# Orewa Bridge Club (Inc)

## October Newsletter

### Hello Everyone,

The end of the year approaches, and the Annual General Meeting will take place the 11th November at 12 noon to occur before the afternoon bridge session. Play will commence at the close the meeting.

This will be the first face to face AGM since 2020. On the notice boards there are forms for placing nominations for committee members for 2023 and the minutes from last years online AGM. Please think about joining the committee as four members are standing down and new members will be very welcome. If you wish to raise any points at the meeting, please contact Mike England, secretary, so it can be added to the agenda.

### Random Seating Returns...

As we are now averaging 14 tables an afternoon session and the movement means that we play each pair only once there is no further need for assigned seating which tried to address the issues when pairs were playing each other sometimes two or three times. So, from now on please sit where you want (except when asked by the director to sit in a specific place) and of course you must toss for seating, winners to sit N/S.

Do we have any keen gardeners amongst our members? The flower bed at the front of the building needs some care and attention and oversight. If you can assist, please let me know, we would appreciate the help.

#### Tournament Sunday 30th October

Our tournament is taking place on the 30th of this month. It is a 3A/5B tournament which means it is a separate competition for open players, and another for Intermediates and Juniors. Depending upon the entries prizes for Intermediate/Junior or Junior /Junior pairs will be considered. Entries can be made online through NZBridge or by simply adding your names to the list on the notice board.

Also, just to remind you, our last Sunday of the month afternoon tournament will not take place this month.

Regards Judith Hollyer