

INVERCARGILL CONTRACT BRIDGE CLUB OCTOBER 2014 NEWSLETTER

Congratulations

Wow, as you will all know by now our club has 2 NZ Champions with Kerry Cartwright and Paul Tomlinson winning the Intermediate pairs. Robyn Reidie and Sue Scott were 3^{rd} in the Swiss pairs, Moss Wylie 6^{th} in the NZ pairs and Vicki Bouton was a member of a team which played in the final top 12 losing in the first round to the eventual winners. Ka pail

Start times

Discussion has taken place following the poll which confirmed the previous desire for the earlier starting time on Tuesday night which will now remain.

You are reminded for ALL sessions we would recommend you be seated at least 10 minutes prior to start time, filling the tables from Table 1. Directors should not have to rearrange table numbers or where people are seated. Working out the movement and distributing boards and Bridgemates is enough for them to be occupied with. Play your part and sit at the next available table.

Friday Night Classes

I would like to thank, on behalf of those who attended, Anne Somerville for the time she put into this to make it such a success as we saw by the turnout of 6 full tables. Anne was helped by Geoff, Jill and Marilyn. It is proposed to repeat this sometime in the future.

Suggestion box

Remember in the foyer the little wooden box. Please use this if you have any compliments, complaints, questions or suggestions. Maybe you would like the starting time on a different session reconsidered or you have a topic for a future Improvers' class or the bar may not stock your beverage of choice or sugar is not your preferred sweetener. The Committee may not support you but if we don't know about it we can't consider it.

Building Development update

Funds approved: Southern Trust \$20,000

Community Trust of Southland up to \$23,400

Decision pending: ILT

Lotteries Commission

Upcoming events

Friday	31 October	Babich Wines NZ Wide Pairs	5A Open
Wednesday	5 November	AGM	
Saturday	8 November	ILT Sponsored Tournament	
Sunday	9 November	Open Day	
Sunday	16 November	Evans Trophy (at Winton)	
Saturday	22 November	OfficeMax Swiss Pairs	5A Open
Saturday	17 January	Otago/Southland Swiss Pairs	10A Open

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Rowena Jackson Retirement Village

AGM

Please ensure your diary is alerted now to attend and participate in this important event.

Yvonne Hughes,

President.