



Club Newsletters are issued following Committee Meetings and are indexed by Month and Date at the website "NEWS PAGE". Any queries should be directed in the first instance to the Club Secretary.

### Fellow Club Members

Following our Annual General Meeting held on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2023 I am happy to announce the management committee of our club for 2024 is as follows:-

President	Michelle Morrissey
Vice-President	Paula Gibb
Secretary	Jacky McKenna
Treasurer	Sue Rohrig
Bridge Captain	Dick Metcalfe (retired but temporarily filling in)

Committee Members Chi Chi Murray; Campbell Macrae; Robert Black

Club contacts remain Michelle and Sue, and Alanna Waugh has retained the liaison person for partners.

Carolyn Greasley has stood down as Providor so the committee would greatly appreciate any member who is prepared to take on this role (sourcing tea, coffee, hand towel etc) to get in touch with a committee member.

Many members have given their time and effort to help the club run smoothly and the committee would like to sincerely thank Stuart (scoring); Penny (card dealing); Lauren (treasury assistance); Carolyn (providor – with help from Lesley Halliday, Michelle when not available); Richard Z (whiteboard); all members who help set up and take down tables & chairs and clear up after sessions. Of course, our sessions could not run without our directors Brian, Karin and Dick so cheers to you. The Yeppoon Congress workers were all applauded in a previous newsletter but will be mentioned here again. Also this year Campbell Macrae and Karin Le Roux have put in great effort to get the 2025 Barrier Reef Congress preparations to be held in Yeppoon under way, with Chi Chi drumming up some good supporters and sponsors for the event.

At this point in time, because of unavailability of directors in the short-term, lack of numbers and therefore revenue to cover session, Monday night play is suspended and further advice on this will be forwarded to all members.

Fees – The fees for 2024 have been set at \$70.00 for full membership, \$35.00 for associate members and student fee stays at \$20.00. The table fee for sessions will remain at \$5.00 per member, \$7.00 for visitors and the ticket books will remain at \$50.00 (for 10 tickets, not 11).

The committee looks forward to seeing you all return from the festive season in good health and spirit. Merry Christmas everyone and may we all enjoy a year of good bridging in 2024.

Club Secretary – Jacky McKenna

10 December 2023