

Broadwater Bridge Club Inc.

ABF Club No. 4-508

Sessions at Community Centre Upper Coomera Qld 4209

Management Committee:

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Regular Sessions **Monday: 9:15 for 9:30 start**

Playing Times: **Tuesday: 9:15 for 9:30 start**

For the payment of subscriptions or tickets, by EFT:

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IMPORTANT NOTES

- 1 In accordance with the Laws of Bridge and for the benefit of all attending our playing sessions, players should maintain a courteous attitude at all times and avoid remarks and actions that might cause annoyance or embarrassment to others or might interfere with their enjoyment of the game
- 2 If you think there has been an infraction of the Laws, call the Director before taking any other action.
- 3 The ruling of the Director must be accepted at the Table.
- 4 Only Club Members are eligible to play in Club Championship or Teams Events. New Members nominated, with all fees and subscriptions paid, but not yet formally accepted as members may, at the discretion of the Director, be permitted to play in those events.
- 5 **Players are to be seated 15 minutes before the starting time for play.**
- 6 If an incorrect score is entered into the Bridgmate, and cannot be corrected, the details must be advised to the scorer on the form provided and confirmed by both pairs. If a score is disputed this must be reported to the Director during play.
- 7 Discussion of boards should be postponed until all boards for that round have been played provided there is time before the move is called - and then only in a way not audible to those at nearby tables.
- 8 When the Timer is in use and the 3 minute warning bell has sounded, the hand must be abandoned if the lead card has not been tabled. The Director must be called to enter an adjusted score for the missed board.
- 9 Complaints must be forwarded in writing to the Secretary and not given verbally to a member of the Committee.

ADVICE FOR NEW MEMBERS

- 1 Dress Standard is smart casual.
- 2 Cards must be counted face down before each hand.
- 3 The opening lead is to be made face down before play of each hand.
- 4 The North-South pair is to be responsible for placing and moving boards.
- 5 North or South is to have custody of, and enter the result of each hand into, the Bridgemate. East or West is to check the entry and confirm or request a correction if it is in error.
- 6 As **infringements of ethics or etiquette** by inexperienced players can occur either through inadvertence or insufficient knowledge please be aware that:
 - Communication between partners during the auction and play should be effected only by means of proper calls and plays. Avoid communication by eye contact.
 - Calls and play should be made without special emphasis, mannerism or inflection and without undue hesitation or haste. Bid and play as nearly as possible in an even tempo.
 - It is highly unethical to attempt to mislead an opponent by means of haste or hesitancy e.g. hesitating or fumbling before playing a singleton or a worthless doubleton or giving the impression you have when you do not, say, the K when declarer is playing to A Q on the table.
 - You should not volunteer information that should only be given in response to a question, or ask for information when it is not your turn to call or play, or, as dummy, touch a card in the open hand before receiving instruction from declarer, or look at another player's hand after it has been put back in the board.

JANUARY, 2024					
New Years Day		Monday	1	Friday	5
		Tuesday	2	Saturday	6
		Wednesday	3	Sunday	7
		Thursday	4		
Monday	8	** First Day ** Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	9	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	10	Saturday	13
		Thursday	11	Sunday	14
		Friday	12		
Monday	15	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	16	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	17	Saturday	20
		Thursday	18	Sunday	21
		Friday	19		
Monday	22	Normal Duplicate [GNOT at SPBC]			
Tuesday	23	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	24	Saturday	27
		Thursday	25	Sunday	28
Australia Day		Friday	26		
Monday	29	Normal Duplicate [GNOT at SPBC]			
Tuesday	30	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	31		

FEBRUARY, 2024					
		Thursday	1	Saturday	3
GNOT at SPBC		Friday	2	Sunday	4
Monday	5	Normal Duplicate [GNOT at SPBC]			
Tuesday	6	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	7	Saturday	10
		Thursday	8	Sunday	11
		Friday	9		
Monday	12	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	13	President's Red Pt Pairs Trophy Best Novice %age (50 pts)			
Gold Coast Congress 18th - 24th		Wednesday	14	Saturday	17
		Thursday	15	Sunday	18
		Friday	16		
Monday	19	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	20	Normal Duplicate			
Gold Coast Congress 18th - 24th		Wednesday	21	Saturday	24
		Thursday	22	Sunday	25
		Friday	23		
Monday	26	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	27	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	28		
		Thursday	29		

MARCH, 2024					
		Friday	1	Saturday	2
				Sunday	3
Monday	4	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	5	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	6	Saturday	9
		Thursday	7		
		Friday	8	Sunday	10
Monday	11	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	12	Normal Duplicate [GNOT at GCBC]			
		Wednesday	13	Saturday	16
		Thursday	14		
		Friday	15	Sunday	17
Monday	18	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	19	Normal Duplicate [GNOT at GCBC]			
		Wednesday	20	Saturday	23
		Thursday	21		
		Friday	22	Sunday	24
Monday	25	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	26	Normal Duplicate [GNOT at GCBC]			
		Wednesday	27	Saturday	30
		Thursday	28		
		Friday	29	Sunday	31
Easter Weekend					

APRIL, 2024

Monday	1	Easter Monday ** Normal Duplicate			
** Hall availability to be confirmed on Public Holidays					
Tuesday	2	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	3	Saturday	6
		Thursday	4		
		Friday	5	Sunday	7
Monday	8	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	9	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	10	Saturday	13
		Thursday	11		
		Friday	12	Sunday	14
Monday	15	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	16	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	17	Saturday	20
		Thursday	18		
		Friday	19	Sunday	21
Monday	22	Club Red Pt Teams Championship (1/2)			
Tuesday	23	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	24	Saturday	27
Anzac Day		Thursday	25		
		Friday	26	Sunday	28
Monday	29	Club Red Pt Teams Championship (2/2)			
Tuesday	30	Normal Duplicate			

MAY, 2024					
Labour Day		Wednesday	1	Saturday	4
		Thursday	2	Sunday	5
		Friday	3		
Monday	6	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	7	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	8	Saturday	11
		Thursday	9	Sunday	12
		Friday	10		
Monday	13	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	14	Inter-Club Red Pt Pairs			
		Wednesday	15	Saturday	18
		Thursday	16	Sunday	19
		Friday	17		
Monday	20	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	21	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	22	Saturday	25
		Thursday	23	Sunday	26
		Friday	24		
Monday	27	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	28	Normal Duplicate			
GNOT at SPBC		Wednesday	29		
		Thursday	30		
		Friday	31		

JUNE, 2024				
			Saturday	1
			Sunday	2
Monday	3	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	4	Normal Duplicate		
	GNOT at SPBC	Wednesday	5	Saturday
		Thursday	6	Sunday
		Friday	7	Sunday
Monday	10	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	11	Normal Duplicate		
	GNOT at SPBC	Wednesday	12	Saturday
		Thursday	13	Sunday
		Friday	14	Sunday
Monday	17	Mixed Teams Red Pts (Whist)		
Tuesday	18	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	19	Saturday
		Thursday	20	Sunday
		Friday	21	Sunday
Monday	24	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	25	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	26	Saturday
		Thursday	27	Sunday
		Friday	28	Sunday
			Saturday	29
			Sunday	30

JULY, 2024				
Monday	1	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	2	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	3	Saturday
		Thursday	4	Sunday
		Friday	5	Sunday
Monday	8	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	9	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	10	Saturday
		Thursday	11	Sunday
		Friday	12	Sunday
Monday	15	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	16	Club Winter Red Pt Pairs		
		Wednesday	17	Saturday
		Thursday	18	Sunday
		Friday	19	Sunday
		GNOT at GCBC		
Monday	22	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	23	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	24	Saturday
		Thursday	25	Sunday
		Friday	26	Sunday
		GNOT at GCBC		
Monday	29	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	30	[Christmas in July] Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	31	

AUGUST, 2024					
		Thursday	1	Saturday	3
GNOT at GCBC		Friday	2	Sunday	4
Monday	5	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	6	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	7	Saturday	10
		Thursday	8		
		Friday	9	Sunday	11
Monday	12	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	13	Normal Duplicate			
Ekka Wednesday		Wednesday	14	Saturday	17
		Thursday	15		
		Friday	16	Sunday	18
Monday	19	Club August Red Pt Pairs			
Tuesday	20	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	21	Saturday	24
		Thursday	22		
GNOT Zone Final at GCBC		Friday	23	Sunday	25
Monday	26	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	27	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	28	Saturday	31
		Thursday	29		
Gold Coast Show Day		Friday	30		

SEPTEMBER, 2024				
			Sunday	1
Monday	2	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	3	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	4	Saturday
		Thursday	5	
		Friday	6	Sunday
				8
Monday	9	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	10	Club September Red Pt Pairs		
		Wednesday	11	Saturday
		Thursday	12	
		Friday	13	Sunday
				15
Monday	16	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	17	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	18	Saturday
		Thursday	19	
		Friday	20	Sunday
				22
Monday	23	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	24	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	25	Saturday
		Thursday	26	
		Friday	27	Sunday
				29
Monday	30	Normal Duplicate		

OCTOBER, 2024

Tuesday	1	Normal Duplicate			
Tamborine Mtn Inter-Club Invitational		Wednesday	2	Saturday	5
		Thursday	3		
		Friday	4	Sunday	6
Monday	7	King's Birthday** Normal Duplicate			
** Hall availability to be confirmed on Public Holidays					
Tuesday	8	Club Spring Teams Red Points (1/2)			
		Wednesday	9	Saturday	12
		Thursday	10		
		Friday	11	Sunday	13
Monday	14	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	15	Club Spring Teams Red Points (2/2)			
		Wednesday	16	Saturday	19
		Thursday	17		
		Friday	18	Sunday	20
Monday	21	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	22	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	23	Saturday	26
		Thursday	24		
		Friday	25	Sunday	27
Monday	28	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	29	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	30		
		Thursday	31		

NOVEMBER, 2024					
		Friday	1	Saturday	2
				Sunday	3
Monday	4	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	5	NO BRIDGE - MELBOURNE CUP DAY			
		Wednesday	6	Saturday	9
		Thursday	7		
		Friday	8	Sunday	10
Monday	11	Club Red Pt Pairs Championship (1/2)			
Tuesday	12	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	13	Saturday	16
		Thursday	14		
		Friday	15	Sunday	17
Monday	18	Club Red Pt Pairs Championship (2/2)			
Tuesday	19	Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	20	Saturday	23
		Thursday	21		
		Friday	22	Sunday	24
Monday	25	Normal Duplicate			
Tuesday	26	AGM followed by Normal Duplicate			
		Wednesday	27	Saturday	30
		Thursday	28		
		Friday	29		

DECEMBER, 2024				
			Sunday	1
Monday	2	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	3	Normal Duplicate		
		Wednesday	4	Saturday
		Thursday	5	Sunday
		Friday	6	Sunday
Monday	9	Normal Duplicate		
Tuesday	10	Normal Duplicate		
Christmas Lunch Venue to be decided		Wednesday	11	Saturday
		Thursday	12	Sunday
		Friday	13	Sunday
Monday	16	[LAST PLAYING MONDAY] Normal Duplicate (drinks after)		
Tuesday	17	[LAST PLAYING TUESDAY] Normal Duplicate (drinks after)		
RECOMMENCE MONDAY JANUARY 6 th 2025				

Gold Coast GNOT heats for 2024 are:

- Heat 1: Mondays at SPBC: January 22nd, 29th & February 5th
- Heat 2: Tuesdays at GCBC: March 12th, 19th & 26th
- Heat 3: Wednesdays at SPBC: May 29th & June 5th & 12th
- Heat 4: Fridays at GCBC: July 19th, 26th & August 2nd
- Zone Final: Friday SPBC: August 23rd (all day)