Orewa Bridge Club Newsletter July 2020

Hello everyone,

It is very enjoyable to have our regular bridge schedule back on track, and with 16-20 tables regularly filled each session it seems that we are back to 'normal'. Let's hope it continues this way, and that we are all cautious by regularly using the hand sanitisers around the room, and by not attending if feeling cold or fluey.

New Members:

Welcome to the following new members who have recently joined the club. Tony Power, Steve & Molly Timmins, Norm Scott-Morrison, Joy Stevens, Alf Stamp, Lorraine Forbes, John & Sue Humphrey, CV & Aruna Shah, and Rosalie Widger.

We hope they enjoy the competition and sociability of the club for a long while.

Sunday Tournament:

The monthly Sunday afternoon tournament will next be played on Sunday 26th July. It is a one session tournament beginning at 1:00pm with a wine and cheese afternoon tea at the close. \$5 entry. This tournament is a very friendly social event so perhaps a perfect thing to do on a winter's afternoon.

Handicaps:

The list of current handicaps used for the handicap competitions is on the notice board for members to view. This list will not be updated/amended until the end of the year due to the interruption caused by lockdown.

Almoner:

Margaret Rogers fulfils this very important position for the club. Please keep her informed of any members that may need a bit of help or TLC through illness or accident so that we can be supportive to our club members and friends.

Club Constitution:

As a part of the process of reviewing club policies the committee is currently looking at the club constitution. When completed this will be available for perusal by members, at least a month before the AGM in November.

Just a reminder that members are encouraged to make suggestions about the functioning of the club by either writing a comment and placing it in the suggestion box which is placed by the results wall, or alternatively by emailing your suggestion to Mike England at orewabc@xtra.co.nz

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