

## APRIL 2025 NEWSLETTER

A very short newsletter from me this month but see the Bridge and Tournament News from Jane Windle attached.

## Mid South Island Teams - First Call of Expressions of Interest

This is being held on 6 July at Oamaru and we are calling for expressions of interest to play in the event - we need a team in the Open, Intermediate and Junior categories.

If you are interested in being considered please put your name up on the list on the tournaments board.

## 1C and 1NT Opening

Don't forget that you must announce what your partner's 1C and 1NT opening bids mean. For example when your partner opens with 1C you say:

that is four or more cards in Clubs; or

1C could be 2+ cards in Clubs because we play 5 card majors (meaning that you need 5H or 5S in your hand before you can open 1H or 1S and your default bid is 1C)

Regards Alison Secretary