

## Crockfords Notices for week starting 27 August 2018

**PAT MCKEE:** It is with great sadness that we inform you that Pat McKee passed away on Saturday. She has been a great supporter and a loyal, long time member of Crockfords Bridge Club for many years. Pat has always given generously to the club in many ways, organizing flowers and doing the lovely posy arrangements for Xmas, getting end of year trophies ready for presentation, being a partner finder par excellence and more. We will miss her greatly. Pat's funeral is this Thursday, we believe, at Lamb & Hayward at 2.00pm. There will be no bridge on Thursday afternoon to enable people to attend Pat's funeral.

### **ASHBURTON TOURNAMENT held on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August.**

Congratulations to the following winners: David Price & Richard Williams who came 1<sup>st</sup> and Doug Williams & Catherine Lods who came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Intermediate/Junior pairs (Blue section) and Sam Gurney & Margaret Fraser who came 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Intermediate/Intermediate pairs (Yellow section). Well done everyone.

**NOLA MATHER TOURNAMENT:** As there was a clash with the improvers classes this has now been changed to Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 1.00pm. This is a handicap tournament for Crockfords Members only. \$10.00 per player. For afternoon tea please bring a plate per pair. Entry form is on the notice board in the foyer. Entries close on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September at midday.

**PROGRAMME BOOK:** The 2019 programme book is now being prepared. Please check this year's book and notify the office (Carol) of any corrections, i.e. change of address or phone number. Phone: 348 7478 or email [crockfords@xtra.co.nz](mailto:crockfords@xtra.co.nz)

**IMPROVERS LESSONS:** The next set of Improvers lessons will be held on Friday, 31<sup>st</sup> August, 7 September and 14 September at 7.00pm. Cost is \$10 per class. Please advise the office if you wish to attend, so that you can receive handouts, [crockfords@xtra.co.nz](mailto:crockfords@xtra.co.nz) or phone: 348 7478 also see notice board for list.

1<sup>st</sup> Lesson: Opening Leads

2<sup>nd</sup> Lesson: Signals & Discards

3<sup>rd</sup> Lesson: Defensive 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Play

**CHANGE OF PARTNER FINDERS: Tuesday night:** Barbara Geddes, phone 325 5728. Leave a message on this phone only. **Thursday Afternoon:** June Dorward, phone 342 7572

**Other up-coming Tournaments:** *Check the flyers on the notice board for details.*

**OTAGO BRIDGE CLUB – NATIONAL 15A Pairs – Saturday 1<sup>st</sup>/Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**

**RANGIORA BRIDGE CLUB Spring Social Tournament - Tuesday 4 September**

**WAIMATE BRIDGE CLUB All Grades Tournament: Sunday 9 September**

**DARFIELD SPRING TOURNAMENT – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September**

**CANTERBURY REGIONAL PAIRS – 10A Tournament – Saturday 15 September**

**METHVEN CROQUET CLUB BRIDGE LUNCHEON – Friday 21 September**

**LINCOLN CHARITY BRIDGE TOURNAMENT & LUNCHEON – Friday 28 September**

**NZ BRIDGE for Novice Players – Hamilton Congress – Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September**