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SONYA BRITTON TROPHY, CBAI -V- NIBU MATCH, Belfast

Northern Ireland Team came out ahead in this event. We congratulate our regional members on their performance. Cian Holland Cork Bridge Club was on the CBAI open team with Pat Quinn, B J O Brien and David Jackson and the team was placed 3rd, our intermediate B Team; Finola Spillane, Lynda O'Connor Pauline Lynn and Joan Lenihan also performed extremely well being placed 7th. This was a great achievement for the Intermediate team as it was their first time the team played in an event of this calibre. Well done to all

NORTH KERRY CONGRESS will be held in Meadowlands Hotel Tralee instead of Ballybunion this August 28th-30th

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NEW BRIDGE SEASON

As the new season approaches the Regional website is being updated with the coming season's data but do log on in a week or so and keep up with Regional info south <http://www.southmunsterbridgescene.com>
Should you wish to have Beginners/Intermediate Lessons commencing in September or other items of interest please email information soon as possible to oliverose@eircom.net

The website has recorded an OUTSTANDING NUMBER OF HITS FOR LAST SEASON Over one and a half million hits.....We must be doing something right!!

BRIDGE LESSONS FOR BEGINNERS

BALLINHASSIG BRIDGE LESSONS FOR BEGINNERS commencing on 23rd September (Wednesday nights) and **IMPROVERS LESSONS** on Monday nights commencing 21st September - Details from Bernie on 087 2575689

COLLINS BRIDGE CLUB - Beginner Bridge Lessons - Mornings and Evenings by Cormac Lalor (CBAI qualified). Thirteen-week course commences on Tuesday 22nd September 2015. Morning Session: 10:00 am to 12:30pm Evening Session: 7:30 pm to 10:00pm. Venue: 1 Douglas Hall Lawn, Well Road, Cork. Fee: €96. The formal Course will be followed in January 2016, at no extra charge, by 10 weeks of supervised play. Contact Cormac at 021-4293336 or Mobile 086-8138667 E-Mail: celalor@eircom.net

DOUGLAS BRIDGE CENTRE (The Mills, Douglas) specialising in lessons for 25 years - **LESSONS FOR BEGINNERS** start on September 21st Monday mornings at 10am, Wednesday nights 23rd at 7.30pm To enrol or for further information Contact David @ 086 8276699 <http://www.millsbridge.com>

FERMOY BRIDGE CLUB BEGINNERS BRIDGE CLASSES commencing Tuesday 22nd September 2015 for 8 weeks names to Marie 087-9176588 or Joan 087-2268113.

CLUB RESULTS

AVONDALE BRIDGE CLUB 28.7.15: Carmel O'Leary and Niall Welch 2 Margaret O'Dwyer and Kathleen O'Shea 3 Enda Young and Kathleen Lynch 4 Lorna Cotter and Kathleen Buckley

BALLYCOTTON BRIDGE CLUB 5.8.15: 1 Margaret Day and Mary Fitzgerald 2 Marie Sheehan and John Whelehan 3 Frances Ahern and Maureen O'Mahony 4 Helen Cullen and Mary Tattan 29.7.15 1 Bridget Abernethy and John Whelehan 2 Ide O'Riordan and Marjorie O'Callaghan 3 Jean and Liam Kelly 4 Anna Cunneen and Eileen Donovan

BALLINHASSIG BRIDGE CLUB 8.8.15: 1 Mary Cummins and Margaret Bollard 2 Bernie O'Halloran and Brendan McMahon 3 Veronica Kelleher and Eddie White 4 Dermot Lucey and Mary Murphy **30.7.15:** 1 Bernie O'Halloran and Brendan McMahon 2 Dermot Lucey and Mary Murphy 3 Phil Craig and Kathleen Kiely 4 Eddie White & Frances O'Halloran **Open Summer Bridge** continues every Thursday at 7.30pm in the Marian Hall Ballinhassig until August 27th 2015. No spare partners. Everyone welcome **Beginners & Improvers Bridge lessons** starting September contact Bernie on 087 2575689 for further details.

BANTRY BRIDGE CLUB 12.8.15 Nett: 1 Rose and Joe Tobin 2 Eva and Karl Hollman 3 Karen Cummins and Caroline O'Regan 4 Anne and Donal Courtney **5.8.15 Nett:** 1 Moira O'Sullivan and Margaret O'Donovan 2 Ursula Norris and Ann Vaughan 3 Mary Warner and Pat Fegan 4 Breda O'Regan and Eileen Twomey **29.7.15 Nett:** 1 Mags Gilligan and Pauline Muldowney 2 David O'Brien and Jerry O'Mahony 3 Lucy Anderson and Martin Anderson

CORK BRIDGE CLUB MONDAY 29.7.15 Section 1 N/S: 1 Eileen O'Donovan and Betty Coleman 2 Tom Brophy and Alan Auchincloss E/W : 1 Millie O'Donovan and Liam Cotter 2 Bill Cronin and Declan O'Brien **Section 2:** 1 Genie O'Regan and Tom McCarthy 2 Ronnie Keane and Deirdre O'Leary 3= Mary Hartnett and Mary Barrett 3= Cian Holland and Geoff Roberts **27.7.15:** 1 Mary McCloskey and Ronnie O'Shaughnessy 2 Marie Lavelle and Pat O'Mahony 3 Paul Hogan and Sean Wanglin 4 Declan O'Brien and Marie Sheehan Wednesday

CURRAGHCROWLEY BRIDGE CLUB 11.8.15 Upper Section Nett: 1 Noel and Mary Cotter 2 Noreen Corcoran and Margaret Shorten 3 Eileen ban O'Donovan and Kathleen Daly 4 Maureen Hernon and Tom Sugrue **Lower Section:** 1 John and Kathy Hurley 2 Margaret O'Donovan and Mary Dineen 3 Gerard O'Driscoll and Dan o Leary 4 Joan O'Donovan and Helen Twomey **4.8.15 Nett:** 1 Ann and Harry Bailey 2 David Piercy and Pat O Donoghue 3 John and Kathy Hurley 3 Margaret Shorten and Margaret Murphy Jerry and Margaret O Flynn

DOUGLAS BRIDGE CENTRE (The Mills) 27.7.15PM 1 C Bennett and O Cotter 2 P Tobin and R Naughton 1 A Lehane and B Ryan 28.7.15pm 1 A Auchincloss and J Grant 3.8.15pm 1 P Hogan and S Wanglin 2 M Walsh and M O'Keefe 4.8.15am 1 A Vaughan and F Hopley 2 P O'Neill and M Power 4.8.15pm 1 S Wanglin and P Hogan 2 T Hartnett and J Grant 1 S Coleman and B Kealy 5.8.15am 1 H Bowman and J Cleary 2 A Hosford and D Crowley 5.8.15pm 1 D Roche and J Fogarty 2 M O'Keefe and E McCarthy 1 C O'Callaghan and A Mulcahy 6.8.15am 1 J Hayes and P O'Donovan 2 V Murphy and R O'Neill 1 M O'Sullivan and L Fitzgerald

FERMOY BRIDGE CLUB 6.8.15: 1 Phil Murphy and Mary Hayes 2 Jim O'Reilly and Nora Kelleher 3 Ted Long and Oliver Reilly **H/Cap** Rose Kinahan and Nellie Burke **3.8.15:** Pauline Wilson and Eileen Kelleher. **30.7.15** 1 Mary Thorp and Mary Lysaght 2 Jim O'Reilly and Eileen Kelleher 3 Ted Long and Oliver Reilly **H/Cap** Pat and Theresa Tiernan. **Beginners Bridge Classes** commencing Tuesday 22nd September 2015 for 8 weeks names to Marie 087-9176588 or Joan 087-2268113 **27.7.15** 1 Pat and Theresa Tiernan 2 Peggy McCarthy and Margaret Barnes

KENMARE BRIDGE CLUB 12.8.15: 1 Sue Morgan and Bart Van Oyen 2 Joanne Naaykens and Maureen Twomey **5.8.15:** 1 Marie O Sullivan and Harry Naaykens 2 Mairead Doyle and Lynn O Donnell

MALLOW GOLF BRIDGE CLUB 29.7.15: 1 Norah Farrissey and Ann Lannon 2 Margot Murphy and Margaret O Shea 3 Joan O Shea and Kay Cotter **27.7.15:** 1 Mary Christopher and Eileen Bolster 2 Michael O Grady and Michael O Boyle 3 Louise O Regan and Nellie Crowley **22.7.15:** 1 Patrick Annesley and Helen Cronin 2 Isabella O Mahony and Denis Barry 3 Eileen Healy and Margot Murphy

MIDDLETON BRIDGE CLUB 6.8.15: 1 Phil Curran and Frances Aherne 2 Pat Clohessy and Kathleen Jagoe 3 Catherine Kearney and Carmel Cooney

OWENACURRA BRIDGE CLUB 4.8.15: 1 Marga Bailey and Marie Sheedy 2 Deirdre Hurst and Catherine Kearney 3 Yvonne Treacy and Emy O'Shea 4 Maura Everard and Assumpta O'Brien 5 Kathleen Jagoe and Phil Curran **28.7.15:** 1 Benny and Nancy Dowd 2 Joe Lupton and Yvonne Treacy 3 Carmel O'Leary and Millie O'Donovan 4 Deirdre O'Brien and Denis Ryan

SKIBBEREEN BRIDGE CLUB 6.8.15 Yellow Section: 1 J O'Mahony and A Twomey 2 K Hollman and E Hollman 3 N Cotter and M Cotter 4 H Bailey and A Williams Blue Section: 1 E Glavin and J McCarthy 2 D Daly and C Casey 3 L Shannon & C Poillot 4 M Collins and P Long 30.7.15 Yellow Section Nett: 1 H Bailey and J O'Mahony 2 D Burke and J Burke 3 A Price and M Dineen Blue Section Nett: 1 M Carr and J O'Sullivan 2 D Minihane and R O'Mahony 3 L Shannon and J Connolly

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

AUGUST

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