

# **CROCKFORDS BRIDGE CLUB INC**



## **Match Programme 2026**

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## **MONDAY NIGHT – JUNIOR GRADE**

*Players to be seated by 6:50pm.*

*Play is from 7pm to 10pm*

### **INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

**January Ladder:** Emphasis on learning, revision and support. Play two sessions with any partner to qualify. All scores count.

**Four Seasons Trophy:** To qualify a player must play four nights, with any partner.

**President's Junior Trophy:** To qualify for this event players must play with three different partners.

### **INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

The individual champion shall be the person with the highest average score for the year to the end of October. A minimum of 75% of available nights must be played with a minimum of three different partners.

### **PAIRS EVENTS**

**Junior Pairs & President's Junior Pairs:** Both are twelve-night pairs events. A minimum of nine nights must be played with the same partner to qualify. All qualifying scores count.

**David Putt Trophy and E A Turland Trophy (replacing the Pam Spencer Trophy):** To qualify a pair must play together for the three nights of an event.

**CHALLIS CUP:** The Junior and Intermediate grades play together. To qualify a pair must play on three nights of the event. The highest average of qualifying scores wins.

# MONDAY NIGHT – JUNIOR GRADE

Partner Finder: Theresa Whitaker

Text 021 197 6498 (no voice messages please)

or use 'Crockfords Junior 7pm Mon' on WhatsApp

Jan	12		
	19	January Ladder	
	26		
Feb	2	4 Seasons - Summer	
	9		
	16		
	23	President's Junior Pairs (1–6)	
Mar	2		
	9		
	16		
	23		
	30	David Putt Trophy	
Apr	6	<i>Easter Monday</i>	<i>Club Closed</i>
	13		
	20	4 Seasons - Autumn	
	27	ANZAC Day Observed	<i>Club Closed</i>
May	4		
	11	President's Junior Pairs (7–12)	
	18		
	25		
Jun	1	<i>King's Birthday</i>	<i>Club Closed</i>
	8		

	15		
	22	4 Seasons - Winter	
Jul	29	President's Trophy Individual, 3 partners	
	6		
	13		
	20		
	27	Junior Pairs (1–6)	
Aug	3		
	10		
	17		
	24		
	31	E A Turland Salver Trophy	
Sep	7		
	14		
	21	4 Seasons - Spring	
	28	Challis Cup	
Oct	5		
	12		
	19		
	26	Labour Day	Club Closed
Nov	2	Junior Pairs (7–12)	
	9		
	16		
	23		
	30		
Dec	7	Christmas Party	

## **MONDAY NIGHT – INTERMEDIATE GRADE**

*Players to be seated by 6:50 pm. Play is from 7 to 10pm*

### **INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

**January Ladder:** Emphasis on learning, revision with support. Play with any partner, two sessions to qualify and all scores count.

**Four Seasons Trophy:** To qualify a player must play four nights, with any partner.

**President's Intermediate Trophy:** To qualify for this event players must play with three different partners.

### **INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

The individual champion shall be the person with the highest average score for the year to the end of October. A minimum of 75% of available nights must be played with a minimum of three different partners.

### **PAIRS EVENTS**

**Intermediate Pairs & President's Intermediate Pairs:** Both are twelve-night pairs events. For each, a minimum of nine nights must be played with the same partner to qualify. All qualifying scores count.

**Cliff Bowler (replacing E A Turland Salver) & Findlay Trophy (replacing Jubilee Trophy):** To qualify a pair must play together for the three nights of the event.

**CHALLIS CUP** The Junior and Intermediate grades play together. To qualify a pair must play on three nights of the event. The highest average of qualifying scores wins.

## MONDAY NIGHT – INTERMEDIATE GRADE

Partner Finder: Theresa Whitaker

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or use '*Crockfords Intermediate 7pm Mon*' on WhatsApp

Jan	12	January Ladder	
	19		
	26		
Feb	2	4 Seasons - Summer	
	9		
	16		
Mar	23	President's Intermediate Pairs (1–6)	
	2		
	9		
Apr	16	Cliff Bowler	
	23		
	30		
Apr	6	Easter Monday	Club Closed
	13		
May	20	4 Seasons - Autumn	
	27	ANZAC Day Observed	Club Closed
May	4	President's Intermediate Pairs (7–12)	
	11		
	18		
	25		
Jun	1	King's Birthday	Club Closed
	8		
	15		
Jun	22	4 Seasons - Winter	

Jul	29	President's Trophy Individual, 3 partners	
	6		
	13		
Aug	20	Intermediate Pairs (1–6)	
	27		
	3		
	10		
	17		
Sep	24	Findlay Trophy	
	31		
	7		
Oct	14	Challis Cup	
	21		4 Seasons - Spring
	28		
	5		
Nov	12		
	19		
	26		Labour Day Club Closed
Dec	2	Intermediate Pairs (7–12)	
	9		
	16		
	23		
	30		
7	Christmas Party		

## **TUESDAY NIGHT – SENIOR GRADE**

*Players to be seated by 7:20pm.*

*Play is from 7:30 to 10:30pm.*

### **INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

#### **Miss Cocks Trophy, President's Trophy and Joan**

**North Trophy:** To qualify, a player must play with a different partner for each night of the event. All scores count.

### **PAIRS EVENTS AND CLUB PAIRS**

Twelve-night competition. A minimum of nine nights must be played with the same partner to qualify. All nights played with this partner are counted.

#### **Mollie Joyce Trophy, Reid Cup (handicap), Gasson Cup, Daphne Joyce Memorial, Maurice Enright Memorial and Hilary Bishop Trophy.**

Play all nights of an event to qualify.

*Note: A different partner may be used for each event.*

### **BUTLER PAIRS**

Players must enter as a pair for all four nights. IMP scoring is used and all qualifying scores count.

## **ANN OAKLEY TEAMS**

Players must enter as a team and two substitutes will be permitted. A person may NOT play as a substitute for more than one team in this event.

## **INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

The Individual Champion shall be the person with the highest average percentage over the whole year with the exception of the Teams and Butler Pairs. A minimum of 75% of the available nights must be played and each player must have a minimum of three partners throughout the year.

## **DAVE PUTT TROPHY**

This is awarded to the person with the highest average percentage over the whole year, subject to the same conditions as the Individual Championship (see above). The player must not have won any other Senior competition.

## **FIRST YEAR SENIOR COMPETITION**

Awarded to the person(s) newly promoted to the Senior Grade. A minimum of 75% of the available nights must be played. The winner will be the person with the highest average score over the whole year, excluding the Teams and Butler Pairs.

*All qualifying rounds must be played with a Crockfords member.*

## TUESDAY NIGHT – SENIOR GRADE

Partner Finder: Barbara Geddes

Phone/text 027 439 5518 “Crockfords” on WhatsApp

i = individual, h = handicap

Jan	13	Miss Cocks Trophy i	
	20		
	27		
Feb	3	Club Pairs (1–3)	
	10		
	17		
Mar	24	Maurice Enright Memorial	
	3		
	10		
Apr	17	Hilary Bishop Trophy	
	24		
	31		
May	7	Ann Oakley Teams	
	14		
	21		
Jun	28		
	5	Gasson Cup	
	12		
Jun	19		
	26	Club Pairs (4–6)	
	2		
Jun	9		
	16	President's Trophy i	

	23	
	30	
Jul	7	Daphne Joyce Memorial
	14	
	21	
	28	
Aug	4	Club Pairs (7–9)
	11	
	18	
	25	Mollie Joyce Trophy
Sep	1	
	8	
	15	
	22	Joan North Trophy i
	29	
Oct	6	
	13	Club Pairs (10–12)
	20	
	27	
Nov	3	Reid Cup h
	10	
	17	
	24	Butler Pairs
Dec	1	
	8	Christmas Party

## **WEDNESDAY NIGHT – SENIOR RESERVE GRADE**

*Players to be seated by 7:05pm.*

*Play is from 7:15 to 10:15pm.*

### **PAIRS EVENTS**

#### **Championship Pairs & Director's Ladder (twelve rounds)**

A minimum of eight nights must be played with the same partner to qualify. Players may have a different partner for each event. The pair's best eight qualifying scores count.

**President's Trophy (five rounds)** Players must play a minimum of four nights with the same partner to qualify.

**Fisher Trophy (three rounds) and Christmas Pairs** All nights must be played with the same partner to qualify.

### **INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

#### **Flora Wilson Memorial and Hilary Richardson Trophy**

Play with any partner

#### **Darwin Memorial and Peg Teehan Memorial Trophy**

Play with a different partner each night of an event to qualify. All nights played count.

### **INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

The Individual Champion shall be the person with the highest average percentage over the whole year. A minimum of 75% of the available nights must be played and each partner must have a minimum of three partners throughout the year.

*All qualifying rounds must be played with a partner from the same or a lower grade of Crockfords Club.*

# WEDNESDAY NIGHT SENIOR RESERVE GRADE

Partner Finder: David Carter

Text 027 220 1329 (no voice messages please)  
or use 'Crockfords Senior Reserve 7.30pm Wed' on WhatsApp

Jan	14	Flora Wilson Trophy	
	21		
	28		
Feb	4	Championship Pairs (1–6)	
	11		
	18		
	25		
Mar	4		
	11		
	18	Darwin Memorial Trophy	
Apr	25		
	1		
May	8	Championship Pairs (7–12)	
	15		
	22		
Jun	29		
	6	Peg Teehan Memorial Trophy	
	13		
Jun	20		
	27		
	3		
Jun	10	Director's Ladder (1–3)	
	17		

	24		
Jul	1	<i>Mid-Winter Supper</i>	
	8		
	15	Director's Ladder (4–6)	
	22		
	29		
Aug	5	Hilary Richardson Trophy	
	12		
	19		
	26		
Sep	2	Director's Ladder (7–12)	
	9		
	16		
	23		
	30		
Oct	7	Fisher Trophy	
	14		
	21		
	28		
Nov	4	President's Trophy	
	11		
	18		
	25		
Dec	2	Christmas Pairs	
	9	Christmas Party	

## **THURSDAY AFTERNOON – ALL GRADES**

*Players to be seated by 12:50 pm.*

*Play is from 1 to 4pm.*

### **JANUARY BRIDGE**

An opportunity to fine-tune your bidding and play after the summer break.

*In the competitions below, all qualifying scores will count.*

#### **SECRETARY'S COMPETITION (ten rounds)**

First Thursday of each month. Players must play a minimum of seven rounds to qualify.

#### **AIDEN BOOKER MEMORIAL (ten rounds)**

Second Thursday of each month. Players must play a minimum of seven rounds to qualify.

#### **DAPHNE JOYCE TROPHY (ten rounds)**

Third Thursday of each month. Players must play a minimum of seven rounds to qualify.

#### **VICE PRESIDENT'S LADDER (twelve rounds)**

Fourth Thursday of each month (excluding January, August and December) plus the fifth Thursday of May, July and October.

#### **CHRISTMAS COMPETITION (individual)**

A player must play a minimum of three rounds with at least one change of partner, to qualify.

*Visitors are welcome but are not eligible for competitions.*

## THURSDAY AFTERNOON – ALL GRADES

Partner Finder: Lisa Cescon

Text 021 527 002 (no voice messages please)

or use 'Thursday afternoon bridge' on WhatsApp

Jan	9	January Bridge	
	16		
	23		
	30		
Feb	6	Secretary's Comp	Waitangi Day
	13	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	20	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	27	Vice President's Ladder	
Mar	6	Secretary's Comp	
	13	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	20	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	27	Vice President's Ladder	
Apr	3	Secretary's Comp	
	10	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	17	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	24	Vice President's Ladder	
May	1	Secretary's Comp	
	8	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	15	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	22	Vice President's Ladder	
Jun	29		
	5	Secretary's Comp	
	12	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	19	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	26	Vice President's Ladder	

Jul	3	Secretary's Comp	
	10	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	17	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	24	Vice President's Ladder	
	31		
Aug	7	Secretary's Comp	
	14	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	21	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	28	Spring Luncheon	
Sep	4	Secretary's Comp	
	11	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	18	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	25	Vice President's Ladder	
Oct	2	Secretary's Comp	
	9	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	16	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
	23	Vice President's Ladder	
Nov	30		
	6	Secretary's Comp	
	13	Aiden Booker Memorial	
	20	Daphne Joyce Trophy	
Dec	27	Vice President's Ladder	
	4	Christmas Competition	
	11		