



Waikanae Bridge Club

**NEWSLETTER
FEBRUARY 2023**

WELCOME BACK SUNDAY AFTERNOON



Is it a while since you last played at the club? Come along on Sunday 19 February at 12.45pm for a casual afternoon of bridge. We will give you a partner if needed. Each pair to bring a plate please and remember to bring cash for the raffles. Prizes have been kindly sponsored by the family of John McNab. Enter your name on the sheet on the front table or email chris.farrow@xtra.co.nz by Friday 17 February.

MONDAY AFTERNOONS



Monday afternoon teas are a happening thing again, on the first Monday of every month. Enjoy our members' baking halfway through the session. At the end of play on any Monday, join other players for a drink at Salt and Wood.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The club's Annual General Meeting
Monday 27 February at 4.30pm.



will be held on
The relevant papers
have been sent to you. Forward your proxy vote to the Secretary,
waikanaebridge@xtra.co.nz

JANUARY WINNERS



Congratulations to the winners in January.

Matai Prs	Craig Jackson and Adrienne Dale
Roy Lynds Prs	Derek Snelling and Angela Gattsche
New Year Medley	Judith Jackson
Doug McLeod Prs	Peter Farley and Graham Cheater

COMING UP SOON ... sign up for ...



Kapiti Horowhenua Area Pairs

This 8B tournament series is back in a different format for 2023: three autumn sessions in March/April/May and three spring sessions in September/October/November. Share transport to Otaki and get a meal before play. The first session is 16 March. Enter through NZBridge.



Interclub at Paraparaumu

Our annual interclub fixture against Paraparaumu Bridge Club is scheduled for the afternoon of Sunday 5 March at Paraparaumu. This is a Charity Tournament to support Wellington Free Ambulance so please bring cash to donate to this essential service. We hold the Interclub shield and we want to retain it. Find the entry list on the front table.



Rubber Bridge

The national Rubber Bridge competition is played in people's homes over a period of months. Players of all grades can enter. Junior tournament systems apply to all players unless agreed otherwise. Contact grahamlcheater@gmail.com before 31 March.

PHONES OFF PLEASE

Several strongly worded submissions were received by the Committee asking for consequences to be imposed on members whose cellphones ring during play. After considerable discussion we decided to start gently.



Please turn off your phone before you play. If you are expecting an emergency call you must seek the Director's permission to have your phone on, but only on vibrate.

This could become a hanging offence. You have been warned!

BEGINNERS LESSONS

Beginners Lessons begin again on Monday 13 March with Judith Jackson. Please talk to your friends about joining. Current members may attend any or all of the lessons at no charge. Come along and refresh your skills. Enquiries and registration to Blair Campbell on bbear@mac.com or 021 025 45981.



Have fun this year

Ady Dale, President