Newsletter Malanda Bridge Club

Huge congratulations and recognition must go to Marg and Sonja, for winning the Butler pairs 0-500 MPs in the Gold Coast Congress, February 2019. Trish & Sue, Leon & Netta also travelled to the Gold Coast Congress.

A very good time was had by all!!



Dinner dance, Gold Coast 2019

GO FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND!



Ist & 2nd 0-500 MPs Butler Pairs



Sonja and Marg with perpetual trophy

Upcoming Events

April 1 & 8 – Handicap Pairs Championship Zonal Events

April 6 GNOTS Qualifying – Tablelands April 13-14 GNOTS Qualifying – Cairns May 27 GNOTS Qualifying - Malanda Barrier Reef Congress

May 3-6 - Cairns

Birthdays

January: MargA, Beryl, Meike & Marg M February: Sonja, Lynn, May M, Ann R

March: Sue Hosie, Tony, Josie R, Veronica & Stewart

Of Interest

World champion bridge player Kate McCullum was asked what advice she would give Australian bridge players. Her reply was:-

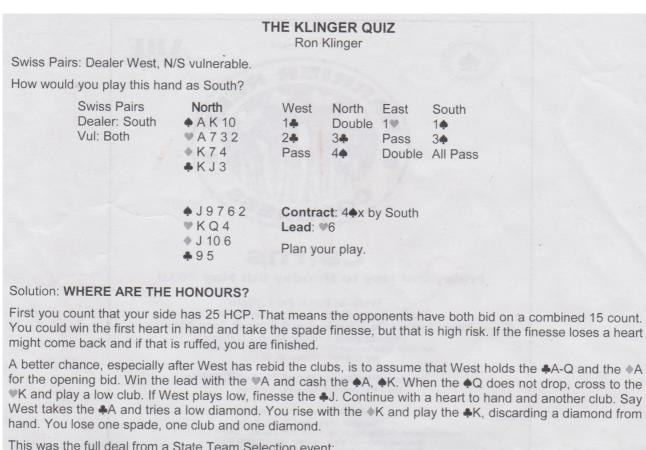
- . Work Hard
- . Bid more aggressively
- .Talk bridge with better players
- . Bid your cards. Play with confidence, accept your mistakes. It's a game of mistakes accept them and moved on.
- . Don't be afraid to look stupid look at your errors as learning opportunities.
- . Slow down and think before you act especially at trick one. Many errors are avoidable if you take the time to construct the unseen hands.
- .Play with your partnership have what your partner expects you to have
- EVERY time. Don't have solo flights of fancy.
- .Focus on partnerships. Treat your partner as the best player in the world and your results will improve. Understand partners point of view when there is a mistake.
- .Build team spirit and take care of the weakest link; individuals don't win, partnerships don't win, a team does. Study team sports and how they win as a team.

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How many bridge players do you need to change a light bulb?? 4 – 1 to change the bulb and 3 to tell him how he could have done it better!

Accept the challenges, so you can feel the exhilaration of VICTORY!

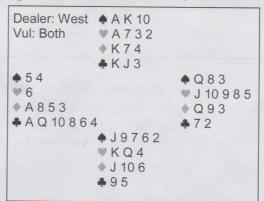
Sue is conducting lessons on Multi-2s and 2 over 1 - held at RSL on Mondays at 11am



This was the full deal from a State Team Selection event:

The defence can defeat 4, but the opening lead has to be a diamond. That is very unlikely in practice.

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HAPPY BRIDGING TILL NEXT TIME!!

AND REMEMBER ----

ENJOY BRIDGE - IT'S ONLY A CARD GAME.