NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER



CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our Christmas Party is on this year, despite Covid's efforts to stop us. It will be held as scheduled after play finishes on Thursday 9 December. The format may not be quite the usual but details will be finalised soon and we will let you know more.

Put the date in your diary, bring your partner along for 4.30pm and be ready for a fun time to wind up the year. Please enter your name on the list on the top table so we can organise the catering.

And at the Christmas Party you will find out who has won the......



GRAND SLAM TROPHY

The family of Agnes Richards has kindly donated a new trophy in her memory. The winner will be the player who has bid and made the most grand slams this year. All your grand slam successes need to be entered in the Gold Book and you may do this until the cut-off date which is 15 November. After that your brilliance will sadly go unacknowledged.



IN-HOUSE TOURNAMENT

We have been unable to run our scheduled national tournaments since lockdown prevented us having visitors, so the next best thing is to run our own in-house tournament. This mixed grade tournament will be held in the afternoon of Sunday 21 November.

Please enter your partnership on the list on the front table and pay your entry fee of \$10.00 on line.

There will be prizes at all levels: Junior, Intermediate and Open and also for combined partnerships. Food and drink will be served at the end.

Be seated with your partner by 12.50pm for play to start at 1.00pm.

SITUATIONS VACANT

Is there anyone out there who knows anything about graphic design or I.T?

Our teams this year have worked like honey bees keeping the club running smoothly.

If you can offer some time next year to help run the club, we would appreciate your help. We are looking for more volunteers to help out in a number of areas next year.

We need more dealers, more scorers, people to take the table money and people willing to take a turn as duty officer. If there is another area you have an interest in please let Ady know.

The more help we have the better. Please put your name on the list on the top table.



SIDE TABLES

We have never had enough side tables for everyone to put their drinks on during play. We have now sourced some new black side tables for this purpose. You are invited to help the club pay for these tables by giving a tax-deductible donation of \$20 per table. You can even write your name on one if you want! Please pay on line and specify "side table".



ON LINE PAYMENTS

We prefer all payments to the club to be made on line.

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Please don't combine payments for, say a session ticket and the tournament entry and a side table. Make each one a separate entry and label them clearly.

BEFORE



AFTER



Happy bridging, and all the best for a good Christmas break.

Ady Dale President