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## NSWBA eCONGRESS news

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# • Congress Calendar Links



## Congresses - Members doing well

NSBC Summer Swiss Teams Congress



This new RB Online Swiss Teams Congress was supported by 23 Teams on Sunday 8/Jan and was well directed by Ronnie Ng







**Fahrer** 





Cartmell

David Hudson

Pos	NSBC Congress - Summer Swiss Teams	VP	CC
1	David Wurth, Nick Fahrer, Michael Cartmell, David Hudson	89	10
2	Jane Dawson, Peter Gill, Liz Adams, Tony Nunn	85	7
3	Julian Foster, <b>David Weston</b> , Jenna Gibbons, Christine Gibbons	79	5
4	Joan Butts, Michael Courtney, Ruth Tobin, Tony Ong	74	4
5	Pam Livingston, Jan Alabaster, Jeff Miller, Graeme Stout	71	
6	Warren Dobes, Witold Chylewski, Yumin Li, Peter Jeffery	70	3
7	Kevin Davies, Leo Goorevich, George Finikiotis, Fiona Lavery	69	2
8	Patrick Jiang, Wieslaw Przewozniak, Alexander Cook, <b>Heath Henn</b>	68	1
Best Inter	Gillian Richmond, Penny Cockbill, Sylvia Billingham, Ian Hoschke	58	



Jillian Richmond



**Penny** Cockbill



Sylvia **Billingham** 



Hoschke



#### NSBC Australia Weekend Swiss Pairs



This RB Online Australia Day weekend Swiss Teams Congress was expanded to include a restricted section, supported by 48 Pairs (open) & 24 Pairs (restricted) on Sunday and was well directed by Ronnie Ng









Pos	NSBC Congress - Australia Day Weekend - Open Swiss Pairs	Score VP	СС
1	Fraser Rew & Julian Foster	98.0	
2	Alan & Tammy Schwarz	91.3	10
3	Aleksandar Milovanovic & Witold Chylewski (Jun)	90.7	7
4	David Hudson & David Fryda	88.8	5
5	Graeme Tuffnell & Pam Lvingston	88.1	
6	Wei Zhang & Wayne Zhu	86.9	4
7	Tania Lloyd & Hugh Grosvenor	86.3	3
8	Bruce Neill & Kim Morrison	86.1	2
9	Jane Dawson & Peter Gill	81.9	1









Pos	NSBC Congress - Australia Day Weekend - Restricted Swiss Pairs	Score
1	Christine Hanley & Terry Dunne	99.9
2	Gail Mckenzie & Martin Brown	91.3
3	Mary Poynten & Fiona Fawcett	85.8
4	Neil Williams (NT) & Tony Abbott	85.6
Best Novice	Sandy Boyd & Shannon Queree	83.2

Link to Australia Day Swiss Pairs Honour Board Link to Open Full Results Link to Restricted Full Results







	Trumps - Festival Pairs (7T)	%
1	Helen Lowry & Jane Beeby	63%
2	Jane Dawson & Peter Gill	62%
3	Simon Moore & Tony Franklin	54%



## • Canberra – Summer Festival

## **Senior's Teams**

	SFOB - Seniors Qualifying (T22)	VP	WDL
1Q	Peter <u>Buchen</u> , George Smolanko, Andrew Braithwaite, Arjuna de Livera, Terry Brown, <b>Michael Courtney</b>	126	6-2-1
2	Alan <u>Watson</u> , Peter Fordham, Bruce Neill, Rick Roeder	121	6-1-2
3Q	Robert Krochmalik, Paul Lavings, Gabi <u>Lorentz</u> , Stephen Burgess, Avinash Kanetkar, <b>David Beauchamp</b>	121	6-1-2
4Q	George Kozakos, <b>Phil Gue</b> , Pauline Gumby, Warren Lazer, Ron Cooper, Jonathan Free	109	5-1-3
5Q	Anthony Hutton, Malcolm Carter, Bernard Waters, Michael Cullen	102	5-0-4

## Women's Teams

	SFOB - Women Teams Qualifying (T16)	VP	WDL
1	<b>Karen McCallum</b> , Renee Cooper, Jovi Smederevac, Sally Brock	102	8-0-1
2Q	Helena Dawson, Avril Zets, Wei Zhang, Catherine Zhang, Kinga Moses, Nazife Bashar	144	5-2-2
3Q	Barbara Travis, Candice Ginsberg, Elizabeth Havas, Diana Smart, <b>Giselle Mundell, Rena Kaplan</b>	107	7-1-1
4Q	Mimi Packer, Jane Reynolds, Gwyneira Brahma, Deana Wilson, Kim Frazer, Kitty Muntz	104	5-0-4
5Q	Jenny Thompson, Karen Creet, Jodi Tutty, Dagmar Neumann, Judith Tobin, Ruth Tobin	103	5-0-4

# **NSBC February Congress News**

# **Results & upcoming**



SFOB - Seniors Playoff (T4)	Semi	Final
Team Buchen	126	167
Team Hutton	96	
Team Lorentz	125	205
Team Gue	85	



SFOB -Womens Playoff (T4)	Semi	Final
Team Dawson	125	196
Team Packer	111	
Team Travis	94	
Team Thompson	115	149

# Winners Chris Diment MP Swiss Pairs

	Chris Diment MP Swiss Pairs (T17)	VP	WDL
1	Marlene Watts & Michael Prescott	122	8-0-0
2	Hugh Grosvenor & Tania Lloyd	115	7-1-0
3	Chris Stead & Liz Sylvester	102	6-0-2

	SFOB -Penline Swiss Pairs (26T)	VP	WDL
1	Jovi Smederevac & Sascha Wernle	86	5-0-1
2	David Matthews & Jessica Chew	83	4-2-0
3	Sophie Ashton & Lauren Travis	79	5-0-1

	SFOB - TBIB Swiss Pairs (53T)	VP	WDL
1	Ben Thompson & Renee Cooper	161	9-1-2
2	William Zhang & Charlie Lu	143	8-2-1
3	Alan Bailey & Jette Bailey	143	9-0-2
6	Nick Fahrer & David Wurth	136	5-2-4



	SFOB - Mixed Swiss Pairs (14T)	VP	WDL		
1	1 Hugh Grosvenor & Tania Lloyd 154.7 10-0-				
2	2 Sascha Wernle & Jovi Smederevac 150.6 8-1-2				
3	3 Richard Ward & Therese Tully 139.2				

	SFOB - <750 Swiss Pairs (22T)		WDL
1	Joanne Bakas & Tassi Georgiadis	146	8-2-1
2	Gabrielle Elich & Fay Stanton	138	7-0-4
3	3 Martin Wu & Eugene Pereira		8-0-3
6	6 Mary Poynten & Heath Henn 131 6-1		6-1-4
7	7 Kevin & Lesley Murray 129 7-		7-0-4

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# **Results & upcoming**







Lydia Gibbs

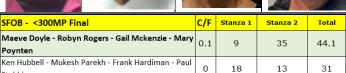
**Kevin Murray** 

	SFOB - <750 Swiss Teams (18T)	VP	WDL
1	1		8-0-1
2	Margaret Rogers - John Rogers - Jim Stewart - David Owen	113	7-0-2
3	John Knight - Shane Woodburn - Fay Stanton - Gabrielle Elich	113	7-0-2
7	Maeve Doyle - Robyn Rogers - Gail Mckenzie - Mary Poynten	98	4-1-4
8	Catherine Else - Jenny Barnes - Kit Meyers - Fiona Fawcett	94	4-2-3

SFOB - <750MP Final	C/F	Stanza 1	Stanza 2	Total
Lydia Gibbs - Kevin Murray - Annegrete Kolding - Neil Williams	0.1	15	30	45.1
Margaret Rogers - John Rogers - Jim Stewart - David Owen	0	27	29	56





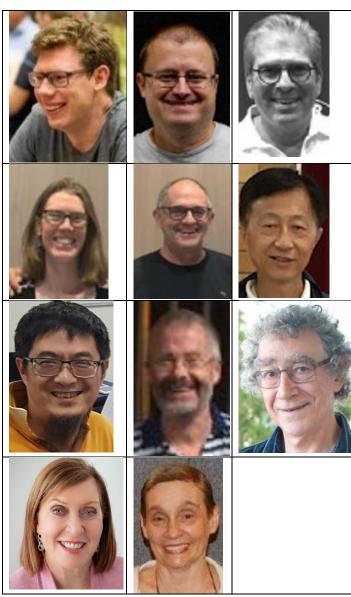


	SFOB - Packup &Pairs (imp) T5		
1	Tania Lloyd - Hugh Grosvenor	94	
2	George Lovrecz - Bob Geyer	55	



	SFOB - South West Pacific Teams (74T)	VP	WDL
1	Ziggy - Rodrigo Garcia Da Rosa - Justin Mill - Siegfried Konig - <b>Liam Milne</b> - James Coutts	170	10-1-1
2	Newman - Peter Newman - Ben Thompson - Renee Cooper - Matthew Thomson		9-1-2
3	Leibowitz - Nick Jacob - Geo Tislevoll - Paul Gosney - Tony Nunn - Paul Dalley - Tony Leibowitz		8-4-2
4	Ashton - Michael Whibley - Nabil Edgtton - Sartaj Hans - Andy Hung - <b>Sophie Ashton - Peter Gill</b>	153	8-2-2
5	Travis - Alan Watson - Rick Roeder - Michael Smart - Candice Ginsberg - Peter Reynolds - Barbara Travis		7-1-4
6	6 Butts - Charlie Lu - William Zhang - Yumin Li - Peter Jeffery - Michael Courtney - Joan Butts		7-0-5
7	Apaheili - Axel Johannsson - <b>Kate Mccallum</b> - Barry Myers - Sascha Wernle - Sally Brock - Jovi Smederevac	145	8-1-3
8	Aa = Ashley Bach - Arlene Dalley - Tomer Libman - Lavy Libman	144	6-2-4

## Members:



National Open Teams - Quarter Final						
Results after 4 of 4 stanzas						
Team (click here to exclude names)	C/Fwd	Stanza 1	Stanza 2	Stanza 3	Stanza 4	Total
ZIGGY (1) SIEGFRIED KONIG - LIAM MILNE - JAMES COUTTS - JUSTIN MILL - RODRIGO GARCIA DA ROSA	0.1	35	19	78	28	160.1
BUTTS (2) JOAN BUTTS - MICHAEL COURTNEY - PETER JEFFERY - YUMIN LI	0	57	15	8	38	118
NEWMAN (3) PETER NEWMAN - BEN THOMPSON - RENEE COOPER - MATTHEW THOMSON	0.1	56	44	61		161.1
TRAVIS (4) BARBARA TRAVIS - PETER REYNOLDS - CANDICE GINSBERG - MICHAEL SMART - RICK ROEDER - ALAN WATSON	0	27	15	9		51
LEIBOWITZ (5) TONY LEIBOWITZ - PAUL DALLEY - TONY NUNN - PAUL GOSNEY - GEO TISLEVOLL - NICK JACOB	0.1	40	46	52	16	154.1
AA (6) ASHLEY BACH - ARLENE DALLEY - TOMER LIBMAN - LAVY LIBMAN	0	24	35	27	21	107
ASHTON (7) SOPHIE ASHTON - PETER GILL - ANDY HUNG - SARTAJ HANS - NABIL EDGTTON - MICHAEL WHIBLEY	0.1	33	38	34	60	165.1
APAHEILI (8) AXEL JOHANNSSON - KATE MCCALLUM - BARRY MYERS - SASCHA WERNLE - SALLY BROCK - JOVI SMEDEREVAC	0	39	15	15	24	93

National Open Teams - Semi Final						
Results after 4 of 4 stanzas						
Team (click here to show names)	C/Fwd	Stanza 1	Stanza 2	Stanza 3	Stanza 4	Total
ZIGGY (1)	0.1	30	46	39	75	190.1
NEWMAN (2)	0	20	43	32	15	110
LEIBOWITZ (3)	0.1	11	52	7	63	133.1
ASHTON (4)	0	65	25	35	44	169

National Open Teams - Final						
Results after 4 of 4 stanzas						
Team (click here to show names)	C/Fwd	Stanza 1	Stanza 2	Stanza 3	Stanza 4	Total
ZIGGY (1)	0.1	26	17	21	12	76.1
ASHTON (2)	0	11	28	40	54	133



ASHTON, Peter Gill, Michael Whibley, Sophie Ashton, Sartaj Hans, Andy Hung, Nabil Edgtton

Upcoming NSBC Congresses









# Online Swiss Pairs **Open Swiss Pairs**



Sunday 12th Feb 2023 on RealBridge



10:00am Start 2 Sessions - Swiss Pairs (IMP) Event

Prize Pool: Generous, but dependent on Entries

Convenor, queries & partnership advice: Gary Barwick 0413 884 805

Director: Ronnie Ng

Entry Management: Enter by MyABF

Pre-Payments: Visitors use MyABF Credits & NSBC Members to select "Club PP System"



Conducted under the auspices of the NSWBA. The ABF has approved the issue of red masterpoints at level B4. All players are subject to the NSWBA's Disciplinary Regulations. Yellow systems restricted

Player Fees (pp) \$30pp

Why not join the NSBC? Remote Members just \$25/yea



# **NSBC Online Teams Online Swiss Teams**



Sunday 12th Mar on RealBridge



10:00am Start 2 Sessions – Swiss Teams (IMP) Event Prize Pool: Generous, but dependent on Entries

Convenor, queries & partnership advice: Gary Barwick 0413 884 805

**Director:** Ronnie Ng

Entry Management: Enter by MyABF MYABF



Pre-Payments: Visitors use MyABF Credits & NSBC Members to select "Club PP System"



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Player Fees (pp) \$30pp

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# The Pauline Evans Congress Open Swiss Pairs (Imp)



# Sunday 26th March 2023 @ East Lindfield Venue 10:00am Start 2 Sessions - Swiss Pairs Event



Champion

Prize Pool: Generous, but dependent on Entries + Best restricted

Convenor, queries & partnership advice: Mike Prescott 0435 528 872

Director: Ronnie Ng

Entry Management: Enter by MyABF

Pre-Payments: Visitors pay MyABF Credits & NSBC Members select "Club PP System" 2022 10th Open Winners: Kim Morrison & David Weston



Tel: 02 9415 8344

Conducted under the auspices of the NSWBA . The ABF has approved the issue of red masterpoints at level B4. All players are subject to the NSWBA's Disciplinary Regulations. Yellow systems Restricted.

#### \$45pp includes Refreshments & a Light Lunch Player Fees (pp)

## Other Congresses

	FEBRUARY 2023
Finesse Narooma Dolphin Pairs	Feb 5 (Sun) - 10 (Fri)
North Shore Bridge Club Online Swiss Pairs	Feb 12 (Sun)
Gold Coast Congress	Feb 17 (Fri) - 25 (Sat)
NSWBA ITS Swiss Pairs	Feb 27 (Mon) - Mar 13 (Mon)
	MARCH 2023
Finesse Terrigal Pairs	Mar 6 (Mon) - 19 (Sun)
Armidale Bridge Club Pairs	Mar 11 (Sat) - 12 (Sun)
North Shore Bridge Club Online Swiss Teams	Mar 12 (Sun)
Central Coast Bridge Club Super Congress	
Swiss Pairs	Mar 18 (Sat)
Teams	Mar 19 (Sun)
NSWBA GNOT Direct Qualifier	Mar 20 (Mon) - Apr 24 (Mon)
Tasmanian Festival of Bridge	Mar 23 (Thu) - 26 (Sun)
Port Macquarie-Hastings Bridge Assoc	
Swiss Pairs	Mar 25 (Sat)
Teams	Mar 26 (Sun)
NSBC@Lindfield Pauline Evans Swiss Pairs	Mar 26 (Sun)
NSWBA Women's ITS	Mar 31 (Fri) - Apr 2 (Sun)

Eligibility



2023 Gold Coast Programme

## 2023 PROGRAM

O = all levels, U = Under 1500 mps, I = Intermediate 0-750 mps, 0-500 mps,

R = Restricted 0-300 mps, N = Novice 0-100 mps, 0-50 = 0-50 mps Rookies = 0-10 mps

Friday 17th 6.00pm to 6.15pm	No Frills Walk-In Pairs   Staggered Start	0
Saturday 18th		
10.00am & 2.30pm	Bobby Richman Pairs Championship Qualifying 1 & 2   Event finishes Monday for all players	OIRN
10.00am & 2.30pm	Walk-In Pairs	0
2.30pm	Weekend Matchpoint Swiss Pairs Session 1   Matches 1-3   9 - Board Matches	O / 0-500MP's
Sunday 19th		
10.00am & 2.30pm	Weekend Matchpoint Swiss Pairs Session 2 & 3   Matches 4-9	O / 0-500MP's
10.00am & 2.30pm	Bobby Richman Pairs Championship Finals 1 & 2	OIRN
10.00am	Rookie Pairs 24 boards minimum	0-10 MP's
10.00am & 2.30pm Monday 20th	Walk-In Pairs	0
10.00am & 2.00pm	Monday Butler Swiss Pairs Sessions 1 & 2   Matches 1-6   9 - Board Matches	O / 0-500MP's
10.00am	Bobby Richman Pairs Championship Final 3	OIRN
10.00am & 2.00pm Tuesday 21st	Walk-In Pairs	0
10.00am & 2.30pm	Teams Championship Matches 1-4   14 - Board Matches	OUIRN
10.00am 10.00am & 2.30pm	0-50 Masterpoint Pairs Walk-In Pairs	0-50MP's O
Wednesday 22nd		
10.00am & 2.30pm	Teams Championship Matches 5-8   14 - Board Matches	OUIRN
10.00am & 2.30pm 10.00am & 2.30pm Thursday 23rd	0-50 Masterpoint Pairs   Sessions 1 & 2 Walk-In Pairs	0-50 MP's O
10.00am & 2.30pm	Teams Championship	OUIRN
10.00am & 2.30pm	Matches 9-12   14 - Board Matches  0-50 Masterpoint Butler Swiss Pairs  Sessions 1 & 2   6 Matches   8 - Board Matches	0-50 MP's
10.00am	Rookie Pairs 24 - boards minimum	0-10 MP's
2.30pm Friday 24th	Walk-In Pairs	0
	Teams Finals - top 6 in Open, top 2 in all other sections	
10.00am & 2.00pm	Seres McMahon Matchpoint Swiss Pairs Sessions 1 & 2   6 Matches   8 - Board Matches	0
10.00am & 2.00pm	Ivy Dahler Butler Swiss Pairs Sessions 1 & 2   Matches 1-7   8 - Board Matches	OIR
10.00am & 2.00pm	Friday Novice Matchpoint Swiss Pairs Sessions 1 & 2   6 Matches   8 - Board Matches	N
10.00am & 2.00pm Saturday 25th	Walk-In Pairs	0
10.00am	Ivy Dahler Butler Swiss Pairs	OIR
10.00am	Session 3   Matches 8-10   8 - Board Matches Walk-In Pairs	0
7.30pm	Dinner Dance 7.30pm start	





2023 Tassie Programme

# **TASMANIAN FESTIVAL of BRIDGE**



## MyState Bank Arena, 601 Brooker Hwy, Glenorchy

# Thu 23rd - Sun 26th March 2023

#### Thursday 23rd and Friday 24th March

**TFoB Restricted Swiss Pairs** 

For players with less than 300 masterpoints as at 30th Sep 2022

Roger Penny Senior Swiss Pairs

Restricted to players born before 1st Jan 1961

Australian Mixed Swiss Pairs This event attracts PQPs

#### Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th March

TBIB Australian Swiss Pairs This event attracts PQPs

Incorporating the Warren Walker Memorial Prize for best performing Tasmanian Pair

#### Sunday 26th March

**TFoB Rookie Swiss Pairs** 



For players with < 25 masterpoints at 30th Sep 2022

#### **Prize Presentations**

Will be held after the end of play on Friday and Sunday accompanied by drinks and light refreshments

#### Match Details

Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2023	Friday 24th March 2023
Start 11:00 am Finish 6:05 pm	Start 9:30 am Finish 6:15 pm
4 x 12 board matches	5 x 12 board matches
Saturday 25th March 2023	Sunday 26th March 2023
Start 10:00 am Finish 6:45 pm	Start 9:30 am Finish 4:45 pm
6 x 10 board matches	5 x 10 board matches