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Monthly Newsletter

October 2024

Dear Sharon,

To see all our latest news and events, please visit our website which is updated daily. [Click here to visit the website.](#)

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CLUB NOTICES

Labour Day Holiday Opening hours

For Labour Day - Monday October 7th, we have a Congress on at East Lindfield, all welcome - [click here to enter.](#)

East Lindfield - All regular sessions at East Lindfield are cancelled.

Online - we will have 1:30pm Open Session and 2pm Rookie Session.

The Willis will be closed, come and join us at East Lindfield.

MAJOR RESULTS

State Open Pairs Qualifiers - The Willis

Congratulations to Lois Chambers and Beverley Callaway, the winners of this event, 2nd place to Yu-Shiun Chen and Graham McMahon. All players qualify for NSBC sponsored entry to the St Finals. Well done and to see the full results - [click here.](#)

NSBC Club Teams Championships

Congratulations to the Clifford Team who won the annual NSBC Club Teams Championship which concluded on Thursday 19th September. For full results and photos - [click here](#).

Northern Interclub Teams Challenge

The annual Margaret Smale Northern Interclub Teams event was won by Peninsula Bridge Club, hosted this year by us at East Lindfield. Well done Peninsula! To see all the photos and results - please [click here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS

Labour Day Matchpoint Pairs Congress

Monday 7th October at 10AM - 2 x sessions

[Congress](#) | Matchpoint Pairs | East Lindfield | **Red Masterpoints**

[Click here to enter via MyABF](#)

True mixed Teams Championships

Thursday 31st Oct, 7th Nov, 21st Nov and 28th Nov

[Thursday Nights](#) | Club Championships | Teams | Online | **Red Masterpoints**

[Click here to enter via MyABF](#)

Melbourne Cup

Tuesday 5th November at 10AM

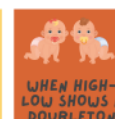
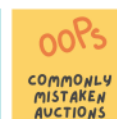
[Special Event](#) | Sweeps and Race on | Pairs | East Lindfield | **Red Masterpoints**

No entry required - just show up, bring a plate.

LESSONS

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW BUT MAY HAVE FORGOTTEN...

with Will Jenner-O'Shea



1st November at East Lindfield Bowling Club 10am - 3PM

Book via Upcoming events on our Website
\$60 per person includes Morning Tea & Lunch

Will Jenner O'Shea is back for another informative, interactive fun lesson. This time the topics covered are "things you should know"! Which auctions are forcing, and which are not? How many cards do you need to make certain bids? Commonly mistaken auctions When high-low shows a doubleton, and when it doesn't and many more tips on play and defence.

To register [click here](#).

DEAR DIRECTOR

This hand is from an online Monday Rookie

North NV	
♠ J 5 3 ♥ 6 ♦ K 9 7 5 4 ♣ Q 7 6 5	
West V	East V
♠ A 9 7 ♥ A 10 9 2 ♦ 8 ♣ K 10 8 3 2	♠ K Q 10 8 6 4 2 ♥ J 8 ♦ 6 2 ♣ A 9
South D NV	
♠ ♥ K Q 7 5 4 3 ♦ A Q J 10 3 ♣ J 4	

HCPs		
6		
11	10	
	13	

This hand is from an online Monday Night game. The table below shows what is makeable.

	♣	♦	♥	♠	NT
North	-	4	1	-	-
South	-	4	1	-	-
East	3	-	-	6	2
West	2	-	-	6	2

I would open 1 heart partner will bid 1NT opps will bid spades 3 Spades now south should bid 4 diamonds West should raise to 4 spades. North is not vul so 5 Diamonds is a great sacrifice. This hand is not a game-force hand even though the hand is quite strong. It also has two suits as is easier to show your shape if you start with 1 Heart.

A hand from the Metro North Interclub Challenge

North V	
♠ A K 9 7 3 ♥ Q ♦ Q J 9 7 ♣ A K 3	
West D V	East V
♠ 8 5 ♥ K 6 5 3 ♦ 10 5 ♣ J 10 7 6 2	♠ 6 4 2 ♥ 10 8 2 ♦ A 8 6 4 3 ♣ Q 4
South V	
♠ Q J 10 ♥ A J 9 7 4 ♦ K 2 ♣ 9 8 5	

HCPs		
19		
4	6	
	11	

West will pass. North should open 1 Spade. East will pass. Depending on your system, I 3 hearts as invitational raise 10-12 HCP. So has a very strong hand and second suit. An was feeling frisky and decided to ask partner Aces. Partner has 1 Ace and North decides give 6 spades a go.

	♣	♦	♥	♠	NT
North	2	4	5	6	5
South	2	4	5	6	5
East	-	-	-	-	-
West	-	-	-	-	-

Always aim to be friendly and supportive at the bridge table—your partner will play their b when they feel encouraged, and a positive attitude makes the game enjoyable for everyone.



Brush up on your Bridge rules with our new tiger

Pick up a flyer at East Lindfield or The Willis



MONTHLY WINNERS

Congratulations to the following players who were the overall Monthly Winners for their session.

East Lindfield Monday 10.00 AM Rookie - Bernie Egan / Patrick Lockley
East Lindfield Monday 1.00 PM Open - Neil Williams / Peter Fitzmaurice
East Lindfield Monday 7.00 PM Supervised - Alison Maine / Jenny Clarke
East Lindfield Tuesday 1.30 PM Rookie - Monica Vilensky / Ilia Vilensky
East Lindfield Wednesday 10.00 AM Open - Janet Rowlatt / Shirley Lau
East Lindfield Thursday 10.00 AM Rookie - Nicky O'Brien / Lyn Solomon
East Lindfield Thursday 10.00 AM Supervised - Nadia Lorenzutta / Manisha Dias
East Lindfield Thursday 1.00 PM Open - Garry Viner / Janet Crocker
East Lindfield Saturday 1.00 PM Open - Neil Williams / Robyn Rogers
East Lindfield Saturday 1.00 PM Supervised - Julian Walter / Janet Burton
The Willis Monday 1.15 PM Rookie - Margaret Easton / Jennifer Hoffmann
The Willis Tuesday 12.30 PM Open - Gwen Cordingley / Lidia Punturiero
The Willis Wednesday 12.30 PM Open - Maryann Vella / Fiona Russell
Online Mon 10.00 am Open - Ed Truscott / David Smee
Online Mon 1.30 pm Open - John Scotford / Liz Wilkinson
Online Mon 2.00 pm Rookie - David Craig / Anne Craig
Online Tue 1.30 pm Open - Lori Smith / Arjuna De Livera
Online Tue 2.00 pm Rookie - Peter Burton / David Cahill
Online Tue 7.00 pm Restricted - Jan Pammer / Rosemary Mayes
Online Wed 1.30 pm Open - David Osie / Steven Bock
Online Wed 2.00 pm Rookie - Rose Braude / Tricia Higgins
Online Wed 7.00 pm Open - Judy Osie / David Osie
Online Thu 1.30 pm Open - Judy Osie / Rena Kaplan
Online Thu 1.30 pm Restricted - Denise Reilly / David Boyle
Online Fri 1.30 pm Open - Les Grewcock / Helen Milward
Online Sat 1.30 pm Open - Lynn Kalmin / Lester Kalmin

MASTERPOINT PROMOTIONS

Congratulations to the following members on their promotions.

Ann Lockley to Silver Local Master
Anne Perkowski to Regional Master
Baron Gold to Graduate Master
Bernie Egan to Local Master
Dee Zachert to Regional Master
Geoff Robbins to Graduate Master
Gerry Ryman to Bronze Local Master
Harley McHutchison to Bronze Local Master
Helen Freeman to Local Master
Janine Cooper to Club Master
Jean Hall to Regional Master
Jill Hawker to Graduate Master
Kelsey Chen to Bronze Life Master
Margaret Goodrick to Graduate Master
Nina Menzies to Club Master
Noreen Wallace to Bronze Local Master

Herbert Haines to Bronze Local Master
Pam Ranney to Bronze Regional Master
Pat Nosworthy to Bronze Local Master
Peter Koorey to Bronze State Master
Sharon Davis to Club Master

NEW MEMBERS

A warm welcome to our new members this month.

Per Amundsen - Turramurra
John Clubb - Belrose
Michele Coleman - Northbridge
Anthony Dodds - Roseville
Craig Duly - Gordon
Kaye Heath - Bilgola Plateau
Maureen Palmer - Cammery
Donna Sun - East Killara
Cameron Webb - Willoughby East
Kate Withinshaw - Chatswood
Ling Xu - McKellar



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