Bathurst & District Bridge Club Swiss Pairs and Teams

6-7 MAY (SAT-SUN)



The programme: 6 May (Sat) Swiss Pairs

7 May (Sun) Swiss Teams

A highly successful weekend of bridge

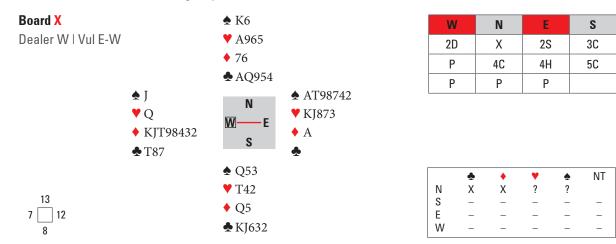
by Lloyd Cleaver

ast month the bridge club ran another very successful congress. This is the club's big event for the year, with 40 pairs competing on Saturday and 20 teams on Sunday. Numbers were down on the last few years but it was still a highly successful weekend of bridge. People came from the Central West, Southern Highlands, Central Coast, Sydney, Blue Mountains, Canberra and Tumut as well as from our local club.

Congratulations to all the different section winners and place getters.

Pairs:	
First place:	John Brockwell & Chris Stead (Canberra)
Second place:	Ian McKinnon & Virginia Dressler (Central Coast)
Third place:	Janet Clarke & Di Coats (Central Coast)
Best local pair:	Rosemary Hummelshoj & Lloyd Cleaver
Restricted winners:	Diana Whiteley & Dorothy Woodside (Orange)
Novice winners:	Gayle Calvert & Steve English (Blue Mts)
eams:	
First place:	Chris Bayliss, Catherine Chown, Patricia Phillips, Eric Lindh (Bowral)
Second place:	David Priol, Peter Lameks, Tammy Schwarz, Alan Schwarz (Blue Mts)
Third place:	Jennifer Hector, Terry Bossomaier, Peter Reed, Michele Kerin (Local, Dubbo/
Wellington)	
Best local Team:	Graham Daniel, Liz Scorer, Rosemary Hummelshoj, Lloyd Cleaver
Intermediate winners:	Pamela Stuart-Brown, Coleen Street, Ian & Jan Maclean (Local, Leura)
Restricted winners:	Diana Whiteley, Dorothy Woodside, Margaret Munson, Kathie Mills (Orange)
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Now, one hand from the congress. We were playing against the eventual winners in the teams competition and it was clear that we were not doing very well!



E/W easily bid to 4♠ but we pushed on to 5♣ which wasn't doubled (I have no idea why not!).

On the face of it E/W should be able to make 11 tricks but the problem is that E cannot ever get over to make diamond tricks in W and therefore can make 10 tricks only. This is what happened at the other table where our partners were left to play in 4⁺/₂ – we can only make 7 tricks ie 4 off. It would have been a very different story if we had been doubled where it would have been -800 instead of -200. This board made for a reasonably respectable score for the round even though we were beaten.

All in all a very good weekend.

Photo Gallery



Pairs Winners – Chris Stead and John Brockwell with Chris Roseveer (club president) and Karin La Roux (Congress Convenor).



Teams winners – Karin La Roux (congress Convenor), Chris Roseveer (club president), Catherine Chown, Chris Bayliss, Patricia Phillips, Eric Lindh.



The Best Local Pair – Rosemary Hummelshoj and Lloyd Cleaver.



The Best Restricted Team winners –Diana Whiteley, Dorothy Woodside and Kathie Mills (Margaret Munson absent).



There are a lot of attractions in Bathurst outside bridge.

...More results can be found HERE.

Upcoming in Bathurst

The Best Local Team- Liz Scorer,

Hummelshoj and Lloyd Cleaver.

Graham Daniel, Rosemary

This Tournament is fast becoming one of the most popular Beginner/Novice Tournaments in NSW with the club providing a friendly and happy atmosphere combined with excellent prizes. Do Not Miss !



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