

IMPROVERS LESSON

Given by Tony Treloar

10.30 am - Saturday, July 17

Price: \$10

Defence: Setting the contract
(or at least making declarer sweat a little)

Topics Include: Choosing the Opening Lead

**WED PM
SWISS PAIRS
21 July
Red mp**



**MONDAY COMP
July 26
10.30am
Red MP**



**Ekka Pairs
Wed 10.30am
August 11
Red mp**

**QLD
BUTLER PAIRS**
Hosted by QCBC for QBA

Incorporating
Qld Open Butler Pairs
Qld Womens Pairs
Qld Mens Pairs

**SATURDAY & SUNDAY
14 & 15 AUGUST**

The highest finishing pair with each player below 200 masterpoints shall also be presented with a QBA gift. There is no state title for this pair

QCBC COURIER

July 2010

RESULTS

MARG SCHALKOORT TROPHY
THELMA SMITH & PAT THOMPSON

WED AM SWISS PAIRS
HELEN STANDFAST & JEAN TREGA

WINTER CUP
PAT CROWD & PAUL MADDIGAN

FRIDAY PAIRS
NANETTE LOXTON & EVELYNE MANDERS -
65.3%

QCBC JUNE PAIRS
OPEN:
JANEEN SOLOMAN & PRANJAL CHAKRADEO
REST: ALAN BOYCE & MARY EWING

JUNE TEAMS:
MIKE ROBSON, BETTY LEE, RALPH PARKER,
NATHAN VAN JOLE

QLD GRADED PAIRS
A: AGNES & BARRY KEMPTHORNE
B: BRUCE CARROLL & PAUL ROBERTS
C: DEBORAH & PETER NILSSON
D: ALAN BOYCE & MARY EWING

MACAU TEAMS
JANEEN SOLOMAN, BILL HUNT,
ROSA LACHMAN, PELE RANKIN



PROMOTIONS

Sean Quinn	Graduate Master
Terry Clarke	Club Master
Anthony Phillips	
Glenys Larter	
Andrew Woollons	
Tom Larsen	Local Master
Patricia Stapleton	*Local Master
Beryl Manders	** Local Master
Margaret Price	
Jacqui Hobson	Regional Master
Patrick Bugler	Life

Welcome to new members

IAN MCIVER
HELEN BLAIR
ROGER BYROM
ELAINE HARTMAN
LINDA CRAWFORD

Brian Butterfield and his wife, Daphne, have bought a house in Gympie to be closer to family. Brian is recovering nicely and all is going well. Brian sends his regards to his friends at QCBC And we wish them all the best in their new home.

**Pat Thompson & Thelma Smith
Winners of Margery Schalkoort Trophy
2010
Presented by Kees**



Good luck, best wishes and have fun to all the Qld teams going to the ANC in Hobart

Open: David Appleton, Paul Hooykaas, Peter Hainsworth, Kamal, Janeen Soloman, Pranjal Chakaradeo

Womens: Margaret Millar, Greer Tucker, Therese Tully, Pele Rankin, Rosie Green, Maureen Jakes

Seniors: Ian Afflick, Paul Collins, Helen & Robert Milward, Larry Moses, Richard Touton

Youth: Geoff Martin, Nik Moore, Ryan Touton, Nathan Van Jole

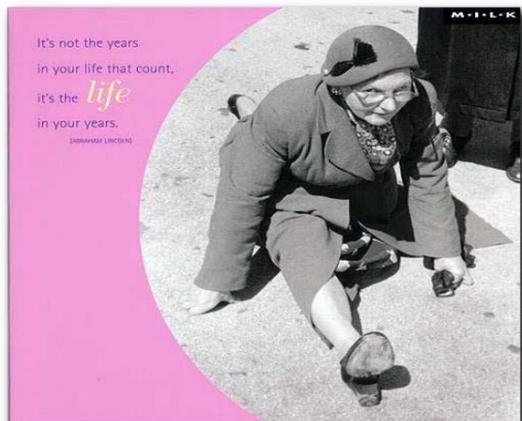
There is a lovely lady in Supervised Class who celebrates

94 years young on 17 July

CLARICE BATEMAN

♥ **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** ♥

From all of us at QCBC



It's not the years in your life that count
It's the life in your years (Abraham Lincoln)

Stunning Senior Moment

Apparently, a self-important college freshman attending a recent football game took it upon himself to explain to a senior citizen sitting next to him why it was impossible for the older generation to understand his generation. 'You grew up in a different world, actually an almost primitive one', the student said, loud enough for many of those nearby to hear. 'The young people of today grew up with television, jet planes, space travel, man walking on the moon. Our space probes have visited Mars. We have nuclear energy and ships, electric and hydrogen cars, cell phones, computers with light-speed processing... and more.' After a brief silence, the senior citizen responded as follows: 'You're right, son. We didn't have those things when we were young... so we invented them. Now, you arrogant little man, what are you doing for the next generation?' The applause was amazing....

An article by Lizzie Laroche printed in the Young Chelsea Bridge club magazine, entitled .

The Astrological Guide to Bridge Players. deserves a wider audience and will help you all to work out how well you are going to do in the Mixed Teams. Let's feature the ladies. This month :

CANCER . Cancerian females are warm and loving. Their natural conservatism makes them steady and reliable as partners. They are full of praise for those with whom they play. Never a word of blame or criticism passes their lips. You were very unlucky, partner, they sigh as their male companion fails trying to set up his hand instead of playing for the superior dummy reversal. Well played to make it, they murmur to the opposition who stare uncomprehendingly at the traveler which shows that all other pairs made two overtricks. Everyone feels warm and cherished when the Cancerian female is at the table

Memorial Get Together and farewell to

ALAN

On: SAT JULY 31

At: AL'S PLACE:

618 Old Cleveland Rd, Camp Hill

If you would care to bring a plate and drink, we would really appreciate the help.

You are invited to Share one memory:

- 1. Help create a "Memory Wall" by adding a photo or item of memorabilia and/or**
- 2. Tell your story as we join together in a circle in Alan's honour**

(one favourite or standout moment in time with Alan – keep it to 30secs each so that we have time for everyone)

- if you prefer, write your story and add it to the "memory wall". Then we'll share a meal together and chat until you'd like to go.

Start time 6:30 pm – Set up your contributions

Circle: 7:00 pm

Meal to follow

Look, walk and chat

Please come introduce yourself & say hello to the family before you leave, we'd like to meet each person that was special in Alan's life.

KIND REGARDS & THANKS,

ELLI, VON, RON, SARAH, ANDREW, ALEXIS, TROY & BETTINA

(RSVP yon_bahar@optusnet.com.au would help us to gauge numbers)



Vale Brian Frampton

Brian was a member of the QCBC since 2001. In those 10 years, he and his regular partner Nithi were seated for Tuesday, Friday and Saturday sessions. He was always cheery, pleasant and a gentleman. Never heard him complain even though you could see him walking a little slower. He was a Member of the Buffalo Club, Masons and a dart player. Brian didn't miss a session at the Storey Bridge on Sunday afternoon for the jazz session. Paul Maddigan met Brian at East's one night and convinced him to take up bridge. Paul relates the story of Brian winning a couple of meat trays one night at Easts, then giving them away to a fellow he knew who had a young family and was doing it a bit tough. When Brian didn't arrive for bridge on Tuesday 22 June and didn't answer his phone, the police were called to check on him. They found Brian had passed away at home. He was 74. I am sorry that we couldn't let members know funeral details but we didn't hear about the funeral until it was too late. Brian had no close family. Sympathy cards can be sent to: the Family of Brian Frampton, c/- 2/12 Dulacca St, Acacia Ridge 4110



In the last 12 years, the police have been asked to check on members who have not shown up at least 4 times. It would be nice for all if the office has contact details for your next of kin, and if you don't have family living close, then maybe a neighbours phone number.

A Quiz for people who know everything....

1. Name the one sport in which neither the spectators nor the participants know the score or the leader until the contest ends.
 2. What famous North American landmark is constantly moving backward?
 3. Of all vegetables, only two can live to produce on their own for several growing seasons. All other vegetables must be replanted every year. What are the only two perennial vegetables?
 4. What fruit has its seeds on the outside?
 5. In many liquor stores, you can buy pear brandy, with a real pear inside the bottle. The pear is whole and ripe, and the bottle is genuine; it hasn't been cut in any way. How did the pear get inside the bottle?
 6. Only three words in standard English begin with the letters 'dw' and they are all common words. Name two of them.
 7. There are 14 punctuation marks in English grammar. Can you name at least half of them?
 8. Name the only vegetable or fruit that is never sold frozen, canned, processed, cooked, or in any other form except fresh.
 9. Name 6 or more things that you can wear on your feet beginning with the letter S.
- Answers in next issue

Husband Down

A husband and wife are shopping at Coles in the Local Shopping Centre The husband picks up a case of VB and puts it in their trolley. 'What do you think you're doing?' asks the wife.

'They're on sale, only \$10 for 24 cans,' he replies.

'Put them back, we can't afford them,' demands the wife, and so they carry on shopping.

A few aisles further on along the woman picks up a \$20 jar of face cream and puts it in the trolley.

'What do you think you're doing?' asks the husband.

'Its my face cream. It makes me look beautiful,' replies the wife.

Her husband retorts: 'So does 24 cans of VB and it's half the price.'

On the PA system: 'Cleanup on aisle 25, we have a husband down.'



Found

Watch ring - green cover

Long black earring - for pierced ears

Hyundai Elantra Car key with remote attached



Results Wed Pm GNP

1 Tim Runting – Murray Perrin

2 Nik Moore – Geoff Martin

3 Robin Webcke – John Scivens

All QCBC qualifiers for the GNP Zone final will be published in the next issue. The Zone final is at QCBC, 19 September.