

Bridge @ the Bay
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Newsletter
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THURSDAY 15TH MAY, 2014 BATEMANS BAY BRIDGE CLUB has invited Bridge at the Bay members to a combined afternoon of play, commencing at 1.00 pm. (Please be seated no later than 12.45 pm) Please place your name in the diary or contact Sue Greenwood at greenwood.sue@gmail.com or telephone 4472 1659.

THURSDAY 29TH MAY 2014 NATIONWIDE NOVICE PAIRS to be held at the Batemans Bay Bridge Club at 1 pm. (Please be seated no later than 12.45 pm). Please advise Sue Greenwood (greenwood.sue@gmail.com or telephone 4472 1659) if you wish to participate. You are eligible to play if you have less than 50 master points. Cost including the book is \$10.00 per person.
Please Note: There will be regular play at Malua Bay on the 29th May, 2014.



MAY MONTHLY MEDAL WINNERS were Di Minihan and Lyn Woolridge with an outstanding score of 73.21%.

FRIDAY MORNING SOCIAL BRIDGE will commence at **9.30 am** over the winter months. Please be in attendance by no later than 9.15. There is always a cup of tea or coffee and biscuits/slice for your enjoyment. Friday bridge is a very social morning where each player plays individually and is scored individually. There is a weekly prize of \$10 for both the outright winner and the winner on handicap. It is important that members advise their intention to play each week before Thursday evening to Sue Greenwood either by email at greenwood.sue@gmail.com or telephone her on 44 72 1659. The Committee would appreciate any feedback on the Friday sessions.

PUZZLE OF THE MONTH

You are South and have 10 7 5 3 and your partner (dummy) has A Q J 2. What is the best strategy for playing your trumps (assuming there are plenty of side entries to each hand)? Answer: It is marginally better to lead across to the Q and J first rather than lead the 10. If you lead the 10 and West has the bare K, you will give a trick to East with the 9 8 6 4.

BRIDGE AT THE BAY 7TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS WERE HELD ON 14TH APRIL, 2014.

Members celebrated with a glass of champagne and a slice of cake, prior to a most enjoyable afternoon of Bridge.



Bridge Sessions –

Monday – 12.45 pm

Wednesday – 12.45 pm

Friday - **9.30 am (New Time)**

Please let Sue Greenwood know if you plan to play on a Friday. Please be there by 9.15 so we can set up the event and get started by 9:30 am

If you need a partner please email either Sue Greenwood at greenwood.sue@gmail.com or Peter Edwards at – anneandpeteredwards@gmail.com