

SOUTH WAIRARAPA BRIDGE CLUB



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Family Night on the Monday 29th March

We are inviting all the family (all club members) - whether you play on Monday or Thursday to come. If you haven't played much at the club this year it would be a great opportunity to come back again and we would love to see you.

You don't have to bring a partner as we will be having a draw for partners – we did this at a couple of events last year and it was very successful

The night will start at 6.00 We are asking that you bring a plate of finger food to share - the club will provide drinks - and then we will start bridge about 6.30.

Looking forward to seeing you all



On the 18th April we will be holding our Junior and Intermediate Tournaments
Your club needs you!!

This year these tournaments are sponsored by Pip Stevenson from Tremains and are called “**Pip Stevenson – Tremains – Junior and Intermediate Tournaments.**” We are really grateful for Pip’s sponsorship as it will pay the \$450 for our venue. Our Tournament poster with all the details is attached to this newsletter Earlier this week you would have received an email telling you about the tournament how to enter etc.

We really encourage everyone who can play in these tournaments to enter –we missed out on running out tournaments last year and really want this year to be a success. If you need help in finding a partner let me know.

But

If playing in a tournament is not your thing there is another important role for you on that day. – we need some wonderful kitchen people. Ideally we would like someone to be there all day to keep things running smoothly but we also need helpers during the day –in the morning at lunch time and in time to set up the nibbles at the end of play. If you think this could be you give Margaret White a ring – she would live to hear from you

Congratulations to our latest Competition Winners

Thursday Night Greytown Pairs

John Bath and Margaret White 57.39

Andrew Beck and Linda Gibbs 56.77

Paul Baines and Judy Inzuna 56.05



Monday Night Autumn Pairs

Carol Cornelius and Georgie Ross 65.13

Linda Gibbs and Angie Smith 57.50

Andrew Beck and Aroha Beck 55.21

Congratulations to Carol Cornelius who has been attending Directors classes in Wellington with Alan Joseph and has now ready to direct on club nights

Welcome to our new club member Dara Carthew

Mindy Wu Workshops

Mindy is coming back again this year. Unfortunately we had to cancel all her classes last year but its all go for 2021.

We have three dates

Saturday 1st May, Saturday 19th June Saturday 24th July

Venue and cost to be confirmed

Times 1pm. to 4 pm

From The Committee Meeting on 11th March

Substitutes

The following recommendations were agreed:-

For Four night events one substitute is permitted. No substitutions for three night events

Pairs who want to make a substitute are asked to email the club secretary before the game begins with details of the substitution i.e. the names of the pair, the name of the substitute and their NZB# and the name of the person they are substituting for.

The programme book will be changed next time it is printed.

Our Sponsors

We are so grateful for their support. Please support them and tell them you are from the Bridge Club.

Our Junior and Intermediate Tournament is sponsored by:-

Pip Stephenson Tremains

Our Programme Book is sponsored by:-

Blackwell and Sons

Mrs Blackwells Village Book shop

Brac and Bow

C'est Cheese

Pinehaven Orchards

They paid for our programme Book

Our Ten Session Cards are sponsored by

Benn Milne and Erin Nesdale from Property Brokers

They paid for the printing of 1000 Ten-session cards

AED Training

Hugh has a tentative date - April 24th at 10.00 in the WBS Room
Library Staff and I site staff will also attend.

All club members are welcome.

Other Bridgy things coming up

Beginners classes will start on 27th April.

Gentle bridge 11.00 – 2.00 on Tuesdays starting 27th April – details on the notice board and on our website

Interclub 2021 starts on 26th March

We have two Intermediate teams entered this year

Featherston Pairs start on Thursday 1st April for three weeks

Carterton Pairs starts on Monday 5th April for three weeks

Winter Online Teams starting In June

Pip's Special Event starting in October

See you at bridge soon!!

Katherine