

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHESS FEDERATION
MEETING MINUTES
JUNE 6, 2021

PRESENT: (IN PERSON) Dewain Barber, Sean Manross, Keith Martin,
Steve Morford
(REMOTE) Chuck Ensey, Jim Harrell, Abhishek Kylasa

ABSENT: Brian Glover, Ashley Li, Jonney Machtig, Jim Mennella, Dylan Quercia

AGENDA: Sean Manross moved, Keith Martin seconded, and the Board approved the agenda.

PRIOR MINUTES: Sean Manross moved, Keith Martin seconded, and the Board approved the 5-2-21 minutes.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Sean Manross moved, Steve Morford seconded, and the Board voted to accept the treasurer's report.

COVID RELIEF TOURNAMENT: Dewain Barber reported on a tournament which raised COVID relief funds for India. No action was taken.

WOMEN'S TOURNAMENT: Dewain Barber reported on efforts to gain approval for a Women's tournament which would be held in conjunction with future US Opens. The topic will be discussed at the National Invitationals Committee meeting. No action was taken.

RANK & FILE: Sean Manross provided a brief update regarding Rank & File. No action was taken.

TOURNAMENT CHESS: Sean Manross provided an update on the search for venues for future tournaments. Chuck Ensey provided an update on attendance at San Diego's Gambito tournaments. No action was taken.

CHESS FOR THE DISABLED: Keith Martin reported on an on-line FIDE seminar he attended. Keith also announced he wants to put together a handbook which would assist people organizing tournament opportunities for the disabled. No action was taken.

NEXT MEETING: The next meeting will be held Sunday, July 18, at 2 PM. The location will be the San Diego Chess Club, 2225 6th Avenue, San Diego. Board members may either attend in person or remotely.