



Welcome to the Central Coast Leagues Club Bridge Club



NEWSLETTER

February 2017

Friday 24th March • Parkview room • 9.30am to 4.00pm • Pre-entry required for

PRESENTATION DAY

RED POINT EVENT • COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH • REFRESHMENTS



THEME IS 'BRIDGE ACADEMY AWARDS' (so anyone can be announced winners)

FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Charity Day has raised funds in support of Pandora for many years and we are quite happy for this to continue. However, a review never hurts and, with this in mind, we are asking for opinions about which Charity our club should support in 2017.

We have posted a form on the new notice board, to your right as you first enter our room, asking for your suggestions. The Charity must be wholly local. We would be pleased to have for a representative of the Charity to come and speak to us about it.

At the moment the notice has space for 4 suggestions. That can be extended if required. There is room for the name of the Charity and the proposer. In the next column, or below, there is room for the names or initials of persons supporting the nomination. You may support more than one charity. This way we can gauge how popular the nomination is with our membership.

Yours in Bridge

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**56th GOLD COAST CONGRESS**

February 18-25

The Congress was held at the Gold Coast Convention & Exhibition Centre, Broadbeach. It had a 5.4% growth on 2016. This ABF gold point event was bigger and better than ever before. Just picture: more than 2000 players entered the teams events! By all accounts the organisation by the Queensland Bridge Association was exceptional as usual.

In particular there were many events for newer players. Categories were *Rookie* = 10Mps, *Under 50* = <50MPs, *Novice* = <100 MPs, *Restricted* = <300Mps, *Intermediate* = 750 Mps, *Seniors* = born before 1/1/59, and of course *Open*.

18 directors controlled the sessions and 'our' Ronnie Ng was one of them! Congratulations Ronnie for being the first director from the Central Coast Region to direct at a National Event.

Our Region was well represented, with players from CC, BW and CCLCBC all competing. The best results are listed:

WEEKEND MATCHPOINT SWISS PAIRS

Open (158 pairs) – Sharon & Greg Mayo 17th, Di Coats and Jan Clarke 24th, Sylvia Foster & Jaan Oitmaa 58th.

0-500 (88 pairs) – Jon & Janet Ham (BW) 40th, Alan Bustany & Pauline Caust 60th

MONDAY BUTLER SWISS PAIRS (144)

Louis Koolen & Barbara Grant 24th

BOBBY RICHMAN PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

Novice (80 pairs) **A Final** Ellen Williams and Gary Barwick 5th

Restricted (138 pairs) – **A Final** Roy Cotton & Jeff Conroy (CC) 20th

Intermediate (108 pairs) - 4 finals **B Final** Chris Hannan & Diana Ellis 14th, **C Final** David Snow & Martin Johnson 5th, Hope Tomlinson & Barry Foster 15th, Rhonda Innes & Kerry Murray 20th

Seniors (48 pairs) – 2 finals

Open (186 pairs) – 7 finals **A Final** Helen Milward & partner 27th

TEAMS CHAMPIONSHIP

Open (214 teams) H Milward (& team) 64th, Di Coates, Jan Clarke, Diana Ellis, Chris Hannan 65th, Sharon & Greg Mayo & team 70th, Sally & Garry Clarke (CC) & team 93rd, Shirley & Noel Crockett (BW) & team 100th, Sylvia Foster, Jaan Oitmaa & team 102nd.





Seniors (40 teams) Ian McKinnon, Virginia Dressler, Kerrie & Peter Johnman (CC) 16th.

Intermediate (94 teams) Hope Tomlinson, Barry Foster, David Snow, Martin Johnson 25th; Jacqui Wilson, Alfie Nation, Julie Sadler, Anne Grayden 36th.

Restricted (90 teams) Gary Barwick & Ellen Williams with Roy Cotton & Jeff Conroy (CC) 31st, Molly O'Neill & Mary Wood (CC) & team 41st

One of the Novice events was the **FRIDAY NOVICE PAIRS** (70 pairs) in which Alan Bustany & Pauline Caust came 22nd.

IVY BUTLER SWISS PAIRS

Open (104 tables) Marie Purkiss & Toni Dixon 48th N-S.

Intermediate (47 tables) Di Nicholls & Elizabeth Lawrence 21st

Restricted (45 tables) Jeff Conroy (CC) & partner 15th

SERES-MCMAHON MATCHPOINT SWISS PAIRS (64 pairs)

Molly O'Neill & Mary Wood (CC) 44th

Other CCLCBC players competing in various events were: Dorothy & Peter Berzins, David Bowerman & Dasha Brandt, Gary Heyting, Kerry Murray & Rhonda Innes, Ed & Robin Vaughan, Judy Wulff & Marilyn Whigham. From the other clubs were Shirley & Noel Crockett, Stephanie Matthews (Apologies if I have missed anyone!)

Wendy Mitchell

NEW & OLD FRIENDS

please welcome and add to your Program

Sue Morris

RECENT RESULTS

Congratulations to all

VALENTINES DAY PAIRS (23 pairs)

14 February

RANK	PLAYERS	MPs
1	Marion Ellis & Mei-Hua Crawford	1.20
2	Ruth Griffin & Agnes Marsh	0.84
3	Louise Koolen & Barbara Grant	0.60

MONTHLY SHIELD (1) (12 pairs)

20 February

RANK	PLAYERS	MPs
1	Alison Heathcote & Barry Davies	0.36
2	Brian Warburton & Frank Pellarini	0.25
3	Jacqueline Bridel & Lyn Baber	0.18



**OTHER EVENTS** congratulations to local players contesting these events**GREAT LAKES BRIDGE CLUB TEAMS** 11-12 February

TEAMS/PAIRS WITH CCLCBC PLAYERS	RANK	RED Pts
Sharon Mayo, Greg Mayo, Ken Wilks, Michael Simes	1	8.32
Martin Johnson, David Snow, Hope Tomlinson, Jaan Oitmaa	10	1.69

NSW WITS SWISS PAIRS 5 February

TEAMS/PAIRS WITH CCLCBC PLAYERS	RANK	MP0
Janet Clarke & Di Coats	26	8.32

COMING EVENTS AT CCLCBC

KEY (C) CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP (E) ECLECTIC (G) GOLD POINT (P) PRE-ENTRY (Q) QUALIFYING SESSION (R) RED POINT

6 March	Monday	Monthly Shield 2 (E)
11 March (all day)	Saturday	Club Mixed Pairs (State Qualifying) (R)
20 March	Monday (Easter Monday)	Switching Singles 3 (E)
24 March	Friday 9.30am	Presentation Day Pairs (R)

UPCOMING EVENTS ELSEWHERE

5 March	Sunday	Forbes Swiss Pairs
5 March	Sunday	Trumps autumn Teams
7 & 8 March	Tues & Wed.	CCBC GN0Ts
10 & 11 March	Fri & Sat.	Batemans Bay Congress
11 & 12 March	Sat & Sun.	Armidale Swiss Pairs
10 & 17 March	Fridays	BWBC GN0Ts
14 & 21 March	Tuesdays	BWBC Novice Teams (<100MPs)
18 & 19 March	Sat & Sun.	Ballina Congress
19 March	Sunday	Lindfield (East) Swiss Pairs
25 & 26 March	Sat & Sun.	Port Macquarie-Hastings
31-2 April	Fri – Sun.	CCBC Super Congress

MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR 2017

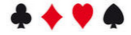
Thank you to those members who have now paid their fees. Membership stands at 186, being 115 Home and 71 Associates.
Wendy Mitchell

NEW ABF RANKINGS - DECEMBER

Congratulations to

<i>Gold Life</i>	Anne Grayden	<i>Regional</i>	Jim Hancox
<i>*State</i>	Bernie Davidson		



**WHO DEALT THIS RUBBISH?****Hand Stats for February****Summary of all hands dealt in February**

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.9	9.89	10.12	10.09	20.02	19.98
BAL	442	426	414	420	456	446
VOIDS	30	48	50	45	80	93
S'GLE	235	298	279	300	514	598
D'BLE	340	347	364	356	704	703
LONG	119	139	109	120	228	259

Balanced (BAL): 4333, 4432 & 5332. *No voids, no singletons, maximum 1 doubleton.*

Two-suiter (TWO S): 5422, 5431, 5440, 5521, 5530, 6421, 6430, 6511, 6520, 6610, 7411, 7420, 7510, 7600, 8410, 8500, 9400. *One suit of ≥5 cards and another suit of ≥4 cards.*

Single-suiter (S'GLE): 6322, 6331, 7222, 7321, 7330, 8221, 8311, 8320, 8410, 9211, 9220, 9310, 10111, 10210, 10300, 11111, 11200, 12100, 13000. *One suit ≥6 cards and no other suit >3 cards. Not all dealt boards were played.*

Tues 28 Feb. 10 Pairs 30 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.8	10.33	9.87	9	20.67	19.33
BAL	12	13	16	9	28	22
VOIDS	0	2	1	2	1	4
S'GLE	14	9	7	13	21	22
TWO S	11	13	8	18	19	31
LONG	5	4	4	3	9	7

Mon 27 Feb. 11 Pairs 36 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10.27	9.22	10.55	9.96	20.82	19.18
15	17	15	14	30	31
2	3	2	3	4	6
13	11	12	10	25	21
13	10	10	18	23	28
7	7	10	4	17	11

Mon (n) 27 Feb. 13 Pairs 30 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.17	10.43	11.13	9.27	20.3	19.7
BAL	11	12	13	11	24	23
VOIDS	1	3	4	1	5	4
S'GLE	15	9	11	16	26	25
D'BLE	10	11	15	16	25	27
LONG	7	6	2	4	9	10

Sat 25 Feb. 6 Pairs 30 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10	9.83	9.44	10.73	19.44	20.56
12	12	14	17	26	29
1	1	3	1	4	2
10	10	9	7	19	17
13	10	14	8	27	18
4	6	1	4	5	10

Fri 24 Feb. 12 Pairs 36 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.5	10.31	9.64	9.56	20.14	19.86
BAL	18	13	17	15	35	28
VOIDS	0	4	0	1	0	5
S'GLE	10	12	11	8	21	20
D'BLE	10	18	13	13	23	31
LONG	7	5	5	4	12	9

Thur 23 Feb. 6 Pairs 30 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10.2	9.03	10.7	10.07	20.9	19.1
11	13	11	11	22	24
1	0	3	2	4	2
10	9	8	10	18	19
11	13	11	10	22	23
6	3	3	4	9	7



**Wed 22 Feb. 7 Pairs 36 Boards**

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.08	10.28	10.42	10.22	19.5	20.5
BAL	17	16	13	15	30	31
VOIDS	2	3	2	1	4	4
S'GLE	10	10	12	15	22	25
D'BLE	13	11	17	12	30	23
LONG	5	8	4	8	9	16

Tues 21 Feb. 11 Pairs 30 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10.5	10.23	9.6	9.67	20.1	19.9
15	12	16	18	31	30
1	2	1	0	2	2
10	10	10	7	20	17
14	11	11	6	25	17
2	7	3	4	5	11

Mon 20 Feb. 12 Pairs 36 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.95	9.25	9.33	11.47	19.28	20.72
BAL	20	17	18	14	38	31
VOIDS	1	2	2	2	3	5
S'GLE	9	11	8	15	17	26
D'BLE	7	13	10	15	17	28
LONG	6	4	2	4	8	8

Mon(n) 20 Feb 12 Pairs 36 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
9.75	9.25	11.56	9.44	21.31	18.69
20	16	15	17	35	33
2	1	0	1	2	2
10	11	13	9	23	20
13	13	17	13	30	26
3	6	3	5	6	11

Sat 18 Feb. 6 Pairs 30 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.93	9.7	10.77	9.6	20.7	19.3
BAL	13	12	13	14	26	26
VOIDS	3	3	1	1	4	4
S'GLE	6	8	8	11	14	19
D'BLE	10	16	10	12	20	28
LONG	6	2	6	4	12	6

Fri 17 Feb. 17 Pairs 36 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10	9.56	10.05	10.39	20.05	19.95
25	18	19	18	44	36
0	1	2	4	2	5
8	11	10	9	18	20
8	15	12	15	20	30
2	3	4	3	6	6

Thur 16 Feb. 8 Pairs 30 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.7	8.93	10.63	9.74	21.33	18.67
BAL	11	11	12	11	23	22
VOIDS	1	0	2	0	3	0
S'GLE	7	12	10	9	17	21
D'BLE	14	10	12	9	26	19
LONG	5	6	5	7	10	13

Wed 15 Feb. 9 Pairs 36 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
8.31	11.08	10.61	10	18.92	21.08
18	22	18	19	36	41
0	1	2	1	2	2
12	10	10	12	22	22
14	11	14	13	28	24
3	4	4	5	7	9



**Tues 14 Feb. 13 Pairs 36 Boards**

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.2	9.7	10.4	10.7	19.6	20.4
BAL	21	16	14	19	35	35
VOIDS	1	2	3	3	4	5
S'GLE	14	13	7	12	21	25
D'BLE	15	15	15	10	30	25
LONG	0	4	6	6	6	10

Mon 13 Feb. 13 Pairs 36 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10.19	9.69	10.23	9.89	20.42	19.58
18	21	17	15	35	36
0	1	0	3	0	4
9	10	16	13	25	23
12	10	13	18	25	28
5	7	4	3	9	10

Mon(n) 13 Feb. 12 Pairs 30 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.06	9.8	9.94	10.2	19.99	20.01
BAL	15	12	17	19	32	31
VOIDS	0	1	3	2	3	3
S'GLE	10	9	5	7	15	16
D'BLE	10	16	5	5	15	21
LONG	3	1	5	5	8	6

Sat 11 Feb. 10 Pairs 36 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
10.86	9.25	10.25	9.64	21.11	18.89
17	15	13	15	30	30
2	2	3	2	5	4
13	11	13	13	26	24
18	14	18	16	36	30
1	8	4	4	5	12

Fri 10 Feb. 15 Pairs 36 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.03	10.05	9.67	10.25	19.7	20.3
BAL	21	20	17	14	38	34
VOIDS	3	4	1	1	4	5
S'GLE	9	8	14	10	23	18
D'BLE	14	12	14	17	28	29
LONG	1	2	3	4	4	6

Thur 9 Feb. 9 Pairs 30 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
9.6	9.66	9.97	10.77	19.57	20.44
14	16	11	10	25	26
0	0	0	1	0	1
10	10	15	17	25	27
8	7	12	18	20	25
6	5	5	1	11	6

Wed 8 Feb. 18 Pairs 36 Boards

HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.22	10.03	9.47	10.28	19.69	20.31
BAL	20	15	19	19	39	34
VOIDS	1	0	5	2	6	2
S'GLE	15	9	6	12	21	21
D'BLE	14	9	12	11	26	20
LONG	1	8	5	2	6	10

Tues 7 Feb. 11 Pairs 30 Boards

N	E	S	W	NS	EW
9.44	9.9	9.83	10.83	19.27	20.73
12	13	10	12	22	25
2	1	1	1	3	2
11	15	12	8	23	23
12	12	14	13	26	25
5	4	3	4	8	8





Mon 6 Feb.		15 Pairs			36 Boards	
HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.81	10.58	10.08	9.53	19.89	20.11
BAL	16	11	20	16	36	27
VOIDS	2	3	1	3	3	6
S'GLE	9	17	8	11	17	28
D'BLE	16	17	11	16	27	33
LONG	3	8	3	4	6	12

Mon (n) 6 Feb.		11 Pairs			30 Boards	
N	E	S	W	NS	EW	
10.67	10.33	8.73	10.27	19.4	20.6	
14	16	14	19	28	35	
0	1	0	0	0	1	
9	5	13	7	22	12	
11	9	9	5	20	14	
4	5	3	6	7	9	

Sat 4 Feb.		10 Pairs			30 Boards	
HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	9.11	11.13	9.83	9.93	18.94	21.06
BAL	10	15	11	12	21	27
VOIDS	1	2	3	2	4	4
S'GLE	11	11	10	11	21	22
D'BLE	11	14	16	14	27	28
LONG	8	1	2	3	10	4

Fri 3 Feb.		16 Pairs			36 Boards	
N	E	S	W	NS	EW	
9.44	9.36	10.17	11.03	19.61	20.39	
19	18	14	20	33	38	
0	1	1	3	1	4	
15	10	15	7	30	17	
12	13	16	10	30	23	
3	3	6	5	9	8	

Thur 2 Feb.		9 Pairs			30 Boards	
HAND	N	E	S	W	NS	EW
AV HCP	10.07	9.67	10.13	10.13	20.2	19.8
BAL	13	14	9	13	22	27
VOIDS	2	4	2	2	4	6
S'GLE	8	7	14	7	22	14
D'BLE	10	12	16	10	26	22
LONG	6	4	3	5	9	9

Wed 1 Feb.		9 Pairs			36 Boards	
N	E	S	W	NS	EW	
9.44	10.25	10.25	10.06	19.69	20.31	
14	20	18	14	32	34	
1	0	2	0	3	0	
12	10	12	14	24	24	
16	12	14	15	30	27	
5	4	1	5	6	9	

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

in February to



Margaret Berriman, David Bowerman, Jenny Clarke, Janice Crane, Cheryl Davison, Stewart Duxbury, Pam Gowthorp, Carla Heslop, Maureen Holmes, Julie Jessop, Pam Joseph, Elizabeth Lawrence, Lyn Lynch, Agnes Marsh, Dawn McCorquodale, Kathy Mitchell, Wendy Mitchell, Leyla Moncelet, Claire O'Connor, Bev Sivewright, Adriana Smith, David Snow, Suzanne Willis, Jackie Wilson, Yvonne Zammit.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY HAPPY**

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