

## YOUGHAL BAY SALMON NIGHT

Following the Club's Salmon Night on July 5<sup>th</sup> last, President Noreen Cronin and Treasurer Brid Groeger presented a cheque for €332, proceeds from the night to the RNLI.



Pat O'Keefe, Noreen Cronin, Seamus Mason, Tadhg Kelleher, Brid Groeger

## MARY FINN RIP

Mary, a native of Skibbereen, has been amongst the top Lady players in the country for the last two decades, playing on many CBAI & IBU representative teams, with Ena Cleary, Ciara Burns & Jill Kulchicky. She is the current holder of Duais an Uachtarain, Freda Fitzgerald's President's Prize, which she won in Killiney last September with Cian Holland.

The Region and all of its members extend their deepest sympathies to her brothers Patrick, Jimmy, Tom, John and Sister Catherine.

Mary will be sadly missed by her many friends in the bridge community across the entire country, especially those in the South Munster Region, where we came to know her and appreciate her quiet and unassuming personality and bridge prowess. May her soul rest in Peace

## NORTH KERRY BRIDGE CONGRESS 2016

This year the Congress will be held at the 4\* Rose Hotel (formerly Fells Point Hotel) in Tralee Co. Kerry town, close to the town centre with the backdrop of the Slieve Mish Mountains. The hotel, now considered one of the most luxurious hotels in Tralee, having been beautifully refurbished. For Hotel information & to avail of Congress Offer Contact Noreen or Carol on 0667199100. Details of Programme of events etc., visit [BridgeIreland.com](http://BridgeIreland.com)

**SPECIAL CONGRESS DEAL** - €135pps 2 nights B&B, 1 Dinner €58pps, 1 night B&B €58pps, €28 single supplement

Contact Details/Entries to: Nicky Fitzgibbon 066 7185471, Trish Stack 087 6254284 or [info@bridgeireland.com](mailto:info@bridgeireland.com)

**SUMMER BRIDGE CONTINUES AT....**

**BALLINHASSIG BRIDGE CLUB:** Thursday nights until the end of August. Play begins at 7.30pm in the Marian Hall. All welcome.

**BANDON GOLF BRIDGE CLUB:** Thursday night (Munster Arms Hotel Bandon during June, July and August. Play starts at 7.45pm. All are welcome.

**CORK BRIDGE CLUB:** Monday 7.30pm, Charity Night Wednesday Night 7.30pm, Friday Open Bridge 7.30pm.

**CURRAGHCROWLEY BRIDGE CLUB, BALLINEEN:** Tuesdays at 7.45pm. All Welcome

**FERMOY BRIDGE CLUB:** Summer Bridge Mondays and Thursdays with Play commencing At 7.30 sharp!

**KENMARE BRIDGE CLUB:** Brooklane Hotel every Tuesday evening at 8pm.

**KNOCKAVILLA BRIDGE CLUB:** Knockavilla Hall, Tuesday 8pm, all grades welcome, no partner needed.

**OWENACURRA BRIDGE CLUB:** Tuesday evenings in the Midleton Park Hotel seated for play @ 7.30 pm. All levels welcome.

**YOUGHAL BAY BRIDGE CLUB** Summer Bridge at the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7.30pm

**BRIDGE LESSONS FOR BEGINNERS:**

**BALLINHASSIG BRIDGE CLUB:** Lessons commencing September, names are now being taken, further details from Bernie on 087 2575689.

**CORK BRIDGE CLUB, ST. PATRICK'S QUAY CORK:** Beginner's Lessons will commence on Sept 22nd. For further information email: [corkbridgeclub@gmail.com](mailto:corkbridgeclub@gmail.com) or text 086 1024045.

**"WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS AUTUMN? ARE YOU UP FOR A CHALLENGE?"**

Bridge Lessons for beginners will start at Curraghcrowley Bridge Club Ballineen at 7.30, Monday 19th September. Come along and learn how to play bridge in a relaxed, friendly environment. Make new friends and have a "laugh"

**THE MILLS BRIDGE CLUB DOUGLAS:** Beginners Bridge lessons start Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September at 10am and Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September at 7.30pm. Further information from: [www.millsbridge.com](http://www.millsbridge.com) or David on [086 827 6699](tel:0868276699)

Bridge Clubs or CBAI registered teachers wishing to advertise lessons on the Echo or our regional website please let me have details as soon as possible. Tel: 087 79554406 or email: [oliverose@eircom.net](mailto:oliverose@eircom.net)

**BRIDGE BREAK OFFERS**

**5\* MUCKROSS PARK HOTEL & CLOISTERS SPA, KILLARNEY 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

**PACKAGE:** 2 Nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast with wine reception on Saturday night + complimentary access to the Vitality Suite at The Spa @ Muckross

**Hotel Rate:** Twin or Double Room - €190 per person sharing Hotel: Single Room - €240 per person

"The Reserve" Luxury Apartments on Muckross Park Hotel Complex (newly refurbished) are also available: consisting of two Two-bedroom apartments (both en-suite) with Lounge & kitchen area - Rates for Apartments: - based on four guests sharing (two twin or double rooms) €180 per person sharing. Apartments: - based on two guests sharing (two single rooms) €230 per person. *Apartment rates include breakfast served in the hotel both mornings & dinner both evenings.* **Please note limited number of single rooms**

**available.** Complimentary Tea/Coffee throughout Bridge Sessions, Bridge table money not included.

Accommodation bookings **solely through Caroline O'Grady, Reservations Supervisor** at Muckcross Park Hotel & Spa T: 064-6623400 or via email: [reservations@muckcrosspark.com](mailto:reservations@muckcrosspark.com) or Caroline is available Monday to Friday 9am-5.30pm. General enquiries about the weekend contact Olive on 023 8844947 or email [oliverose@eircom.net](mailto:oliverose@eircom.net)

#### **CASTLEROSSE HOTEL & HOLIDAY HOMES, KILLARNEY**

Due to popular demand, The Castlerosse Hotel is adding an extra Bridge Event for 2016 - Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2016 for 4 nights Dinner, B&B €249pps. Single Room €289

For more information, please visit their website [www.castlerosse.ie](http://www.castlerosse.ie) Telephone hotel on: 1850 770000 or Email: [res@castlerosse.ie](mailto:res@castlerosse.ie)

#### **CLUB RESULTS**

**AVONDALE BRIDGE CLUB 11.7.16:** 1 Mary Troy and Monica Ahern, 2 Norah Cremin and Catherine White, 3 Joe Lupton and Carmel Wilkie, 4 Seamus Beausang and Niall Welch. **4.7.16:** 1 Kathleen Lynch and Enda Young, 2 Mary Troy and Monica Ahern 3 Joe Lupton and Myra Sheridan.

**BALLINHASSIG BRIDGE CLUB Thursday 14.7.16:** North/South 1 Margaret Bollard and Rosita Hellstern, 2 Trish Hollywood and Deirdre Murphy, East/West 1 Berna Treacy and Noreen Maloney 2 Mary Murphy and Dermot Lucey 7.7.16:

Bernie O'Halloran and Brendan McMahon, 2 Maureen McCarthy and Bernie Galvin, 3 Noelle O'Leary and Mona O'Hanlon, 4 Frances O'Halloran and Rose Hawkes

**BANTRY BRIDGE CLUB 19.7.16:** 1 Noel Bourke and Eric Kirby, 2 Michael Tanner and David Piercy, 3 Frank Krawczyk and Lill Moberger, 4 Rose Tobin & Joe Tobin. **13.7.16:** 1 Chris & Richard Pateman, 2 Noel Bourke and Brendan O'Dwyer, 3 James Ferguson and Jim Rice **6.7.16:** 1 Ursula Norris and Ann Vaughan, 2 Karen Cummins and Frances O'Callaghan, 3 Margaret Burke and Brian Vaughan

**CORK BRIDGE CLUB Charity Night: 20.7.16 N/S:** 1 Ronnie O'Shaughnessy and Brian Madden, 2 Breege Cosgrave and Deirdre O'Driscoll, 3 Mary Barrett and Rose Howard E/W: 1 Genie O'Regan and Tom McCarthy, 2 Marie Whyte and Anne Hogan, 3 Pat Nolan and Marie Goulding. 18.7.16 N/S: 1 Deirdre O'Leary and Andy Cole, 2 Euna Leonard and Ronnie O'Shaughnessy, 3 Freddy Murphy and Anne Hegarty. E/W: 1 Tom McCarthy and John Russell, 2 Sean Wanglin and Paul Hogan, 3 Eileen O'Donovan and Declan O'Brien 11.7.16 N/S: 1 Evelyn Murphy and Alan Auchincloss, 2 Pat O'Mahony and Mary McCloskey, 3 Danny and Myra O'Neill E/W: 1 Tom McCarthy and John Russell, 2 Deirdre O'Driscoll and Deirdre O'Leary, 3 Sean Wanglin and Paul Hogan

**CURRAGHCROWLEY BRIDGE CLUB 19.7.16 Lower Section:** 1 Ann & Harry Bailey, 2 Rosaire Kingston and David Daly, 3 Mary O'Driscoll & Gerard O'Driscoll, Best Gross: Ann & Harry Bailey, Upper Section: 1 Kathleen Dineen and Peg Kearney, 2 Dorothy Ross and Margaret Shorten, 3 Essie Bowen and Noreen Horgan, Best Gross: Rose O'Donovan and Nora Twomey. 12.7.16 Upper Section: 1 Rose O'Donovan and Nora Twomey 2 Margaret Shorten and Eleanor Gallagher, 3 Shelia Cummins and Betty Lucey. Lower Section: 5.7.16: 1 David Piercy and Pat O'Donoghue, 2 Theresa Armstrong and Dermot Lucey, 3 Mary & Noel Cotter,

Lower Section: 1 Margaret & Jerry O'Flynn, 2 John & Kathy Hurley, 3 Mary O'Driscoll and Paula O'Sullivan

**DOUGLAS BRIDGE CLUB** 14.7.16pm: 1 A. Auchincloss and P Hogan, 2 P. Tobin and R. Naughton 15.7.16: 1 M. Barrett and R. Howard, 2 N. Manley and P. Dennehy 18.7.16am: 1 J. F O'Donovan and D. Cronin, 2 O. Burts and H. Bowman 18.7.16pm: 1 P. Twomey and S Tobin 2 B. Murphy and N. Trihy 19.7.16 am: 1 B. Conneely and F. O'Sullivan, 2 M. and B. Nash 18.7.16pm: 1 S. Wanglin and P. Hogan, 2 A Webster and A Davis 20.7.16am 1 T Long and M Delaney, 2 D. & S. Sievewright. 20.7.16pm: 1 D. Roche and J. Fogarty, 2 A. Keeshan and Y. Sheeran 21.7.16am 1 B Murdoch and M Roycroft, 2 D Higgins and D Murphy 21.7.16am (Novice) 1 M. F. O'Sullivan and L. Fitzgerald, 2 J. Hogan and D. O Donovan

**FERMOY BRIDGE CLUB** 11.7.16: Jim O'Reilly and Kieran Connolly, 2 Ted Long and Kay Clifford, 3 Ita Dempsey and Rose Kinahan. Gross: 1 Betty Hegarty and Margret Clement

**KENMARE BRIDGE CLUB** 19.7.16: 1 Eileen Murphy and Sarah Granville, 2 Maura Foley and Kathleen O'Shea 12.7.16: 1 Oliver Morgan and Sue Morgan, 2 Horst Rosler and Harry Naaykens

**OWENACURRA BRIDGE CLUB** 19.7.16: 1 Catherine Kearney and Maura Everard, 2 Phil Ryan and Phil Curran, 3 Mary Troy and Yvonne Treacy **12.7.16:** 1 Joe Lupton and Joely Morgan, 2 Carmel O'Leary and Millie O'Donovan, Best Novice/Inter B: Seamus Kearney and Flor Horan.

**SCHULL BRIDGE CLUB** 4.7.16 Nett: 1 Lucy & Martin Anderson, 2 Mary Warner and Ann Vaughan 3 Mary Dwyer and Jerry O'Mahony

**YOUGHAL BAY BRIDGE CLUB** 7.7.16: 1 Mona Clancy and Hilda Clarke, 2 Joan Power and John Whelehan, 3 Catherine Dineen and Lourdes Kenneally, 4 Liz Grace and Kate Hogan

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

#### **AUGUST**

6/7 **Sonya Britton Trophy City North Hotel** August 6<sup>th</sup> @ 1.30pm 7<sup>th</sup> @ 6.30pm  
12 Camrose Trials Entries - requests for derogation from National Point holding conditions contact [paul@cbai.ie](mailto:paul@cbai.ie)  
25 Camrose Trials - Entries [paul@cbai.ie](mailto:paul@cbai.ie)

#### **SEPTEMBER**

16 Lady Milne Trials Entries - requests for derogation from National Point holding conditions close. [paul@cbai.ie](mailto:paul@cbai.ie)  
17-18 Duais an Uachtarain, Nuremore Hotel, Carrickmacross  
Entries to CBAI T: 01 4929666 [info@cbai.ie](mailto:info@cbai.ie)  
19-28 EBU Summer Congress, Eastbourne, East **Sussex Contact EBU.**

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