

North Shore Bridge Club Newsletter



8 November 2023

Greetings Members,

As the end of another year approaches attention turns to our traditional end of year events:

Erebus Memorial/Charity Day. Sunday 26 November

This year's charity is the Salvation Army, who have provided us with a list of suitable items for donation. This list can be found on our website, there are hard copies available on the table next to the water cooler, and the list also appears on the noticeboard alongside the poster advertising the day.

There will not be a raffle this year. However, for those wishing to make a cash donation, a donation box will be available. The entry fee of \$10 will be paid via your Compa\$\$ account.

Play will start at 1:00 pm. Please sign up (on the noticeboard), with or without a partner, if you are intending to play. Visitors are welcome. Nibbles and drinks will be served at the end of play.

Prize Giving

In the second week of December on the final programmed session for the year.

If you have not already done so please clean and return any trophies you may be holding so that they may be engraved with the names of this year's winners in time for presentation.

Helpers - Thank you.

Wednesday 14 December 4-6pm. Invitations have been sent out.

Holiday Bridge

Tuesday 19 December & Friday 22 December, 11:00 a.m. start. Partner is not required. Visitors welcome.

...looking further ahead to February 2024...

Improvers

The Improvers course will run for 10 weeks, 13 February - 16 April 2024.
Tuesday evenings 7.15- 9.15.

Cost \$100. Details on the website and on the noticeboard. To enrol please email nshorebridge@gmail.com or phone Heather Richards on 021-028 34811.

R. I. P.

The club acknowledges the recent passing of 2 long-term members:
Lorna Haslam and Pam Collman.

NSBC sends condolences to the families of both Lorna and Pam.

Recent results

Junior/ Intermediate Tournaments - sponsored by Northbridge

Intermediate Tournament

- 1st Emma Russell & Bigi Cameron (Mt Albert)
- 2nd Angela Signal & Rob Davies (Papatoetoe)
- 3rd Marilyn Janmaat & Ken Durbin (NSBC)

Junior Tournament

- 1st Gabrielle & Mark Bercich (NSBC)
- 2nd Sharon Gray & Raneë Wijekoon (Mt Albert)
- 3rd Liz Boulton & Ash Barnes (NSBC)

North Harbour Teams Challenge Trophy

- 1st North Shore Bridge Club
- 2nd Orewa Bridge Club
- 3rd East Coast Bays Bridge Club

...Tuesday players please note...

Robyn McKenzie, who is our partner arranger for the Tuesday session, will be away from 16 November. Ann Agmen-Smith (489 9554, 027 497 1021) will take over that role from 16 November until the end of the bridge year.

May all your slams be grand.

Richard Ryan
President NSBC