

March 1, 2016

Summary of District 11 Board Meeting at Indianapolis on February 27, 2016

- Treasurer reported a balance of \$28,526.50 of which \$17,000.00 is earmarked for the 2020 Columbus, Ohio NABC.
- ACBL has increased their fees significantly beginning April 1, 2016 to cover some major expenses they had within ACBL relating to a failed computer programming issue as well as covering the cost for electronic equipment to monitor (prevent) the cheating scandals. See attached fee chart.
- Also, ACBL has increased the ST@C fee and all special games by \$1.00 per table. This extra fee has to be collected from the regular Club games as ACBL does not have a way to automatically collect it from the Clubs. The ST@C fee in essence has increased from \$6.00 per table to \$7.00 per table.
- Steve Moese, the District 11 webmaster has put an Ethics handbook on the webpage for all to review and use. It would be good for each Club to review and use in training.
- Steve also provided some information regarding the efforts of ACBL's new Marketing efforts powered by Pianola. This is an effort which will make it significantly easier for Units and Districts to communicate with their members. For more information, please go to the ACBL website and look up ACBL Marketing Solutions. Cost info TBD.

Respectfully submitted,

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