



WELLINGTON BRIDGE MATE NEWSLETTER MARCH 2019

Hi Everybody

Wellington 6s to be held on the 16th March

This is the first time Wellington has held a tournament in this format and they are really wanting it to be a success

Each team of six has an Open Pair, Intermediate Pair and Junior pair – if you are a pair but you don't have a full team, get in touch with Bridget at Wellington Club

wellingtonbridge@gmail.com

and she will match you with other teams members.

http://www.wellingtonbridge.co.nz/uploads/1/5/0/5/15058094/wellington_6s_tournament_poster_2019.pdf

Kairangi Intermediate and Junior Tournaments to be held on the 24th March

<http://www.southwairarapabridge.org.nz/regional-bridge-mate-updates> for details

Junior League 2019

The first tournament for the Junior League is the **Kairangi Junior Tournament** to be held at Kairangi Bridge Club on Sunday 24th March

All the details about Junior League including a Question and Answer page and the dates of all Junior Tournaments this year are on my web page. If you have any questions my contact details are also on this page.

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Good News for Novice Players

Congress Committee has organised a one session tournament for Novice Players only! - Saturday 27th April starting at 2.00.

More good news for Novice Players – During 2019 I will be running a Novice League –. <http://www.southwairarapabridge.org.nz/regional-bridge-mate-updates> for details

Congress will be held at the Wellington Bridge Club - it will be a great experience for players of all grades

Novice/junior and intermediates we are especially encouraging you to play this year as traditionally you have been a bit shy about coming to Congress. Don't be!! We would love to see you and arrangements have been made to hold your events at Victoria Bridge so there be plenty of room for everyone.

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Novice Tournament held on the 24th February

This was a great success - we had nine tables – Nesa Djorovic was the director and I am very grateful to the Wellington Bridge Club for the use of their Club rooms. The stars were the Novice players who came along and the winners on the day were



Barbara and Tymek Tumilowski
First North South - Karori



Emma Holland and Caroline Hull
First East West -Wellington



Jocelyn Reyners and Peter Jackson (Kairangi)
Nearest to 50%



Sue Wihare (Wellington) and Ben Thomas
So close to the being nearest to 50% -
they got a prize too!

BEGINNINERS CLASSES – have started!

Upper Hut and Wellington have already started lesson for this year and Kairangi and Hutt are starting later this month. A reminder to clubs that Wellington Region have increased the subsidy for advertising lessons from \$200 to \$500. Receipts to be sent to the Treasurer

Bridge Zone Radio

www.accessradio.org/Player.aspx?eid=a25f17a1-adab-4216-bf33-5a5929cf4e9d

Great interview on The Bridge Zone when Mereana interviewed A.J from The Hutt club. Mereana came down from Hamilton to play with Aj in the Hutt Multigrade and won a First Session Prize.



Pictures from Hutt Tournament on New Zealand Bridge Facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/NZBridge/>

Tournaments coming soon

Kapi Mana Multigrade March 10th

<http://www.kmbc.org.nz/>

Wellington Sixes March 16th

<http://www.nzbridge.co.nz/events.html>

Open/ Intermediate and Junior.

Paraparaumu Open March 17th

<https://www.paraparaumubridgeclub.co.nz/regional-tournaments>

Masterton Open March 24th

lamwdavies@gmail.com

Kairangi Intermediate March 24th

<http://www.nzbridge.co.nz/events.html>

Kairangi Junior March 24th

<http://www.nzbridge.co.nz/events.html>

I'll see you at the Bridge Table soon

Katherine

Wellington Bridge Mate

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