Australian National Bridge Championships

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Friday 6 July 2007 - Saturday 21 July 2007

Esplanade Hotel 46 Marine Terrace, Fremantle, WA

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Parking: Collect a discount voucher from the Hospitality Desk daily for a

special rate of \$10 per day at the Collie St Car Park. Parking across

the road from the Esplanade Hotel is \$6 per day.

Restaurants: See Hospitality Desk for restaurants & menus.

Smoking: Smoking is only permitted outside the hotel around the corners to the

left or right of the front door.

What to look forward to......

NEW EVENT: Seniors' Butler is now a 3 stage event – refer to program for dates & times.

WELCOME TEAMS: Sunday 15th July, morning & afternoon only – an opportunity to play against state representatives. A great warm up for State teams in which no State team will play another in the same category.

BRIDGE IN THE VALLEY: Refer page 8 for details of this fantastic day out on the river.

- 3 congress events daily
- Fabulous prizes
- Range of restaurants nearby
- Convenient parking
- Shopping at your door

- Hospitality galore
- Vugraph
- Free CAT bus around Fremantle
- Historical Fremantle walks
- Victory Dinner/Dance

ANC 2007 CONDITIONS OF CONTEST

Persons applying to enter the ANC should be aware of the following:

1. Sponsoring Organisations

- ♦ Championship events, Australian Bridge Federation
- ♦ Congress events, Bridge Association of Western Australia.

The sponsoring organisations reserve the right to refuse any entry which includes a person who does not qualify under the Conditions of Contest or who is in bad standing with any registered bridge club or association.

2. Regulations and Supplementary Regulations

- ♦ Championship, ABF, see www.abf.com.au
- ♦ Congress, BAWA, see www.bawa.asn.au

3. Master Points

Gold master points are awarded for all ANC Championship events. (all stages of the ABPC {Butlers}, ANC Swiss Pairs, ANC Restricted Butler, ANC Pairs, ANC Teams.

4. Playoff Qualifying Points

PQP are awarded according to ABF Regulations to players who have attested their eligibility and who place in the first six eligible pairs in the Open, Women's and Seniors' ABPC and all entrants in the Interstate Teams (with additional awards for1st and 2nd). Although some Playoff information is published in the ABF Newsletter, detailed information is available only at www.abf.com.au. It is mailed only on written request.

5. System Disclosure

- ANC Championship: provide opponents with two identical standard system cards at the table.
- Congress: Highly artificial (Yellow) systems may be played in matches or rounds of 8 or more boards IF advance notice is given. Users of Yellow Systems & Brown Sticker Conventions must make available to opponents an approved written defence.
- Yellow systems: Pairs wishing to use a YELLOW system in the ABPC Stage 2 or 3 must submit a concise summary, printed or written in black ink on an ABF Standard system card or WBF system card plus a maximum of two supplementary A4 sheets, and a bona fide suggested defence, to the Chief Tournament Director before 5.30pm on Sunday 8th July 2007.

6. Entry Conditions

- Australian resident players must be current financial members of the ABF Masterpoint
 Scheme
- ♦ Players born after 31/12/81 are entitled to a rebate of 50% of their entry fee.

7. Entry to the ABPC, ANC Swiss Pairs and ANC Restricted Butler

- ♦ Eligible pairs include one player eligible to represent Australia; ineligible pairs have neither player eligible to represent Australia
- Entry to the ABPC Stage 1 is unrestricted.
- Entry to the ABPC Stage 2 is unrestricted for eligible pairs but restricted to the best six ineligible pairs.
- Entry to the ABPC Stage 3 is unrestricted for eligible pairs but restricted to the best four ineligible pairs.
- Entrants to the Senior ABPC must be born before 1 Jan 1950.
- Entry to the ANC Swiss Pairs is unrestricted.
- ♦ Entry to the ANC Restricted Butler is restricted to players with less than 300 master points at 30th June 2007 who are not eligible to represent another National Bridge Organisation.

8. Session Times

All session times are provisional and may be altered at the discretion of the Convenor. Players should check session times at the venue.

9. General behaviour

All players and spectators are expected to be neat and tidy at all times in the venue. BAWA Tournament and Discipline regulations apply.

10. Mobile Phones, Pagers or other electronic equipment

Active mobile phones, pagers or other electronic equipment are prohibited in the playing area during session time.

PROGRAM

NB: All session times are provisional and may be altered at the discretion of the Convenor. Players should check session times at the venue.

Day/Date	CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS	CONGRESS EVENTS			
Day/Date	CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS	Morning 10.00 am	Afternoon 2.00 pm	Evening 7.30 pm	
Friday 6 July	Butler Stage 1: Open, Women's, Seniors' 7.30 pm			The Bridge Game Shop Welcome Pairs	
Saturday 7 July	Butler Stage 1: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15 am 2.15 pm 7.30 pm	Bedford-Brown Bed & Breakfast Pairs	Bunbury BC Pairs	Lindy Rosenwax Pairs	
Sunday 8 July	Butler Stage 1: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15 am 2.15 pm Butler Stage 2: Open, Women's Senior's 7.30 pm	Chalice Bridge Wines Swiss Teams 1 of 2	Spookwood Wines Swiss Teams 2 of 2	Kailis Group Pairs	
Monday 9 July	Butler Stage 2: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15 am 2.15 pm 7.30 pm	BRIDGE IN THE VALLEY - Cancelled Printforce Pairs 1 of 2	BRIDGE IN THE VALLEY Printforce Pairs 2 of 2	Pairs sponsored by John Hughes	
Tuesday 10 July	Butler Stage 2: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15am 2.15pm	Esplanade Hotel Pairs	South Perth BC Pairs	Ricoh Swiss Teams 1 of 3	
Wednesda y 11 July	Butler Stage 3: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15 am 2.15 pm	ANC Swiss Pairs 1 of 6 ANC Restricted Butler 1 of 4 Walk-in Pairs	ANC Swiss Pairs 2 of 6 ANC Restricted Butler 2 of 4 Walk-in Pairs	Ricoh Swiss Teams 2 of 3 Walk-in Pairs	
Thursday 12 July	Butler Stage 3: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15 am 2.15 pm	ANC Swiss Pairs 3 of 6 ANC Restricted Butler 3 of 4 Walk-in Pairs	ANC Swiss Pairs 4 of 6 ANC Restricted Butler 4 of 4 Dog Aid International Pairs	Ricoh Swiss Teams 3 of 3 Walk-in Pairs	
Friday 13 July	Butler Stage 3: Open, Women's, Seniors' 10.15 am 2.15 pm Butler Presentation 7.00 pm	ANC Swiss Pairs 5 of 6 McDonald Pynt Pairs	ANC Swiss Pairs 6 of 6 Under 150 MP Pairs Walk-in Pairs	Margery Kerr Memorial Imp Pairs 1 of 2 Players may play one or both sessions	
Saturday 14 July	ANC Pairs Open, Women's, Seniors', Youth, Mixed 10.30 am 2.45 pm	Uforic Jewels Pairs Directors' Course	Clements Manford Pairs	Margery Kerr Memorial Imp Pairs 2 of 2 Players may play one or both sessions	
Sunday 15 July	Captain's Meeting 5.55 for 6.00 pm ANC Representatives Welcome 7.00pm	ANC WELCOME TEAMS 1 of 2 10.30 am	ANC WELCOME TEAMS 2 of 2 2.30 pm	WABC Pairs	
Monday 16 July	ANC Teams Open, Women's, Seniors', Youth 10.30 am 2.45 pm 8.00 pm (VG)	Lindy Rosenwax Pairs	WABC Pairs	Roberts O'Hara Pairs	
Tuesday 17 July	ANC Teams 10.30 am 2.45 pm 8.00 pm (VG)	Melville City & Melville BC Swiss Pairs 1 of 2	Melville City & Melville BC Swiss Pairs 2 of 2	Lim Pairs	
Wednesda y 18 July	ANC Teams 10.30 am 2.45 pm 8.00 pm (VG)	Rejuvenating Facial Eyes Pairs	Undercroft BC Pairs	Reg Hall's Racket World Swiss Teams 1 of 2	
Thursday 19 July	ANC Teams 10.30 am 2.45 pm 8.00 pm (VG)	Maccabi BC Pairs	Nedlands BC Pairs	Les Calcraft BAWA Youth Swiss Teams 2 of 2	
Friday 20 July	ANC Teams 10.30 am 2.30 pm ANC Teams Finals 7.30 pm (VG)	West Coast BC Pairs	Steele Bishop Security Systems Pairs	Young Paterson Last Gasp Pairs	
Saturday 21 July	ANC Teams Finals 10.00 am 1.30 pm	Auditorium Vugraph Presentation (Free Entry) Lindy Rosenwax Farewell Pairs	Auditorium Vugraph Presentation (Free Entry)	Victory Dinner/Dance 7.00 pm	

ANC Event/Function Entry Form Only ONE entry form per pair (please PRINT)

Name:	ABF No
Address:	
Email:	Phone No:
Master Point holding at 30 th June 2	2007 if entering Restricted Butler Pairs:

EVENT	PARTNER	ABF NO	\$
Butler Stage 1 Open, Women's			
Seniors' \$150 per pair	Please indicate whether available for Stage 2	O W S Circle option	
ANC Restricted Butler Pairs			
\$100 per pair	Partner's MP holding:	Open to players with 0-300 MP at 30/6/07	
Bridge in the Valley \$80 per person	No. departing Esplanade Hotel	No. of players	
Refer Page 8 Entries close 2 nd July	No. departing Barrack St Jetty	No. of non-players	
Welcome Cocktail Party \$25 per person		No. attending	
Victory Dinner/Dance \$85 per person		No. attending	
		TOTAL	

Butler entries close Monday 2nd July 2007 & <u>must</u> be accompanied by payment. Late entries may be accepted at the Director's discretion. Please send congress pre-registration with this form.

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO "BAWA ANC 2007" MAIL TO: THE CONVENOR, PO BOX 503, NEDLANDS 6909

Entries may be made on photocopies of this form or online at www.bawa.asn.au. No email entries will be accepted.

Please also complete the pre-registration form on the following page.

Welcome Cocktail Party

Sunday 15th July
7:00 pm
Esplanade Hotel
ANC Opening Ceremony
\$25 per person

VICTORY DINNER

Saturday 21st July

7.00 pm

Southern Cross Gala Ballroom Esplanade Hotel

Presentations & Closing Ceremony

\$85 per person (wining, dining, dancing, spot prizes)

CONGRESS PRE-REGISTRATION ONLY ENTRY FEES WILL BE COLLECTED AT THE TABLE PLEASE TICK YOUR SELECTED EVENTS BELOW AND RETURN THIS FORM TO: THE CONVENOR, PO BOX 503, NEDLANDS WA 6909

EVENT Fee per player **Butler Pairs Stage 1** \$75 Must be paid by 2 July 2007 Butler Pairs Stage 2 \$90 Butler Pairs Stage 3 \$90 ANC Restricted Butler Pairs (These costs are for information \$50 **ANC Swiss Pairs** \$70 (only Congress Events (per session) \$15 Walk-ins \$15 **Welcome Cocktail Party** Must be paid by 13 July 2007 \$25 **Victory Dinner/Dance** \$85 Must be paid by 18 July 2007 **Bridge in the Valley** Must be paid by 2 July 2007 \$80 SPECIAL OFFER FOR \$15 CONGRESS & WALK-IN EVENTS

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Online or on the entry form available in the ANC 2007 brochure





ANC SENIORS' BUTLER NOW A 3 STAGE EVENT refer program for dates & times

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Bridge in the Valley



Cost per person \$80 all inclusive* *excludes alcohol & soft drinks which may be purchased on ferry

Numbers are limited to 80 bridge players and 20 non-players.

There will be a limited number of places available for players eliminated from Butler Stage 1 and these places must be booked by 6.00 pm, Sunday 8th July at the Hospitality Desk.

All other entries close Monday 2nd July 2007 and must be paid in advance.

Enter on BAWA website – <u>www.bawa.asn.au</u> OR complete the Entry Form in the ANC Brochure, now available through your club.

Itinerary for Monday 9th July 2007

8.30 a.m.	Bus leaves Esplanade Hotel, Fremantle for Barrack St Jetty, Perth.
	(Locals may join the ferry at Barrack St. Jetty & must note on entry)

9.30 a.m. Ferry departs and bridge session commences. Morning tea & unlimited tea/coffee.

12.30 p.m. Ferry arrives at Mulberry on Swan for casual lunch & wine tasting.

Afternoon bus tour includes visits to:

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4.45 p.m. Buses leave for Esplanade Hotel, Fremantle & Barrack St Jetty.



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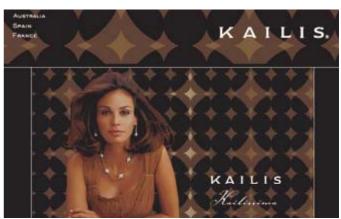
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