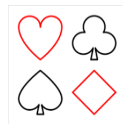


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AUGUST NEWSLETTER

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Janet Wood ...	9 th August
Carol Parker ...	14 th August
Maria Sweeney ...	15 th August
Anne Stimpson ...	19 th August
Patrick Hawkes ...	22 nd August
Lorna McCulloch ...	31 st August

Colin Shore ...	6 September
Pam Townsend ...	7 September
Roy Cotton ...	16 September
Gil Elliot ...	17 September
Rae Dowling ...	19 September

CONGRATULATIONS

MAY PROMOTIONS

NAME	RANK
Romey Wells	Club Master
Jonathan Wells	Club Maser
Geoff Peebles	Bronze Local
Louise Lewis	National Master

CONGRESS RESULTS

Few Central Coast players ventured to the Orange Gold Congress this year. Special mention to BWBC Jaan Oitmaa and Sylvia Foster, then Jim Routledge and Barry Foster who were placed 9th and 15th in the Pairs.

They joined up for the Teams event and were placed first.

Well done BWBC.

Closer to home Dasha Brand and David Bowerman were 4th, Steph Mathews and Gary Heyting were 7th in the Brisbane Water Congress Open Pairs, and Louise Lewis and Vic Petras were winners in the Restricted Pairs.

InterClub Teams

Thursday 3rd September 2026

\$160 per team

Open to members from
CBCBB, BWBC, CCBC and
CCLCBC Clubs only.

*Play starts at 9.30 a.m.
B5i (Red) Masterpoints*

Director: Peter Hume

All-day event, lunch provided.

**Entry via Community Bridge Club
Calendar Entry
or
when next at bridge.**

Please note:

We presently have 16 teams. We will accept further entries in order, and contact you if we can accommodate you. Our aim is to have an even number of teams.

Please email:

communitybridgeclubbateaubay@gmail.com

or text 0490 508 794 if you have a team you wish to enter.

Anniversary Celebration



Bay Room, first day 2012

On Friday 7th August we celebrated when we moved to The Entrance Leagues Club 14 years ago. Approximately 50 members joined us on that first day. The venue choice was a success and our table numbers quickly rose to 20 and plus each week.



*The Committee that facilitated the move:
Maree Allum, Mollie O'Neill, Bev Sivewright,
Kevin Hughes (President), June Robb, Eileen
Carey, Pam Graham, June Post, Dorothy
Hughes.*



*14 years later:
These were in the Bay Room Day 1 and are
still playing today.*

*Well done Community Bridge.
and thank you
The Entrance Leagues Club*



Session News

As you realise, at Tigers we do not have a designated room, so we have to set up each week. Tigers lay out the tables and chairs for us but committee members come in early and set up to the day's needs.

We also have to bring in the appropriate equipment for the day as we do not have storage facilities available at the club.

Consequently, it helps us greatly if players book in via Calendar on the website, so we know just how much to bring in. Also, we have to arrange tables and chairs in workable spacing. If you are not able to book in via the website, we accept text messaging happily. Our numbers are available, and known to most.

The other comment is we appreciate if you could be seated by 9.15 and place your bag/and or money on the table, so we can work out an appropriate movement, and also help the person collecting the money, as they are also playing themselves.

If you wish to wander, chat, get coffee after that, great. Sit first, chatter after, please.

Another reminder is that, while we don't have eftpos facilities, we do have vouchers available in lots of \$25 or \$50, and these can be purchased on the day, or organized by bank transfer and the vouchers will be waiting for you.

Banking details are:

Community Bridge Club Bateau Bay
BSB: 637 000

Account No: 7191 34092

(and please: no silver, no raiding the
cookie jar).

Say "Hi" to Jenny ANDERSON



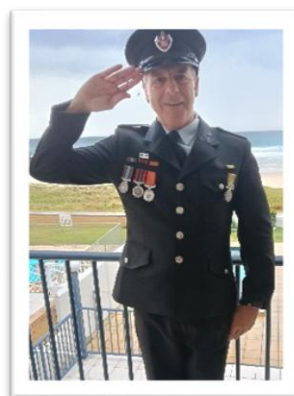
SH: Jenny, you have been embraced by the Club already. We want to hear "All About You".
Jenny: "Thanks for asking".

"I was born in Sydney, lived in Concord and attended North Strathfield Primary then Strathfield Girls High School. I was a rogue at school, very outgoing and always in trouble. A natural athlete I represented the school in various sports, netball, softball, but high jumps, hurdles and running were my passion.

A lot of my childhood was spent on the family farm at Tinonee where life was carefree and loved enjoying nature. I enjoyed writing poetry, composition and stories straight from the heart.

After graduating from Metropolitan Business College and gaining a certificate in small business management BSB401, I commenced my own business Secretarial/Business Company.

Hubby Simon (a decorated Firefighter in Fire and Rescue Saratoga450) and I lived in Saratoga where we were keen lawn Bowlers and then we played bridge at both Gosford and Brisbane Waters.



Through my life I have been lucky to experience living and working in the UK and Canada and travelled extensively, experiencing the flavours of life and appreciating life's challenges. I have written

and published 5 Romantic Suspense novels along my way as well.

After losing my beloved mum (right on 100) in the aged care debacle at end of Covid (which left me damaged and devastated that she was not at her planned lavish 100th Birthday), we made the bold move to the sunny Gold Coast and resided right on Tugun Beach for three wonderful years before returning to the Central Coast to be close to family again.

My daughter, hubby and three grand-daughters (one a newborn) live in country Muswellbrook. Only son Ben, Dutch wife and only grandson (8) now reside permanently in Holland. Being career orientated and high up in their jobs they live abroad and spend their time travelling around.

Now retired I feel blessed to have enjoyed such a diverse, interesting life among friends and family, and now enjoy being very close to my only sister also at The Entrance.



I believe and have faith, in turn persistence and determination, always give a positive result. My motto is 'Enjoy life, breathe it, live it! Make each day count.'

SH: Jenny, now I want to know the name of your book or books? Thanks for sharing so many good things.

Jenny (Amelia) Ford
- Author



COMING EVENTS

Central Coast Leagues Club Bridge Club Annual Congress

5th & 6th September 2026

Saturday Swiss Pairs **10:00** start

Sunday Swiss Teams **10:00** start

The Parkview Room
Central Coast Leagues Club
Dane Drive Gosford

Entries close Thursday 27th August.

Port Macquarie-Hastings Bridge Club
Swiss Pairs Saturday - 12th September
Swiss Teams Sunday - 13th September

Muswellbrook Bridge Club
50th Anniversary
Swiss Pairs – Saturday 10th October
Swiss Teams – Sunday 11th October

Sydney Spring Nationals
Pairs / Teams
Tuesday 17th – Sunday 25th October

Tomaree Bridge Club
Swiss Pairs – Saturday 31st October
Swiss Teams – Sunday 1st November

*Community's
annual trophy day
for our members.*



*Kevin Hughes
Trophy
Annual
Competition
Friday 25th
September.*

*Bridge is followed by
a free finger-food
luncheon for our
members*