

Wagga Wagga Bridge Club



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NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2025

SESSION TIMES:

Monday 6.45 for 7.00 pm start

Tuesday 12.45 for 1.00 pm start

Thursday 5.30 PM, Supervised

Thursday – 6.45 for 7.00 pm start

Friday 12.45 for 1.00 pm start

Saturday: 12.45 for 1.00 pm start - contact K McMahon 0427 284226 to book in

Need a partner: Register on Pianola Partner Finder or phone Valerie Cook

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Canberra F of B Results:

Under 300 MP Pairs:

2nd Ann Berry & Bev Furner



2nd: M Pickering, A M Stevenson, J Rosetta, C Githens.



Open Teams:

1st G Riordan, A Berry, E Moss, B Furner.

Wagga Wagga Teams Results:

- 1st D Grady, J Davis, P Brady, N Beazley
- 2nd M Francis, J Rava, J Bowen, F Ronald
- 3rd B Dietch, M Smithson, S Burns,
R Sogal
- 4th C Brown, B Heriot, H B-Davey,
P Cannon
- 5th M Roughan, V Cook, M Hardy,
A McDonald
- 6th B Adams, I Hamilton, M Foster,
D Singh
- 7th M Jenkins, J Robertson,
G McKenzie, P Gibson

The next Teams Event will be held on Tuesday 22 April.

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Gold Coast Congress February:

The 63rd GCC is possibly the last in the size and nature of many years. It is hoped by 2027 there will be news of future GC Congresses. There were 14 Wagga Wagga Members competing in this event, with mixed results. Ann Berry and Bev Furner won the Bobby Richmam Pairs Final F.

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Upcoming events: *for your Diary*

Tuesday 25 February:

The Annual General Meeting will commence at 12.00. A ballot will be necessary to select Committee Members.

Voting at the AGM for the committee positions is to be in person or by phone arranged prior to the meeting. Voting over the phone will have to be pre- arranged with a member and they will be able to complete a voting form on behalf of the member.

See below for **Ballot form and nominees.**

The ballot paper will be handed out at the meeting.

Bridge will commence at 1.00 pm and will be no charge.

Bridge Beginner Lessons for new or resuming players:

Georgina will be starting beginner lessons as follows:

Commencing Monday 3 March

From 7.00 – 9.30 pm

For 11 weeks, at Bridge Clubhouse

Cost – FREE

Contact Susan McMahon on

smcm186@gmail.com (preferred) or

0427 284225, if you know of anyone wishing to learn.

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Sunday 9 March:

Club Championship Pairs – Red Point event – Starting time 9.30 am.

Sat & Sun 15 & 16 March:

Bateman’s Bay Congress

Sunday 6 April:

Club Championship Teams – Red Point event – Starting time 9.30 am.

Thursday 10 April to Sunday 13 April:

Central West Festival of Bridge at Orange.

Tuesday 22 April:

Club Teams event

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Defibrillator:

Thanks to WWCC Grants, our Club now has a defibrillator. Training sessions will be held, and you will be advised of when this is being provided.

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Air Conditioning:

It’s hard to please everyone with the temperature! With Air Conditioners on, Tables 4 and 6 can be cold, so choose your table carefully! The Director is in charge of the AC.

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Dishwasher: Any member can put dishwasher on.

It is preferable to place mugs on the bottom shelf and glasses on the top shelf. Thanks for your assistance.

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Wagga Wagga Bridge Club Congress: Fri 23 to Sun 25 May:
Check out our Web site and entries may be made on this site.
The Congress will be held at the RSL Club. Good to get your entries in early.

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Welfare:
Happy Birthday Bert – 101 on 23 February.



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Best wishes for other Members celebrating birthdays and any special moments and events.
If you are aware of any member who has a special celebration or health issues please advise Anne-marie Stevenson.

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"People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel." (the late American Civil Rights poet Maya Angelou)

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See below for Ballot paper, and for Congress Brochure. ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓



BALLOT FORM
WWBC 2025
COMMITTEE MEMBERS
(please select 7 nominees only)

Name of nominee (alphabetical order)	Please tick
Judy Birks	
Bruce Boyton	
Barb Heriot	
Amy Holman	
Susan McMahon	
Liz Moss	
Judy Robertson	
Anne-Marie Stevenson	
Rose Sogal	



Invites you to the
46th Annual Congress at
Wagga Wagga RSL Club
30 Dobbs St, Wagga Wagga ♠ 026923700 on
Saturday and Sunday 24th-25th May 2025

Director: Daryl Whitfield

Convenor: John Currie jcurrie1947@gmail.com;
0418694751

Online entry: www.myabf.com.au/go/wwcong

♣ Entries close: 20th May♣

Congress conducted under the auspices of Bridge NSW with that body's terms
and conditions to apply.

Please bring your system card. No yellow system permitted.

PROGRAM

Walk-in Pairs: (online entry helpful, but walk-ins welcome.)

Friday, 23rd May at Wagga Wagga Bridge Club, 7 Bolton St, Wagga Wagga
Time: 6.45pm for 7pm start Entry
Cost: \$10 per person

Beyond Bank Swiss Pairs

Saturday, 25th May at RSL Club
Registration: 10 am for 10.30 am start
Entry cost: \$60 per person
Prizes awarded to Open; Restricted<300MP; Novice<100MP Best local pair out of the money.

GrainCorp Swiss Teams

Sunday, 26th May at RSL Club
Registration: 9am for 9.15 am start
Entry Cost: \$60 per person
Prizes awarded to Open; Restricted<600MP total; Novice<200MP total Best local team out of the money.

Lunch provided both days. Please advise of dietary needs in advance.

Payment by ABF credits or by direct debit to:

Wagga Wagga Bridge Club
BSB 325-185 Account
No 38701379

Please include your ABF number in the payment reference.

