

December 2019

# Newsletter

## Malanda Bridge Club

We are in the final few bridge days left of the year, and we wish you all a safe and Happy Christmas and a wonderful New Year.

Results:- Springtime Red winners were Deb Peters and May Maidment 54.07% Marg Azar and Sonja Ramsund 52.36% and Pam Bramich and John Sainsbury 51.78%. Congratulations.

On Oct. 4 and 5, 8 players travelled to Cairns from our club to compete in the Cairns Spring Congress. 6 of those players were in the top 10. Deb and May won the day and Kate Gargan and Trish Ottone winning the novice pairs.

COMBINED CLUBS MALANDA RED POINTS Monday, 21st October  
1. May Maidment & Deb Peters 2. Marg Azar & Sonja Ramsund 3. Dee Jierasak & Sue Holme

The Qld Wide Pairs were played on 25<sup>th</sup> November. Sue Holme & Reinhild Treacy N/S came 7<sup>th</sup> overall and Leon & Netta E/W came 16<sup>th</sup> out of 369 pairs. Congratulations ladies.

Interclub in Atherton held on 30 November was well attended. The overall winners were Lois & Di from Cairns, Deb & May 2<sup>nd</sup> & Leon & Lois 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Deb & May travelled to Airlie Beach for their Congress, weekend of 7 & 8<sup>th</sup> December. They came 1<sup>st</sup> in their section and 3<sup>rd</sup> overall, only missing out on second place by .1%!! Well done girls.

They reported it was a great congress, very friendly, and the dinner at the end was fantastic (check May- she was having a great time!!) They encourage more players from the Tablelands to go next year.



December Birthdays 8<sup>th</sup> Lena Ringrock, 10<sup>th</sup> Dawn Wincen, 11<sup>th</sup> Reinhild Tracey, 15<sup>th</sup> Tricia Ottone, 21<sup>st</sup> Mary Lilley.

DON'T FORGET THE CAIRNS INTERCLUB HELD ON WEDNESDAY NEW YEARS DAY 1<sup>st</sup> JANUARY. Would be great if some Tablelanders can go. (If the hangovers are not too bad!!!)

1<sup>st</sup> bridge session at Malanda, Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January.  
(Debbie is doing partners while Marg A is away)

Happy holidays everyone, keep safe and see you in the New Year.

**Remember:        LIFE IS A GAME**  
**BRIDGE IS SERIOUS**