

NOVEMBER 2015

# Warrnambool Bridge Club



## WARRNAMBOOL CONGRESS OCTOBER:

**Saturday, October 17** was the “Open Pairs Competition”, 28 pairs competed with Judy and Bob Loch Runners-up.

The cards were very difficult , I did overhear Paula Bailey say they were

**”CHALLENGING!”**



Marie Bird teamed with Tim Clements in the “Novice Pairs Competition” to also claim a “Runners-up” trophy.

Allen Shiels **wins the “Novice Pairs Competition”** for the second year in a row, this time he was partnered by Shane McMillan.



Graham Hill – our Director who does a great job.



Eleven Teams played **on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup>** and saw Lucienne, Paula, Jamie and Helen win the “Runners-up Trophy.” The best local team was Betty Turner, John Turner, Penny Thomas and Janet Attrill.

3<sup>rd</sup> in the teams were Linda Picone, Felicia Ross, with friends from Ocean Grove.

**JANET ATTRELL:** The 2015 Warrnambool Congress has been “put to bed” and I would like to take this opportunity of thanking all our wonderful members, even the ones who couldn’t play, for all the help I received. The donations, the setting up (and packing up), the food and spot prize donations – it was very much appreciated and made the weekend very special. A special thank you to my partner in crime; - Lucienne, ready, willing and able and a huge support.

**There will be a Congress next year so please put dates in diary:-**

**October 15th and 16th 2016.**

**LUCIENNE NEWTON-TARBRETT:** I was lucky enough to be Janet's helper for the 2015 congress. She dealt with all the hiccups that always occurred along the way with her typical aplomb and is a wonder in a crisis! She was even good enough to arrange accommodation and transport for some of our visitors. With husband Gordon, Ashleigh and her granddaughters, al her best friend since childhood, Lorraine, we did all the cooking and catering etc. for the lunches. The young girls were excellent with table service. Everybody I spoke to had fun, enjoyed the food including our member's fabulous morning and afternoon teas.

Another great success, all credit to Janet.



Linda Picone’s gesture of flowers to Janet and Lucienne as a show of appreciation for all the hard work put in before, during and after the Congress was greatly appreciated.

The girls say “Thank-you Linda for the kind thought”.

## NEWS AND RESULTS FROM OUR TRAVELLING MEMBERS!



GEELONG SENIORS CONGRESS was held early in October and was a huge success with the maximum number of 18 teams playing. The team of Lucienne, Penny, Janet and Jamie were running 3<sup>rd</sup> at lunch time and congratulations on being the most successful visiting team.



The Camperdown team of Jeanette Lambell, Gwen, Felicia and Linda also attended being in the middle of the field for most of the day but delighted when they were top team in the 6<sup>th</sup> round.

I'd recommend members to attend this day, it is very friendly and everyone – all standards – are welcome.

GNOT HENTY REGION FINAL HELD IN BALLARAT. Sorry, no photo or report. I did hear that 6 teams competed – 3 from Ballarat, one each from Macedon, Bendigo and Warrnambool. The Warrnambool team of Helen, Lucienne, Janet and Jamie were winners which means they qualify to represent the region in Queensland later this month. Congratulations.



### A NEW ADDITION TO THE KITCHEN.

- Vic shows off the 4 slice sandwich press which the committee bought for the use of all members.



Last Newsletter I copied a puzzle from the Age! Only one person replied, Margaret Graham, and with the correct answer!

**Try again:** A mop and a bucket set cost \$1.10.  
The mop costs \$1.00 more than the bucket.  
How much does the bucket cost?

- a). 5 cents.                      b). 10 cents                      c). \$1.00



Ashley Pettigrew, Janet Attrill's daughter, competed in Ecuador, South America, in September in the 4th INAS Global Games.

Swimming 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 4 X 200 freestyle the team won

**G O L D.**

Australia were the top medal winners with 20 Gold, 10 Silver and 7 Bronze.

Ashley has been swimming for 10 years, trains daily, 2 hours in the morning and sometimes more training in the evening. She rides her bike to work up Queens Road – sometimes twice a day! Janet said that she is extremely good with her diet – although sometimes indulging in what we call “fast food” she is very strict when training for an event.

The next event is the Short Course, 1 week, being held in Sydney late in November.



# SOUTH WEST GAMES

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup> CAMPERDOWN BRIDGE CLUB  
(McCabe Room – behind library)

10.45 for 11.00 START.

(Finish around 3.00 p.m.)

COST: \$9.50 + \$2.50 Games levy. = \$12.00. per person. (lunch provided).

MAXIMUM ENTRIES 8 TABLES.

(Gold, Silver & Bronze Medals).

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