# Thames Bridge Club Newsletter – No 2025/29

## Games for Week 29

**31 August 2025** 

Monday 1 September: Round 2 of the Pauline Yorke Individual Tuesday 2 September: Final Round of the Poulgrain Cup - Individual Thursday 4 September: Round 1 of the September Handicap Pairs

## **Club Results 25 to 29 August**

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25 August Pauline Yorke Handicap Pairs Round 1

N/S E/W

1st: Beth Tompkin & Nancy Davenport 56.9 Nita Knight & Josie McKenzie 58.82

2<sup>nd</sup>: Chris Good & Claudine Dean 54.24 Lorraine Dixon & Jane Browne 53.11

3<sup>rd</sup>: Pat Johansen & Greg Davenport 53.36 Gaylene Last-Harris & Christine Pully 51.69

Tuesday

26 August Poulgrain Cup Round 4

1st: Louise Cameron & Barbara McFarlane 56.25%

2<sup>nd</sup>: Adrienne Donald & Ted Cliffin 54.86% 3<sup>rd</sup>=: Jane Browne & Nita Knight 53.47%

3<sup>rd</sup>=: John Peppiatt & Murray Pawson 53.47%

Thursday

28 August Torr Trophy Individual Round 5 N/S E/W

1st: Nancy Davenport & Jena Robinson 69.44% Jane Browne & Murray Pawson 60.48%

2<sup>nd</sup>: Nita Knight & Gordon Bruce 56.79% John Peppiatt & Judith Bishop 60.24%

3rd: Gaylene Last-Harris & Caroline Thomas 52.26% Ted Cliffin & Barbara McFarlane 59.23%

#### **Thames Restricted 8B Tournament**

Please Enter **NOW** on the NZ Bridge Website

A Thames Tournament - Your chance to play at your home club!

(That happens only 3 time per year)

A Restricted Tournament - An Open player cannot play with another Open player.

(Gives the rest of us a better chance!)

An <u>8B</u> Tournament – A chance to win B Points directly.

(In Club games you need 100 C Points to get just 1 B Point)

A <u>Stratified</u> Tournament – Prizes given to 2 or 3 different groups of Players.

(You have a much greater chance of winning a good Prize!)

A <u>Chance to Meet the Best</u> – The only two All-Time Masterpoint Earners in New Zealand who have ever gained over 10,000 Masterpoints will be there.

(Your illustrious Editor has got 216 – so far!)

## Moloney Cup - HiLo TEAMS

Tuesdays 16, 23, 30 September

This event will be a **Teams** event

Each team will have a HIgh pair and a LOw pair

Where possible - a HIgh Pair will both be Intermediate or above,

a LOw Pair will both be Juniors.

Please put your entries in on-line – and Enter as a PAIR as soon as you can.

At the Start of play we will hold a draw to select the other half of your HiLo Team.

We need to have an even number of teams – ideally 6 teams (but 8 would be even better).

You should play in each of the three sessions, but if you cannot then please arrange a substitute!

Please enter as soon as possible



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## The Thames Restricted Tournament

Need a Stand-By Pair

To Step in at Short Notice

**On Sunday 7 September** 

**FREE ENTRY** 

for our Stand-By Pair.

Interested!! Call Greg 021 212 8091

## **Coming Soon**

#### **The Superprice SWISS Pairs**

Mondays in October ===== Two sessions (of 12 boards) per day

First Session – a random draw

Second Session – top 2 from session 1 play each other. 3rd plays 4th, 5th plays 6th .....

Next sessions – 1<sup>st</sup> after previous rounds plays 2<sup>nd</sup> (if the haven't already played them – in which case 1<sup>st</sup> will play 3<sup>rd</sup>.

And so on until the final round, when each pair will be playing a pair at a similar level.



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