

NORTHERN IRELAND BRIDGE UNION

SELECTION COMMITTEE

Minutes of a meeting held at Derryvolgie on Friday 23rd February 2018

Present: Paul Tranmer (Chair and Acting Secretary), Sam Hall, Eric Lesage, Ken Hammond, Nuala Mooney

1. Apologies.

Michael McFaul.

2. Minutes of the meeting held on Jan 12 2018

Agreed by all.

3. Matters arising.

a) Lady Milne reserve pair.

Toni Sproule & Dymphna Friel had agreed to be reserve pair but were now playing due to withdrawal of originally selected pair. Hence new reserve pair now needed. After discussion it was agreed that the following players should be approached in the order listed to determine if (a) they would be willing to form a reserve partnership and (b) if they has a suitable partner. The players are (1) Anne Fitzpatrick, (2) Helen Cole and (3) Helen Hall.

Action: PT to contact AF first. NM to contact HC then HH is no success with AF.

4. Moylan.

8 pairs entered, 8 places available. Agreed to select all pairs en bloc.

Action:MMcF to contact pairs and confirm selection.

5. Teltscher Trials.

9 pairs entered, all entrants approved to play. After discussion it was agreed to accept a late entry from Eric Lesage and Alan Cramp on the proviso that they will withdraw if any of the original 9 pairs withdraw before the Trial starts.

Thus we have a 10 pair trial. It will be held on 10th and 11th March in K&M. 4.5 14 board matches will be played on both days and play will start at 10.00am.* Alan Hill to direct.

*Action:EL to contact Liz Scott re. Boards and hand records.
PT to contact AH re. schedule and timings.*

6. AOB

None.

7. Next meeting.

Wed 14th March, 12.15pm, Derryvolgie.

Michael McFaul

Hon. Secretary.

*Subsequently agreed as 10.30am