 2nd Vice President needs to be shown as approved by the Board; Motion to approved the corrected minutes was made by Nancy Yoshimoto with a 2nd by Vince Itatani

TREASURER'S REPORT

There was no discussion. Motion to approve was made by Vince Itatani with a 2nd by Christine Kawashima. Motion passed.

NCNBF WEBSITE

Mark Yoshinaka submitted a hand out that covered the NCNBF Website statistics, updated, and status reports on the Membership Database and Tournament Database.

Additionally there was discussion about the creation of tournament webpages for the senior no-tap tournaments (Fremont, San Jose [2], Sacramento, and Eden).

Also discussed: Mark will ask the Associations to send him a list of their Association's league names which will be posted to the NCNBF website; definitely in the membership section and perhaps to the general website.

There was discussion on how to handle the non-active nisei and non-nisei spouses. Apparently the tournaments are removing clauses in their tournament rules that prevent non-nisei spouses from participating. This runs in contradiction to the NCNBF membership rule in the by-laws. Fremont representative, James Mars, stated that they are in the process of rewriting their eligibility rules for the next season and will consider allowing non-nisei spouses to bowl. While the NCNBF does not dictate eligibility to the tournaments, there is need to be on the "same page with them."

NCNBF-RUN TOURNAMENT UPDATE

Tabled until there is a need to run our own tournament.

OPEN DISCUSSION

San Jose Senior Team No-Tap–April 21,s 2012 with 2 squads at 10:00 am and 1:30 pm; 60 team maximum; \$700–1st Place (if Tournament sells out); teams must be mixed (2 males, 2 females).

Mark will coordinate with Darren Tsumura on the date of the next meeting since it will be the summer meeting and a transfer of the Presidency will occur at that meeting. Along those lines, it was discussed that the NCNBF probably only needs to meet twice a year, one summer meeting prior to the start of the Fall/Winter season and once during the bowling season. The second meeting will probably be held in San Jose during the Fremont tournament or in San Francisco during their tournament.

Del Corral moved to adjourn the meeting; Vince Itatani seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 10:15 am.

Respectfully submitted,
Christine Kawashima, Secretary
January 16, 20