



INVERCARGILL CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB

AUGUST 2014 NEWSLETTER

STARTING TIME

You should be seated 10 minutes prior to the start of the session.

This enables :

- the movement to be set
- the bridgemates to be put out
- the boards to be put out
- any table number alterations to be made

SILVER RESERVE

If you play on a Tuesday night in Silver Reserve please email the club your preferred starting time:

Option 1: 7.15 p.m

Option 2: 7.30 p.m

If you do not have access to a computer please ensure your name and signature are legible on the option sheet available in the playing room. A second non-binding referendum is being undertaken as the committee were told that the 47/48 who voted to start at 7.15 p.m. when surveyed on 15 July were not a fair representation of Tuesday night players!

IMPROVER'S CLASSES

These will take place on consecutive Fridays 12 and 19 September starting sharp at 7.00 p.m. You do not need to put your name down or come with a partner but obviously attending with the person you play with most often should be of mutual benefit to your partnership going forward. Topics to be covered listed on the whiteboard.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fri 12 September Improver's Class

Fri 19 September Improver's Class

Sat 27 September Club Tournament

Fri 31 October Babich NZ Wide Pairs 5A

Wed 5 November AGM

Sat 8 November ILT Sponsored Tournament

Sun 16 November Evans Trophy (at WINTON)

Sat 22 November Officemax Swiss Pairs 5A

HOUSEKEEPING

If **YOU** use the microwave or oven please ensure **YOU** clean up after yourself.

2015 COMMITTEE

From time to time I receive comments about your committee. Your opportunity to influence and have a hand in making decisions is fast approaching with our AGM scheduled to take place on 5 November.

We need a balanced committee: men/women
silver/silver reserve members
newer/longstanding members
people with opinions not just "yes" people.

Please contact me at any time if you wish to put your name forward for the committee.

2015 EVENTS

If you particularly enjoyed or didn't, an event this year or missed something we ran in the past let us know as we prepare the programme for next year. Maybe you have played at or been a member of another club, don't be shy in telling us what works elsewhere as we are keen to give you as many and varied opportunities as possible to play.



We still need for our 2015 roster : Computer Operators
Card Dealers
Directors

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TOYWORLD INVERCARGILL – Diana Easson (Silver Reserve)

BOWMONT WHOLESALE MEATS

FOVEAUX COMMUNICATIONS LTD – Robyn Reidie (Silver)

ROWENA JACKSON RETIREMENT VILLAGE

I would like to wish all those attending the National Congress an enjoyable time and I look forward to reading of your successes as the week progresses.

Yvonne Hughes

President